

On the basis of available specialized publications the following essay defines social stratification, describes its evolution and several views, then characterizes term status and individual effecting factors, in next part tries to take a discursion to historic context of education and describes education as one of the stratification element in detail. On the basis of these analyses discovers existence of connection between education and social status of the individual. Education could act as equipment of rising social mobility and also confirms thesis, that the more education has effects to social stratification, the more larger place obtains in society.