



Letter of permission

I, Mr. M-A. Maboa.....the school principal of **Malven High school** confirm that:

Permission has been granted to SHUNGU MUPFAWA to conduct the research titled *An analysis of teachers' Discourse when teaching basic genetics concepts in South African classrooms* at this school.

Informed consent

I understand that:

1. You intend to conduct your research by observing life sciences teachers as they teach genetics to grade 12 learners and interviewing the teachers.
2. By allowing the research to be conducted in the school, learners and teachers will not be disadvantaged in any way.
3. The name of the school and those of the participants will remain anonymous and all data collected for the research will be confidentially kept throughout the research and after.
4. The research data will be stored in a password protected computer.
5. The research does not attract any costs to the school and participants.

Signed: [Signature].....

Date: 18/10/2019.....

