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ABSTRACT

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Summary

This study was conducted to determine the cybercrime awareness of high school students in Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur SY 2019-2020. To realize this objective, the researchers looked into the profile of the respondents in terms of their age, gender, family annual income, and parents' highest educational attainment; level of cybercrime awareness in terms of cyberbullying, cyber pornography and cyber extortion, common activities committed by the respondents and recommendations to strengthen the cybercrime awareness campaign.

A descriptive research method was utilized in this study with the questionnaire checklist as the main instrument employed in gathering the data.

The results show that the respondents from 17 to 18 years old have an income of 0-62,000 and most of them are high school graduates. On the other hand, the respondents never post on social

media against the government, uploading a sexual video activity and sending fake statements or report on their friends' accounts.

Furthermore, on the results presented, it can be concluded that the common activities committed by the respondents are the following: access information for educational purposes, use the internet chat features, and for entertainment purposes.

It recommended that the school head, instructor, or adviser must guide and give the students of what are the other alternative measures in preventing such cybercrime attacks; DepEd officials must give the institutions other learning materials to address the problem; Guidance counselor must create programs and spearhead activities that will increase awareness on cyberbullying; and, School Admin must establish Initiatives and plan to give the satisfaction of the student's in terms of learning factors.