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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) |
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| <p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript) 2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title) 3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? 4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate? 5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct? 6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form. <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p> | <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. The manuscript pertains to a significant and current subject matter, namely the influence of the COVID-19 on the educational experiences of children, with a particular emphasis on the context of Punjab, India. It is imperative for educators, politicians, and academics to comprehend the problems and ramifications associated with this transformation. 2. The article's title conveys the specific subject and emphasis of the research. 3. The abstract offers a satisfactory summary of the study; nonetheless, there is need for enhancement. To enhance reader engagement, it is recommended to commence the study by providing a summary of the research purpose or hypothesis. Furthermore, it is suggested that the abstract should provide a more precise delineation of the principal findings or results obtained from the study, 4. The introduction presents a comprehensive overview of the influence of the COVID-19 pandemic on the field of education, as well as the subsequent transition to remote learning. Nevertheless, there exist places that could be enhanced. To enhance the clarity and specificity of the study, it is recommended to provide a more focused definition of the research problem or research questions. Moreover, it is recommended that the introduction incorporates a greater number of contemporary and pertinent references in order to underscore the current and noteworthy nature of the research. 5. The research method section provides a broad overview of the data collection procedure; nevertheless, there are some areas that might be enhanced. First and foremost, there is a lack of clarification surrounding the sampling methodology employed in the study. The explanation of the sample approach could be expanded to provide a more account of the rationale behind selecting Bhalaiana village in Bathinda district and the specific methodology employed to choose the 100 families. Furthermore, it is vital for the technique to explicitly outline the specific age range and grade levels of the children encompassed within the study. 6. The manuscript's conclusion presents a concise overview of the study's findings; nonetheless, there are some areas in which it might be enhanced. First and foremost, there is a need for more clarity in describing the primary discoveries and their implications. Although the detrimental influence on children and parents is acknowledged, it is imperative to delineate the primary obstacles encountered, including those pertaining to online education, reliance on technology, and the financial strain associated with internet expenses. Moreover, the conclusion fails to provide an analysis of the wider ramifications of these findings on education policies and practices. It would be advantageous to propose relevant recommendations or interventions in light of the findings from the research. 7. The manuscript adheres to a generally adequate organizational framework, featuring various subsections commonly found in academic research papers. 8. The manuscript offers an examination of the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic on the educational landscape for children in Punjab, with a specific emphasis on the shift towards online learning. Although the subject matter of the manuscript is pertinent and current, there exist certain deficiencies pertaining to its organization and substance. The abstract is deficient in providing adequate detail, hence presenting difficulties in comprehending the study's objectives and outcomes. The introductory section provides a concise overview of the pandemic's setting and the transition to online education. However, it may benefit from the inclusion of a well-defined research question or hypothesis. Moreover, it exhibits a lack of proficiency in integrating relevant scholarly sources. The data and methods section exhibits a lack of clarity with respect to the process of data gathering and subsequent analysis. 9. The references offered encompass a diverse array of subjects pertaining to the influence of COVID-19 on the field of education and the utilization of technology in the process of learning. | |

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| Minor REVISION comments 1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications? | The language and English proficiency displayed in the manuscript submitted meet the customary expectations for scholarly discourse. | |
| Optional/General comments | There exist multiple facets of the content that can be enhanced. There is a need for substantial enhancement in the language proficiency and writing style. The manuscript's potential for intellectual communication is undermined by grammatical faults, odd sentence patterns, and a lack of clarity. It is of utmost importance to meticulously proofread and modify the text in order to address these concerns. Furthermore, it is important to retain a constantly formal and intellectual tone. It is imperative that the paper strictly adheres to established citation formats and meticulously follows the prescribed formatting guidelines for references. In conclusion, it is recommended that the work be enhanced by include more up-to-date and pertinent sources, namely those that explicitly examine the influence of the COVID-19 pandemic on the educational landscape within the specific region under consideration, namely Punjab. | |

PART 2:

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