A STUDY ON USE OF COMPUTERS AMONG SECONDARY SCHOOL STUDENTS

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OBJECTIVES

> To find out the extent of availability, accessibility and use of computers at School, Home, Outside school and home by secondary school students.

To find out the extent of Time and Money spent in using computers by secondary school students.

METHODOLOGY

Method used : Survey method

Sample : 600 secondary school students of CBSE schools drawn

from Kozhikode and Malappuram districts of Kerala.

Tool : Questionnaire on Computer Use

Statistical Techniques :. Estimation of Percentage, t-test

RESULT

Findings reveal that computer facility is available to a very high majority of students in school. It is also observed that more students use computers outside than at home. High percentage of computer use for such purposes like playing games, listening to music and watching movies makes one deduce that students show high inclination towards entertainment purposes on the computer.

KEY TERMS: Use of Computer, secondary school students