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## Review Of Research



## ATTITUDE TOWARDS WOMEN EMPOWERMENT OF HIGH SCHOOL TEACHERS

#### Dr. S. Parimala

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#### **ABSTRACT**

his study aims to find out the attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers due to gender, locality and teaching experience. Attitude towards Women Empowerment Scale is used to for data collection which id developed by B.A. Parikhwas. The sample of the study constitutes 150 high school teachers through random sampling technique. The results reveal that there is significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of

high school teachers in terms of gender, locality, and teaching experience.

**KEYWORDS:** Women Empowerment, locality and teaching experience.

#### **INTRODUCTION**

Education is the heart of all development. It is essential prerequisite for equality, dignity and lasting peace. Education is the weapon which strength the personality and makes one confident. Education in earlier days had the privilege of boys and men but now education has been spread all over breaking up the sex barrier and everyone is concerned about girl education as education is an investment and not an expense which gives its returns in long urn in a positive way acknow ledging the status of women in family which is the first step of progress and development. Education is the unique investment for the present and future. It is backbone of a progressing nation. In a modern society, education alone can provide the most dependable and effective investment for accelera ting growth and develop ment in all phases of human activity.

#### **WOMEN EMPOWERMENT**

Empowerment refers to increasing the spiritual, political, social or economic strength of

individual and communities. It often involves the empowered developing confidence in their own capacities. Empowerment is a social process, also processes of redistribution and relations. The powers are within and between the families and societies aims for social equality. Therefore it is a process aimed at changing the nature and direction of systemic forces. A person is said to be powerful when he controls over a large coverage such as wealth, skills, education, information, knowledge and social status.

#### **SCOPE OF THE STUDY**

The topic is an investigation of the attitude towards women empowerment among high school teachers. This study will be grate help for the educationists particularly for the teachers. Only an educated person can now adjust with the development of society, especially girls or women must be educated as respect they play vital role in the society. By educating a woman, you can educate the whole family. Woman has the responsibility of taking care of health, nutrition and education of their children and whole family. Education boots woman self-esteem, her employment opportunities and her ability to deal with the problems around them. In this context the investigator had selected this topic attitude towards women empowerment among school teachers.

#### **OBJECTIVES OF THE STUDY**

- To find out the significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers in terms of gender.
- To find out the significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers in terms of locality.
- To find out the significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers in terms of teaching experience.

#### **HYPOTHESES OF THE STUDY**

- 1. There is no significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers with respect to gender.
- 2. There is no significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers with respect to locality.
- 3. There is no significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers with respect to teaching experience.

#### **Delimitations of the Study**

- + The study has limited to Rasipuram Taluk only.
- + The study has limited to high school teachers.

#### Sample

The present study based on survey method with a sample of 150 high school teachers in 5 different schools by using random sampling technique.

#### Tool

• Attitude towards Women Empowerment Scale by B.A. Parikhwas.

#### **Data Analysis**

Table 1: Attitude towards Women Empowerment of High School Teachers with respect to Gender,
Locality and Teaching Experience

Variable	Category	N	Mean	SD	t-value	Remark
Gender	Male	75	72.13	5.80	3.48	Significant
	Female	75	75.47	5.97		
Locality	Rural	76	72.19	5.27	2.85	Significant
	Urban	74	75.84	5.07		
Teaching Experience	Below 10 yrs	87	71.33	3.78	5.05	Significant
	Above 10 yrs	63	75.78	5.92		

Table-1 shows that the t-values 3.48, 2.85 and 5.05 are significant at 0.01 level of significance. Thus there is significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers with respect to gender, locality, and teaching experience.

#### FINDINGS OF THE STUDY

1. There is significant difference in attitude towards women empowerment of high school teachers in terms of gender, locality, and teaching experience.

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