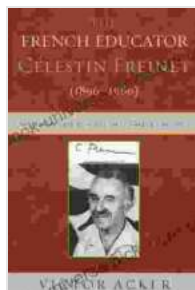


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- All knowledge is acquired through experience.
- Education should focus on developing the child's natural abilities and interests.
- The goal of education is to produce virtuous and productive citizens.

Locke believed that the most important goal of education is to develop the child's mind. He argued that children should be taught to think critically and independently, and that they should be encouraged to explore their own interests.

Locke also believed that education should be practical and relevant to the child's life. He argued that children should be taught skills that will help them to succeed in the world, and that they should be exposed to a variety of experiences that will help them to develop their full potential.

Locke's Influence on Education

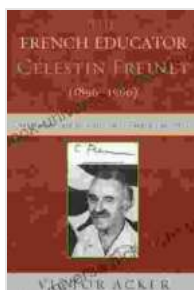
Locke's educational philosophy has had a profound impact on the development of modern educational systems. His ideas about the importance of childhood, the role of experience in learning, and the goal of education as the development of the individual have all been influential in shaping the way that children are educated today.

Locke's writings on education have been translated into many languages, and his ideas have been adopted by educators and reformers around the

world. His work has been particularly influential in the development of the American educational system, and his ideas continue to be debated and discussed today.

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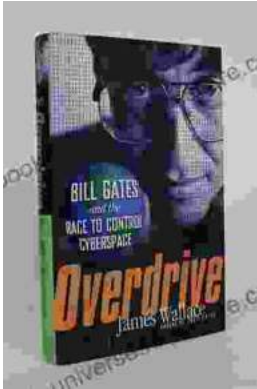
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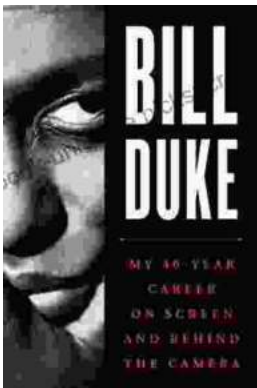
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