

**INFLUENCE OF SELF EFFICIENCY ON BULLYING AND VICTIMIZATION  
AMONG PRE-ADOLESCENTS**

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**OBJECTIVE**

- To compare the extent of Bullying and Victimization among pre-adolescents between subgroups based on gender, type of management and residential status of parents.
- To find out whether bullying, victimization differ among pre-adolescents with high-, average- and low - self-efficiency.

**METHODOLOGY**

**Method used:** Survey method

**Sample:** 625 students studying in seventh standard

**Tool:** Bullying and Victimization Scale, Self-efficiency  
Questionnaire for Children.

**Statistical technique used:** Independent sample t test, Pearson's product moment coefficient of correlation, One-way ANOVA.

**RESULT:**

Bullying and victimization among pre-adolescents is found to be at low level for the total sample and relevant subsamples based on gender, type of management and residential status of parents. There is a significant negative and low relationship between self efficiency and bullying among Pre-adolescents. There is a significant negative and negligible relationship between self-efficiency and victimization among pre-adolescents.

**KEY TERMS:** Self-efficiency, Bullying, Victimization