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Title of the Manuscript:	Exploring the role of religious studies in developing moral values among secondary school learners in Lesotho
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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)
<p>Compulsory REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is the manuscript important for scientific community? (Please write few sentences on this manuscript)</p> <p>2. Is the title of the article suitable? (If not please suggest an alternative title)</p> <p>3. Is the abstract of the article comprehensive?</p> <p>4. Are subsections and structure of the manuscript appropriate?</p> <p>5. Do you think the manuscript is scientifically correct?</p> <p>6. Are the references sufficient and recent? If you have suggestion of additional references, please mention in the review form.</p> <p><u>(Apart from above mentioned 6 points, reviewers are free to provide additional suggestions/comments)</u></p>	<p>The manuscript will be a good source material for scholars. But relevant grey areas identified in the work should be clear.</p> <p>The emphasis is on Northern Region of Lesotho. So, I suggest the title should be changed to: Exploring the Role of Religious Studies in Developing Moral Values Among Secondary Schools Learners in Northern Region of Lesotho</p> <p>To some degree, yes.</p> <p>The Sections and Sub-sections are appropriate.</p> <p>The manuscript actually raised vital issues bedeviling the education sector in Lesotho but had too limited sample population and restrictive to the researcher's region. The author failed to state in the work whether the problem is most endemic in the Northern Region.</p> <p>The references were sufficient and relevant to the study.</p>	
<p>Minor REVISION comments</p> <p>1. Is language/English quality of the article suitable for scholarly communications?</p>	<p>The English language is scholarly okay.</p>	
<p>Optional/General comments</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Moral Instruction Curriculum rather than Religious Studies Curriculum should be introduced. The Curriculum should accommodate all religions' moral precepts. The author has the tendency of not adequately analysing and synthesis the referent sources. The title should be restricted to Northern Lesotho, as noted above (2). Hiding the identities of the respondents in this study raises the question of the study's originality. 	

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PART 2:

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

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