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26. AWARENESS OF THE RED SPOT MATERIALS

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ABSTRACT

Red spot materials which often encompass text books that are required by teachers as reading materials are placed at separate location and can be viewed with restricted access. Since it is important for the students to use these materials the students should be aware of this special collection. It is found that majority of the students; close to sixty four percent do not know about the existence of red spot collection. Those who are aware of the red spot collection read the materials while in the school resource centre. Only a few of them, about eight percent made efforts to copy some relevant materials for personal use.

26.1 INTRODUCTION

One type of the collection available in the SRC is Red Spot collection. This collection consists of important text-books recommended by the teachers as reading materials for subjects taught at the school and essential materials which are limited in number and are heavily used by students. Our survey was intended to identify the awareness of Red Spot material in the SRC in our survey in the school. Our total respondents were 168. Analysis of the data collected shows that 36.8% were aware of the Red Spot collection and 63.2%