

Review of: "School instability in South Africa: a Systematic Review of Reflections and Experiences for a way forward"

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School instability and its impact on learners, teachers and local community involved in this environment is very pertinent issue in South Africa now a days. The manuscript describes a technically sound piece of work with data that supports the conclusions. The paper attempts to reviewed this issue in an articulated way. However, I have few minor suggestions.

1.The abstract of the paper needs to be improved. Make it crisp and do not add references in the abstract. It seems like start of introduction not abstract.

2. Develop a strong link between Bronfenbrenner's Ecological Systems framework with the rest of the study. Where you have used this theoretical framework in your study. Overall, the manuscript lack in linking the paragraphs with each other. Prove that your article based on comprehensive review of the literature is valuable enough.

3.Stronger motivation for the topic should be provided in introduction section.

4. Based upon your reviewed studies, propose concrete policy recommendations and provide future directions for researchers.