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PART 1: Review Comments

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Please write a few sentences regarding the importance of this manuscript for the scientific community. Why do you like (or dislike) this manuscript? A minimum of 3-4 sentences may be required for this part.	The paper has a scientific merit since the theme of the research focuses on the 21 st century skills. It is imperative that the teachers match their skills with the learners of the 21 st century. In this case, we can assess the readiness of the pre-service teachers plunging into the real world soon after they graduate.	
Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)	I do not have any issue on the title.	
Is the abstract of the article comprehensive? Do you suggest the addition (or deletion) of some points in this section? Please write your suggestions here.	The abstract is suitable as it is.	
Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?	There were some sections like in table 1 that needs to be revised. No need to show the proportion and sample calculations, just indicate the final calculated value (i.e. 31.95%, 107 samples). Samples do not have decimal because you are dealing with individuals.	
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Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestions of additional references, please mention them in the review form.	There were studies more than 5years old. Consider more recent studies since the theme is 21 st century teaching and learning, there were already several studies on this.	
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