

Review of: "Adolescents' Knowledge of Sexuality in a School Context: A Descriptive Study"

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Review:

Though a fairly good writeup overall, there are a few things I think would make it better.

1. **Title** does not adequately capture the essence of the study. I suggest either of these:

"Navigating Adolescence: A Descriptive Study on School Children's Understanding of Sexuality"

"Insights into Adolescent Sexual Awareness: A Study of School Children's Knowledge and Perception"

1. I would have liked to see a definition of sexuality by the authors so we all are on board with their work. Sometimes in this writeup, when they use the word sexuality, I wonder what they are talking about. Sexuality encompasses a broad spectrum of characteristics, behaviors, and identities related to one's sexual orientation, sexual attraction, sexual expression, and sexual activity. It includes emotional, physical, and sexual aspects of an individual's being, encompassing their feelings, desires, fantasies, and behaviors related to intimacy and sexual interactions. Sexuality is influenced by various factors such as biological, psychological, social, cultural, and environmental elements, and it plays a significant role in shaping personal identity, relationships, and overall well-being.
2. The aim and objective of this study, with the specific attitudes, should be clearly defined.
3. I would have wanted to see their questionnaire, as this would help me better appreciate the way they explored the issues that impact sexuality.
4. Is this study about sex or sexuality? Because knowledge alone should not be used to gauge sexuality.
5. In the discussion section, the authors should go further to try to postulate why other studies obtained similar or different results from theirs.
6. The exact limitations of this study should be spelt out. It is rather vague.