APPENDIX
APPENDIX A

QUESTIONNAIRE (For English Teacher)

1. Name of the Teacher:
   Age:
   Sex: Male / Female
   Date of Birth:
   Marital Status: Unmarried/Married/Widowed/Divorced/Other

2. Name of the School:
   Village:
   Tehsil:
   District: Kolhapur
   State: Maharashtra

3. Teachers Full Address:
   Village:
   Tehsil:
   District:
   State:

4. Religion & Caste: Hindu/Muslim/Christian/Jain/New Buddhist/Other

5. Length of service:

6. Experience of teaching English:

7. Mother tongue: Marathi/Hindi/English/Other

8. Educational qualification: Graduation/Diploma/Vocational Diploma

9. Type of School:

10. Class of teaching English:

11. Teachers medium of instruction of his education:

12. Student strength in your class: a) 20-30 b) 31-40 c) 41-50 d) More than 50

13. Do all the students attend classes regularly? : Yes No

14. If No, What is the percentage of regular students? : a) 50% b) 75% c) 80% d) 90%

15. What is the reason of student irregularity?
   a) Illness b) The distance between school and house is more
   c) Busy in household jobs d) Taking care of small children at home
   e) Working in agricultural farm f) Disinterested of schooling

16. Do your students have private coaching of English? a) Yes b) No

17. Number of your children? a) 1 b) 2 c) 3 d) 4 e) No

18. Do your children go to school? a) Yes b) No

19. If Yes, What is medium of instruction in the school?
   a) Marathi b) Hindi c) English d) Other
20. Number of your school going children?  a) 1  b) 2  c) 3  d) No
21. Do you have lost faith in Marathi medium schools?  a) Yes  b) No
22. If No, What is the reason for not enrolling in Marathi medium school?
   a) The educational environment is not good in Marathi medium school.
   b) You have lost faith in yourself.
   c) The distance from your house is more.
   d) Other.
23. Do your students are scholarship holders in English?  a) Yes  b) No
24. If No, What are the reasons?
   a) Students are no good in performance
   b) Their parents are not taking care at home
   c) They are unable to concentrate in the class
   d) They can not grasp what you taught them
25. If Yes, What is the type of scholarship?
   a) Talent search
   b) Other
26. Do your students get books from free book facility in the school?  a) Yes  b) No
27. If Yes, What is the number of books?
   a) Complete set of books  b) Half of it
   c) Few  d) One or two books
28. If No, What is the reason?
   a) No facility provided by the government
   b) Students are rich
   c) No source of free books available
   d) other
29. Do you have satisfaction in your teaching of English?  a) Yes  b) No
30. If No, What is the reason?
    a) You have educated in Marathi medium
    b) You are helpless in teaching English
    c) You are not interested in the teaching of English
    d) other
31. What do you think difficult to teach?
   a) Teaching grammar    b) Vocabulary
   c) Pronunciation    d) All

32. Do you have undergone any type of training in the last five years?
   a) Yes    b) No

33. If Yes, What is the number of trainings you received?
   a) One    b) Two    c) Three    d) More than three times

34. Do you think that the training proved helpless for you?
   a) Yes    b) No

35. Do you think that English is a difficult language?
   a) Yes    b) No

36. Do you feel the need of more training?
   a) Yes    b) No

37. If No, What is the reason?
   a) Trainings are useless    b) Resource persons are not good
   c) You consider it a wastage of govt. money    d) All of the above

38. How many years you have lost in Non-Academic activities?
   a) 1 to 5    b) 6 to 10    c) 11 to 15    d) More than 16 Years

39. What is your opinion about the English text book at primary level?
   a) Easy    b) Difficult

40. Do you have enough teaching aids in the school?
   a) Yes    b) No

41. Do you have audio-visual aids available in your school?
   a) Yes    b) No

42. Do you have video available in the school for teaching of English?
   a) Yes    b) No

43. Do the Zilla Parishad, Panchayat Samitee and Gram Shikshan Samitee help in the process of teaching and learning?
   a) Yes    b) No

44. If Yes, What is the type of help?
   a) Providing teaching aids    b) Providing financial assistance
   c) Both a & b

45. Do your students bring text book in the class?
   a) Yes    b) No
46. If No, What is the reason?
   a) Text books are not necessary in the classroom
   b) They are available in the school

47. Do your students have interest in English lectures?
   a) Yes          b) No

48. If No, What is the reason?
   a) They cannot understand English
   b) Teaching aids are not available in the school
   c) Students are unable to grasp anything
   d) other

49. Do their parents help them in the process of learning?
   a) Yes          b) No

50. If No, What is the reason?
   a) Parents donot have time
   b) Parents cannot teach english
   c) It is difficult for them
   d) Other

51. Do you feel, it is necessary to keep English language mandatory from the first division?
   a) Yes          b) No

52. If Yes, What is the reason?
   a) It is easy to learn
   b) It improve communication skill
   c) It is the need of the hour
   d) other

53. If No, What is the reason?
   a) It is very difficult for them at the beginning of education
   b) They cannot bear it
   c) Education in the mother tongue will be more good
   d) Other

54. Do you think that the trainings have proved helpful?
   a) Yes          b) No

55. If Yes, in what way?
   a) It improved your knowledge
   b) You learned new teaching methodology
   c) You got recent knowledge of subject
   d) other

56. If No, What is the reason?
   a) There is no novelty in training
   b) It is the wastage of govt. funds
   c) There was lack of planning
   d) other
57. Of the following, which programmes you would like to organize in your tehsil?
   a) Lecture       b) Seminar       c) Workshops       d) Conference       e) None
58. Of the following, which audio-visual aids you would like to prefer?
   a) Television       b) Video       c) Overhead Projector       d) Cassettes
59. Do you think that, the higher authorities of primary education implement innovative programme?
   a) Yes                      b) No
60. If Yes, What are those programmes?
   a) Timely training camps       b) Gat sammelans
   c) English workshops       d) All of the above
61. Do you have any difficulties in teaching of English in your school?
   a) Yes                      b) No
62. If Yes, What are the difficulties?
   a) English text books are not available       b) Audio-visual aids are not available
   c) Students are unable to grasp       d) other
63. Do you take efforts to improve student’s interest in English language in your school?
   a) Yes                      b) No
64. If Yes, What are those efforts?
   a) Use of new teaching aids       b) Developing communication skill
   c) English language counseling       d) All of the above
65. If No, What are the reasons?
   a) I am not interested in teaching English
   b) I am not fluent in English
   c) I am not graduated in English
   d) Other
66. Do you take effort to make use of English in a day to day language of communication?
   a) Yes                      b) No
67. What efforts do you take, to make your student use English as a language of communication?
   a) Use English as a language of communication in the school
   b) You make it compulsory for your students to use English as a language of communication
   c) Your reward students good in English
   d) All of the above

68. According to you, what is the reason for making English mandatory in Marathi medium schools?
   a) Being an international language
   b) As a rivalry to Marathi medium schools
   c) To improve English communication skills
   d) All of the above

69. Do your schools have gradual decrease in enrollment?
   a) Yes 
   b) No

70. If Yes, What is the reason?
   a) Students are not preferring English medium
   b) Marathi medium has lost importance
   c) English is an international language
   d) All of the above

71. What do you think about the quality of English teaching in Marathi medium school?
   a) Yes 
   b) No

72. If Yes, What are the quality parameters?
   a) English is taught better than Marathi medium school
   b) Students can be educated in English medium
   c) Teachers are permanent
   d) All of the above

73. What do you think in good in English about your students?
   a) English speaking 
   b) English reading
   c) English writing

74. Do you have any impact of English language training on you?
   a) Yes 
   b) No
75. If Yes, What is it?
   a) You improved your English
   b) You grasped new methodology of teaching
   c) You improved your communication skills
   d) All of the above

76. Do the training programmes proved useful for you in the teaching of English?
   a) Yes b) No

77. What do you think is the remedy on reducing the gap between planning and implementation in the phases of primary education?
   a) Yes b) No

78. Do you think that the Sarva Siksha Abhiyan have proved helpful to raise the standard of primary education?
   a) Yes b) No

79. If Yes, what in what way?
APPENDIX B
QUESTIONNAIRE (For Parents)

1. Name of the Parent:
2. Permanent Address:
3. Religion: Hindu/ Muslim/ Christian/ Jain/ New Buddhist/ Other
4. Mother tongue: a) Marathi b) Hindi c) English d) Other
5. Marital status: Unmarried/Married/Widowed/ Divorced/ Other
6. Sex: Male / Female
7. Age:
8. Educational qualification:
   a) Illiterate
   b) Completed primary education
   c) Completed secondary education
   d) Completed higher secondary education
   e) Graduate
   f) Post graduate
   g) Diploma holder
   h) Vocational graduate
   i) Others
9. Name of the village:
   Tehsil:
   District:
   State:
10. Name of the Head of Family:
    Age:

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11. Type of family: a) Joint b) Isolated
12. Herechitary occupation of the family:
   a) Agriculture b) Labourer c) Service d) Business e) Other
13. Do you hold land?
   a) Yes  b) No

14. If Yes, area of the land holding:
   a) Less than an acre  b) 1 to 2 acres  c) 3 to 6 acres  
   d) 6 to 10 acres  e) 10 to 15 acres  f) 15 to 20 acres  
   g) More than 20 acres

15. No. of children:
   a) 1  b) 2  c) 3  d) 4  e) More than four  f) No children

16. Number of school going children:
   a) 1  b) 2  c) 3  d) 4  e) More than four  f) No

17. Do your children attend school regularly?
   a) Yes  b) No

18. If No, the reason is
   a) Being ill  b) The distance of school from home is more  
   c) Busy in household jobs  d) Takes care of small children  
   e) Working in the agricultural farm  f) Taking care of cattle  
   g) Misbehaving  h) Teachers in the school are not good  
   i) Disinterested in schooling

19. What is the type of the school?
   a) Govt.  b) Private  c) Individual school  
   d) Education Guarantee centre  f) Other

20. What is the medium of instruction in the school?
   a) Marathi  b) English  c) Kannada  d) Other

21. Do your children attend private coaching in the last year?
   a) Yes  b) No

22. If Yes, What is the reason?
   a) Teachers are not teaching good in the school  
   b) Wards cannot understand, what is taught in the school  
   c) Teachers in the school are unable to teach  
   d) Other
23. If No, What is the reason?
   a) Teachers are teaching good
   b) It is not necessary
   c) Tution fees is more
   d) Incapable to pay tuition fees
   e) Other

24. Does your ward receive scholarship?
   a) Yes     b) No

25. Do your ward avails free book facility in the school?
   a) Yes     b) No

26. What is student strength in your ward’s class?
   a) Less than 20   b) More than 20
   c) More than 40   d) More than 60

27. Do you satisfied with your ward’s performance in English?
   a) Yes     b) No

28. Do you happy with the teaching method of your ward’s English teacher?
   a) Yes     b) No

29. Whether audio-visual aids are available in the school?
   a) Yes     b) No

30. Do you think, it is necessary to learn English language in the contemporary age?
   a) Yes     b) No

31. Do you think, it is necessary to keep English as a mandatory language from the first standard?
   a) Yes     b) No

32. Do you think, the current syllabus is updated?
   a) Yes     b) No

33. Do you think that there is joy in learning?
   a) Yes     b) No

34. Do your ward likes poems in English book one?
   a) Yes     b) No

35. Do you consider the new English text book better than the old one?
   a) Yes     b) No

36. Do you think, the English teachers are efficient?
   a) Yes     b) No
37. Do you communicate with your English teacher on their problems of English?
   a) Yes         b) No
38. Do the teachers in the school allot homework to your ward regularly?
   a) Yes         b) No
39. Do your ward studies regularly?
   a) Yes         b) No
40. What do you use of the following to improve English learning of your ward?
    a) Animal chart          b) Alphabet chart          c) Chart of National leaders
    d) Number chart          e) All of the above
41. Do you help your ward in the process of learning?
    a) Yes         b) No
42. What is your opinion about the extra curricular activities in the school?
    a) Useful      b) Not useful
43. What is your opinion about Marathi medium teachers?
    a) Good        b) Bad
44. What is your opinion about the English of Marathi medium teachers?
    a) Good in English        b) Not good in English
45. Do you think that, it is necessary to appoint at least one English medium teacher
    in the Marathi medium school?
    a) Yes         b) No
46. Do you think that, it will be better to close all the Marathi medium schools and
    open English medium schools?
    a) Yes         b) No
47. Do you think that, it is necessary to engage remedial coaching classes of your
    ward in English subject?
    a) Yes         b) No
48. Which language you prefer, your ward should use as a language of
    communication in the school?
    a) Marathi     b) English    c) Hindi    d) Kannada
49. What do you think is difficult for your ward?
    a) English vocabulary    b) English pronunciation    c) English grammar
    d) English writing       e) English literature       f) Any other
50. What is your opinion about the contemporary govt. policies in primary education?
    a) Satisfactory    b) Not satisfactory    c) Good    d) Very good
51. What do you think is the drawback of primary education system today?
   a) Over crowded classes  b) Lack of teaching material
   c) Non-aided schools  d) Incompetence of subject teacher

52. Do you think that, the syllabus of English should only be examination oriented?
   a) Yes  b) No

53. Do your wards uses English as a language of day to day communication?
   a) Yes  b) No

54. Do you encourage your ward to watch English channels on television set?
   a) Yes  b) No

55. Do you encourage your ward to read English newspapers, magazines and novels?
   a) Yes  b) No

56. Do you purchase English CDs and VCDs of poems and plays for your ward?
   a) Yes  b) No

57. Do you assist your ward in his homework?
   a) Yes  b) No

58. Do you teach your ward English at home?
   a) Yes  b) No

59. Do you have satisfaction about the standard of contemporary primary education?
   a) Yes  b) No