

## Review Form 1.6

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**PART 1: Review Comments**

	Reviewer's comment	Author's comment (if agreed with reviewer, correct the manuscript and highlight that part in the manuscript. It is mandatory that authors should write his/her feedback here)
<b>Compulsory</b> REVISION comments	<p><b>There are many grammar and spelling errors , therefore an editing program should be applied to correct this issue</b>  <b>These are examples of these mistakes:</b></p> <p>Abstract</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• (parenting, and mass media): remove the coma</li> <li>• (. Two research questions) inconsistent space</li> <li>• corresponding null hypotheses (<b>which were</b>) tested : <b>unnecessary</b></li> <li>• missing comma before the coordinate conjugation (and) in many sentences</li> <li>• findings of the study revealed : finding of the study's revealed</li> <li>• the word (counselors) : consider to replace it with American English spelling (councilors)</li> </ul> <p>Introduction:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Change the word (centres) to (centers)</li> <li>• The early days of formal education (<b>was</b>) change to (<b>were</b>)</li> <li>• student who (<b>gains</b>) admission change to (<b>gained</b>)</li> <li>• Those were the days when (<b>the</b>) universities : omit the word (the)</li> <li>• Nigeria universities now offer a <b>B.Sc.</b> in violence and an <b>M.A</b> in cultism : unnecessary sentence with unnecessary abbreviations</li> <li>• latin word "occulere" which <b>denote</b> : add s to the verb to be <b>denotes</b></li> <li>• Thereby, denying them <b>of</b> their <b>personal</b> liberty : omit the two words</li> <li>• initiation formalities as well as <b>mode</b> of operation : add (a) before <b>mode</b></li> <li>• policy makers : policymaker (without gap)</li> <li>• (terrorist's attack ) change to (terrorist attacks)</li> <li>• <b>regards</b> for their own <b>lives</b> or lives: regard for their own lives or the lives</li> <li>• Academic <b>programmes</b> : change to Academic programs</li> <li>• <b>Behaviours</b> :change to behaviors</li> </ul> <p><b>1.In the methods part: The sample size was 600. I want to know more about the calculation of the sample size and better to write it.</b></p> <p><b>2. In the methods part: I didn't find ethical approval for the study. The researcher stated that he only took permission from the Heads of Departments before administering the instrument to the respondents.</b></p> <p><b>3. Do you use a pilot study to validate the research instrument?</b></p> <p><b>4. In the result section: the demographic variables of the participants are essential to be described ( it would be great if presented in a table )</b></p> <p><b>5. In tables (1) and (2), the statistical test needs to be better described: it needs to clarify the meaning of (r) (r2) values and how they give conclusion of these associations.</b></p>	
<b>Minor</b> REVISION comments		
<b>Optional/General</b> comments		

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<b>Are there ethical issues in this manuscript?</b>	<i>(If yes, Kindly please write down the ethical issues here in details)</i>	

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