APPENDIX 'A'  
QUESTIONNAIRE  

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QUESTIONNAIRE FOR STUDENTS.  

NOTE: This questionnaire is for research and not for your examination. You would help the investigation by answering the questions with care and truthfully. Hence you are requested to write your answers honestly and carefully. You have not to mention your name on the questionnaire and hence you will please reply each question without the slightest hesitation. Where answers to the questions are already given you are requested to cross those that are not applicable to you. Where answers are not printed, you are requested to write your answers in the blank space against or under the question. In case of doubt inquire of the person giving you this questionnaire. Many of the answers are to be briefly given as: 'Yes', 'No', 'Sometimes'. Where there are many alternatives given, tick mark (✓) that one which is applicable to you.  

1. Class:  
2. Age (in completed years):  
3. Mother tongue:  
4. Religion:  
   Sect:
5. Caste:

6. Whether married, betrothed or unmarried:
   (a) If married or betrothed, at what age?

7. Do you come for studies from outside?  Yes/No
   (a) If coming from outside, from how many miles?
   (b) Where do you stay for studies?  In own family
      With relatives
      With acquaintance
      In school hostels.
   (c) If you are staying for studies with a relative, what is your relation with him?

8. What is your native place?  Taluka?
   (a) How far is your village from where you study?
   (b) Do you like to stay in your native place?  Yes/No
   (c) If not, give reasons of your answer.

9. Where would you prefer to stay?  Village
   City
   Both
   Can't say
   (a) If you prefer to stay in a city then give the name of a city of your choice.

10. Which cities have you seen?
    (a) For how much time did you stay in each city?
    (b) For what purpose had you gone?
11. Do you like your house? Yes/No
   (a) Do you experience difficulty in studies for want of accommodation in house?
   (b) Do you get tired with more men in the house?
   (c) Do guests come to you? Generally who comes?
       Do you like guests coming to you?
       What have you to do in their hospitality?

12. Who is your guardian (e.g. father, uncle, brother, mother, etc.)
   (a) His age
   (b) His education
   (c) Definite information about his occupation.

13. What was the occupation of your grand-father?
   (a) His education

14. In your family, what is the total number of members permanently staying in the house in which you stay (including yourself)
   (a) Mention in the columns of the following relatives the numbers who are staying permanently in the house in which you stay with your family.

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Grand Grand Father Mother Uncle Aunt Cousins
father mother-----------------------------------------------
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<th>Brother</th>
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<th>Sister</th>
<th>Sister's</th>
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<td>wife</td>
<td>children</td>
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### 15. What is the education of your mother?
- (a) Age of your mother (if alive)

### 16. In case of serious illness, marriage or death or any such occasion of trouble in your family, which of your relatives helped your family?
- (a) Did any such occasion arise?
- (b) In case of economic stringency, which of your relatives helped?
- (c) Mention any such occasion, if arisen.

### 17. Who bears your study expenses?
- (a) Please mention the name of an institution or of a person, with his relations with you, in case they helped you towards your study expenses, from outside of your family.
- (b) Does your guardian experience economic difficulty in paying your school fees and getting books for you? Yes/No

### 18. Do you like the occupation of your father?
- Yes/No

- (a) If no, why?
- (b) Which profession do you like?

### 19. Do you feel that you are culturally advanced than your parents?

- Often
- Sometimes
- No

- (a) In which matters you felt so?
20. Is your education criticised? Yes/No
   (a) Of what type? e.g.
   (b) If you were so criticised, on what occasion?

21. Give the following information about your three fast friends.

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<th>If left, Caste Place of</th>
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22. Do you take tea or milk in the morning? Yes/No
   (a) Do you take either with it or after it any breakfast? Yes/No
   (b) What do you take in breakfast?
   (c) At what time?
   (d) Before coming to the school at what time do you have your lunch?
   (e) What do you eat then?

23. Do you take anything during the recess in the school?
   (a) Where do you eat?
   (b) What do you eat?
24. After the school time and before your evening meals, do you take something?
   (a) What time do you have your dinner?
   (b) What do you eat then?

25. At what time do you rise?
   (a) When do you retire?
   (b) At what time your family members rise?

26. At what time do you return home from the school?
   (a) What do you do after coming from the school and before your dinner time?

27. Do you do any exercise either at home or at any other place, besides that which you do at the school? Yes/No
   (a) If yes, what exercise do you do?
   (b) Do you find the P.T. period in the school tiresome? Yes/No
   (b) If yes, why?

28. What is your time for study at home?
   Morning: From to
   Evening: From to
   Time of tuition:
   Morning/Evening From to

29. Do you do any work in connection with your home?
   (a) What work do you do?
(b) How much time do you spend in it?
(c) Does that disturb your studies?
(d) Do you find it irksome?
(e) What will happen if you did not do such work?

30. Do you feel like running away from home?
(a) When did you feel so?
(b) What did you think then?

31. How do you rate yourself economically?  

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<th>Good</th>
<th>Average</th>
<th>Ordinary</th>
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What is your annual income?

32. From the following, how many clothes you have under each of the varieties? Mention the figure in the column.

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<th>Cap</th>
<th>Payjama</th>
<th>Pant</th>
<th>Short</th>
<th>Dhoti</th>
<th>Shirt</th>
<th>Coat</th>
<th>Bush-coat</th>
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<th>Do you know how to wear dhoti?</th>
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<td>Do you like to wear dhoti?</td>
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(a) What is your daily dress?
(b) Do you like it?
(c) Which dress do you like?
(d) What is your foot-wear in the school?
33. At home, do you study on table and chair or on the ground?
   (a) Do you read newspapers daily? Yes/No
       Which newspaper?
   (b) Do you read monthly magazines? Yes/No
       Which?
   (c) In the newspapers or periodicals what are your subjects of interest?

34. With whom do you talk with maximum freedom?
   (a) With whom do you talk with the least freedom in the home?
   (b) Can you talk with your father with the same freedom with which you can talk with other members in the family?
   (c) How is the relation of your father/your guardian with you? Loving, Fearful, Reserved, Equality, Un-understandable
   (d) Do you find the relation alright? Yes/No
   (e) In your family, whose behaviour you dislike?
       What is your relation with them?
       What type of behaviour do you dislike?
       Why you dislike?

35. Does your guardian inquire of you about your studies and progress?
   (a) Do you answer your guardian correctly without hesitation?
   (b) Do you fear that if you do not study, your guardian will scold you?
(c) Does your guardian ever speak about you to any of your teachers?

(d) Does any of your teachers come to your place?

36. Does your guardian show dislike towards your studies?

(a) If yes, on what occasion?

(b) In what way?

37. Do you feel that any teacher has a dislike towards you?

(a) If so, what you think is the cause of it?

38. Complete any one of the following sentences applicable to you:

(a) I like village life because____________________

(b) I like city life because____________________

39. Apart from studies, in which other activities of the school do you participate?

(a) Are there any entertainments, debates, etc, programmes done in your school?

(b) Do you participate in it?

(c) If not, why?

40. In the evening when you are free, if you have the freedom to engage yourself into an activity of your choice, what will you do?

41. In your home is there any worship/prayer done?

(a) Do you or any of your family members go to the temple?

Yes/No
When

(b) Who go?

(c) Do you participate in any such religious activities?

42. During the last year, how many films did you see?

(a) What is the frequency of your visit to films?

Weekly
Forthnightly
Monthly
Once in 2-4 month:
Occasionally
Rarely
Never

(b) Where do you go to see the film? (Name the village or city)

(c) Is your going to a film without guardian's knowledge?

Yes
No
Sometimes
Often
Always

(d) What types of films do you like?

After seeing a film what kind of thoughts you get?

What do you like in a film?

Actor
Music
Story
Editing

(e) How do you decide to go for a film?

By advertisement
Because family members decide
By other's praise
Desire to go
Because friends insist
For enjoyment.

43. Do you feel that there is any change in your life on account of study?

(a) What type of change?
44. What is your desire after passing the S.S.C.?

- Further studies
- Service
- Farming
- Handicraft
- Business

(a) How will you decide on what you should do after your S.S.C.?

- According to your choice
- According to your and father's/guardian's choice
- Against your desire, by your father's or guardian's choice
- According to the studies of your brothers and sisters.

(b) If you are to study further after S.S.C. which line would you prefer?

- Arts
- Science
- Commerce
- Medicine
- Engineering
- Technical
- Any other

(c) Will you decide about it yourself or under compulsion from father or guardian?

(d) In case of non-admission to the line of your choice what will you do?

- Go for any line
- Leave studies

45. How do you rate yourself in matter of studies?

- Very good
- Good
- Average
- Ordinary
- Weak

46. What is the total annual income of all the earning members in your family?

(If you cannot say please mention so)
47. Which religion is followed in your family?
Is any worship done at your place?
Who does it?
Of whose?
Is any religious book read daily?
Which?
Is any common prayer done in your home?
Are you interested in it?
If not done, do you wish it to be done?

48. Do you put any religious mark on any part of your body? Yes/No
(e.g. Tilak, Bhabhuti, Trishul, etc. on the forehead).
If yes, which mark and on what part of the body? Please draw diagram.
Do your parents put any such mark? Yes/No
If yes, which, on what part of the body and what type of mark?