## SELF EFFICACY AND ACADEMIC ENGAGEMENT OF PROSPECTIVE SECONDARY SCHOOL TEACHERS.

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## **OBJECTIVE**

> To find out whether there exists any significant relationship between self-efficacy and academic engagement of prospective secondary school teachers for the total sample and relevant subsamples based on gender, and locale of institution

## **METHODOLOGY**

**Method used:** Survey method

Sample: 720 B.Ed. students

**Tool:** Self Efficacy Scale (SES), Academic Engagement Questionnaire

(AEQ)

Statistical technique used: Pearson's Product Moment Coefficient of Correlation

## **RESULT**

There exists significant small but definite positive relationship between self-efficacy and academic engagement of male prospective secondary school teachers. There exists significant small but definite positive relationship between self-efficacy and academic engagement of female prospective secondary school teachers. There exists significant small but definite positive relationship between self-efficacy and academic engagement of rural prospective secondary school teachers. There exists significant moderate and positive relationship between self-efficacy and academic engagement of urban prospective secondary school teachers.

KEY TERMS: Self efficacy, Academic engagement

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