

A statement of the problem is used in research work as a claim that outlines the problem addressed by a study. Its primary purpose is to introduce the reader to the importance of the topic being studied and to Anchor the research questions, hypotheses, or assumptions to follow.

The researchers would like first to know

1. What are the profiles of the respondents in terms of:

their Access to ICT:

by knowing the

stability of their internet connection

access to smartphones and computer devices

To be followed by how the respondents use the ICT devices during their time scheduled or allotted for learning.

Then the research aims to know if the following contribute to a direct and significant impact on the respondents' comprehension of their curriculum?

Lastly, answering the question; How does the respondent's comprehension compare when aided and unaided by ICT?

The assumption of the study is a scientific guess that serves as one of the research's foundations. And The assumptions of this study are:

1.) Information and Communications Technology have a direct impact on the students' ability to comprehend academic topics and discussions.

2.) Information and Communications Technology have no direct impact on the students' ability to comprehend academic topics and discussions.

A research instrument is a tool for gathering, measuring, and analyzing data for the study. To conduct this study, the researchers prepared a questionnaire that will be given to the main subjects. The questionnaire will contain the following questions such as.

- How useful ICT is, and how often do you use it?
- How much time do you spend per day on computers?
- Does it help you understand your assigned lessons in school?
- How much time do you spend per day on smartphones?
- Does it help you understand your assigned lessons in school?
- How useful the internet is, and how often do you use it?
- Does it help you understand your assigned lessons in school?