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24. MATERIAL USED AT SCHOOL RESOURCE CENTRE

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ABSTRACT
From time to time students are supposed to borrow materials from the school resource centre but their interest to borrow showed a total dismal picture. It was reported that more than fifty percent of the students have never visited the school resource centre and therefore they indeed have not borrowed any publications from there. Unfortunately, only three percent of the students borrowed more than seven publications from the centre. These disturbing indicators motivate us to investigate further by using survey method. Our result found that most of the preferred publications that were borrowed were fiction and any leisure reading books.

24.1 INTRODUCTION
Our survey investigation required respondents to identify the types of materials that they used the in the SRC. The respondents were allowed to indicate more than one answer and write down other answer in provided spaces for 'Others' answer. Table 24.1 provided details of the result. The analysis showed that out of 258 respondents, 85.3% use the books provided in the SRC, 31.4% uses the magazines, 32.2% have make use of the newspapers provided. The number of respondents that use the collections of