Collaborating For Student Success in Higher Ed
Peer Review
All answers and comments will be shared with author.

1. Paper Title

2. Reviewer #

Abstract

3. The abstract summarizes the article well.

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☐ Not Applicable
4. The abstract entices readers to read on.

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5. Comments

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**Extent to which the overall topic fits within SMHEC**

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6. The paper has been introduced and shown to be within the areas of SMHEC.

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7. This paper advances the work of SMHEC.

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Quality of written language

9. The text is adequate for the discipline in which the article was submitted.

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10. The sentence structure encompasses grammatical correctness, fluidity, rhythm and word flow.

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APA Format

12. The paper follows APA format.

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   Literature review
14. The breadth of the review is adequate for the topic covered.

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15. The research question is well-supported in light of the review.

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16. The paper links to major contributors and research within the field. The linkages are explicit or implied.

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17. Comments

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Method

18. The method is clearly identified and appropriate in light of the topic and research question. *Mark only one oval.*

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Data

20. The data provided is logical and clear given the method used. *Mark only one oval.*

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21. The conclusions are supported by the data.

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Supporting Evidence

23. The evidence is credible and sufficiently supports the argument.

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Conclusion / Limitations / Further research

25. The conclusions are consistent with the rest of the paper and well-supported.

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26. The limitations are identified.

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27. Possible areas for further research are identified.

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28. The submission makes a significant new contribution to the literature.

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Recommendations

30. Recommendations

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☐ Accept as is
☐ Accept with minor changes and editorial review
☐ Revise and resubmit with peer review and editorial review
☐ Reject with recommendation for publication elsewhere
☐ Reject as is

31. Detailed comments and suggestions for the author(s)

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32. Additional Comments

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