

**AFFECTING FACTORS INFLUENCING THE DETERIORATION
OF STUDENTS DISCIPLINE IN SECONDARY SCHOOLS IN
JOHORE**

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Background of Problem

- ❑ Discipline problem among secondary school students really obvious and always emerged in the local newspapers and this situation disappointing all the parents and society generally.
- ❑ Star newspaper reported that 28 case discipline problem from January to July 2000. (Sunday Star, July 9, 2000).
- ❑ Berita Harian, 4 November 1998, reported that an average five percent out of 2,500 students of Sekolah Menengah Ibrahim Fikri, Seberang Takir have had playing truant. This meant that 250 of the students were found that they committed the problem everyday.
- ❑ The fact is the problem among secondary school students is getting serious and all party should pay more attention due to that the students were our nation unworthy assets.

Problem Statements

- ❑ The deterioration of discipline among students is getting serious and this happening problem is because of the individual attitude that lack of faith and self defence to avoid them from getting influence by unwanted element to them. They were acting just by following their gut and feeling.
- ❑ Friend is an affecting factor that can influenced other students' discipline. If the friend values like ignoring the hardworking, responsibility, cooperation, respecting teachers, and abiding rules, then thats the attitude of the students. Instead, the positive social value of friend also can create persons with the good moral value in the society such as leadership, tolerable and cooperative.

Problem Statements

- ❑ The environmental influences can motivate the persons to whether positive or negative side. The availability of internet, video and VCD more or less can give the social impact to the students. This is because the students were easily vulnerable to those thing and they usually will try to practice on their own of what they have had seen
- ❑ Thus, the researcher would like to study the affecting factors that cause the deterioration of the discipline among secondary school students from four district in Johor state.

Research Questions

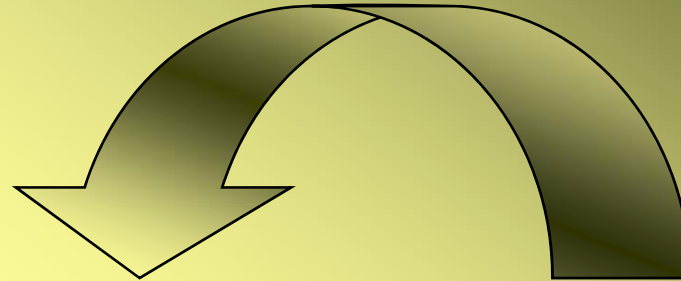
- ☐ What is the most dominant factor that cause the deterioration of the students' discipline whether the student attitude, friend, family, school climate, teachers or the environment among the students of secondary school
- ☐ What is the perception of discipline teachers regarding the skill and capability in handling the discipline.
- ☐ What is the teachers perception to the requirement of training for discipline teachers in managing the students discipline problems.
- ☐ What are the discipline problems from the perception of the discipline teachers

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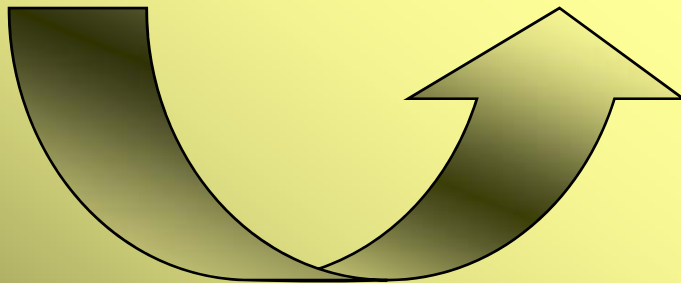
- ☐ Is there a significant difference between the affecting factors that influenced the deterioration of students discipline by gender.
- ☐ Is there a significant difference between the perception of discipline teachers to the skill in managing the students discipline by gender.
- ☐ Is there a significant difference between the requirement of training for the discipline teachers by gender.
- ☐ Is there a significant difference between the perception of discipline teachers to the discipline problems among students by gender.

Research Methodology

- ❑ Research Design – Interview
- ❑ Research Location – Secondary school in district of Johor Bahru, Daerah Kulai, Pasir Gudang and Kota Tinggi
- ❑ Research Subject –
 - Population- The research subject were consisted of 200 of discipline teachers from twenty secondary schools from the mentioned districts.
 - Research Sample – batch on batch sampling
- ❑ Research instrument - Questionnaire
- ❑ Questionnaire form retrieval/recovery rate - 90.9 percent questionnaire sets retrieved and collected out of 220 distributed set of questionnaires.
- ❑ Literature Review
- ❑ Research Procedures
 - Application – to Department of Planning and Research, Ministry of Malaysian Education via Universiti Teknologi Malaysia.
 - Approval – from Faculty of Education, Universiti Teknologi Malaysia done. Approval from Department of Education of Johore to conduct the research to the selected school. With the cooperation from the Principals, teachers, discipline teachers, the data collection and complete order for each question of the questionnaire were done.
 - The questionnaires distributed to the selected school and recollected.
- ❑ Data Analysis activity



DATA ANALYSIS BY RESEARCH QUESTIONS



RESEARCH QUESTION 1 :

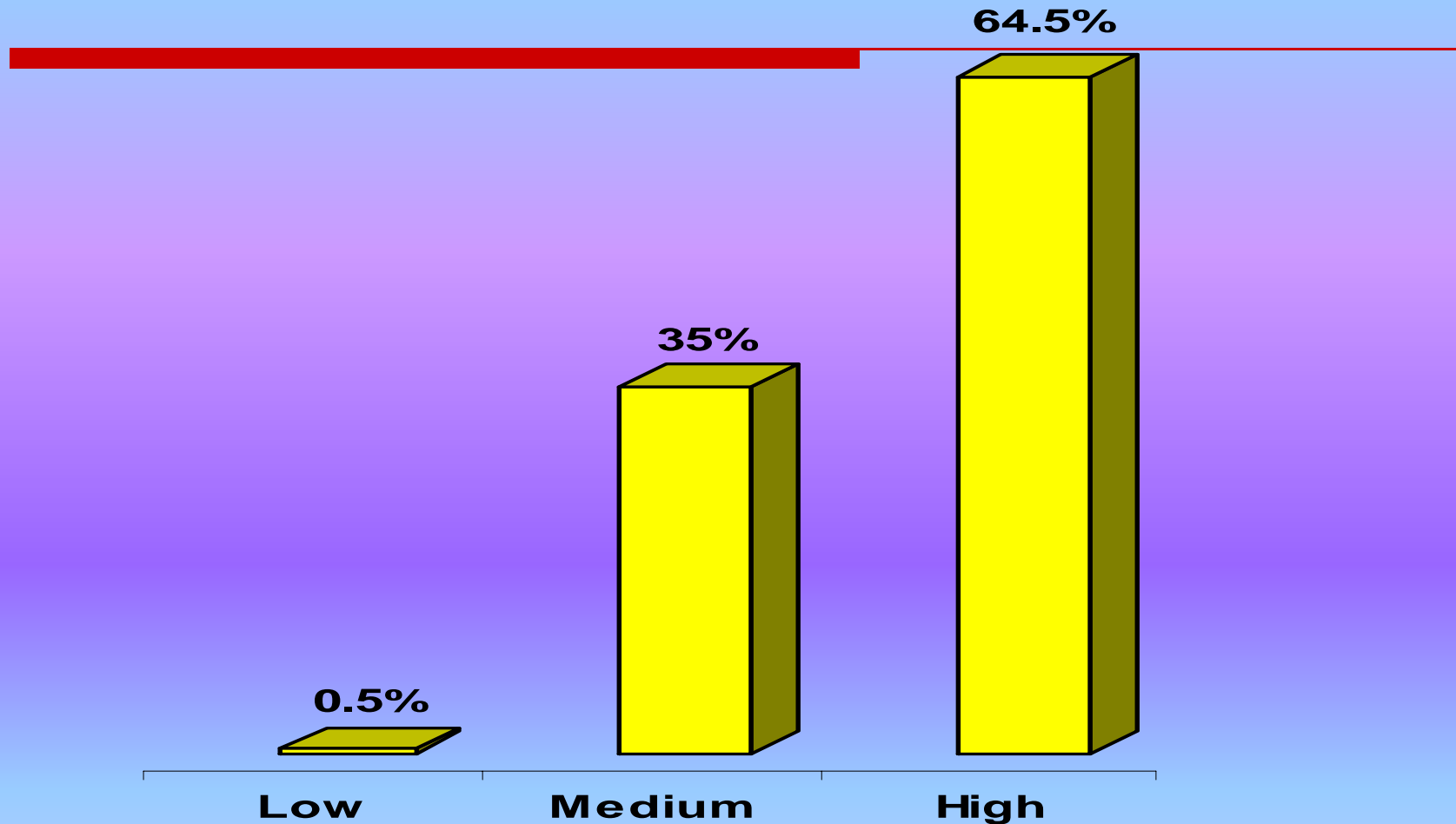
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Bil	Affecting Factors to Students Discipline	Min
1	Student Attitude	3.1
2	Friend	3.57
3	Family	3.39
4	School Climate	3.25
5	Teacher	3.27
6	Environment	3.53

Respondent Distribution by the Level of Affecting Factors to Students Discipline

RESEARCH QUESTION 2 :

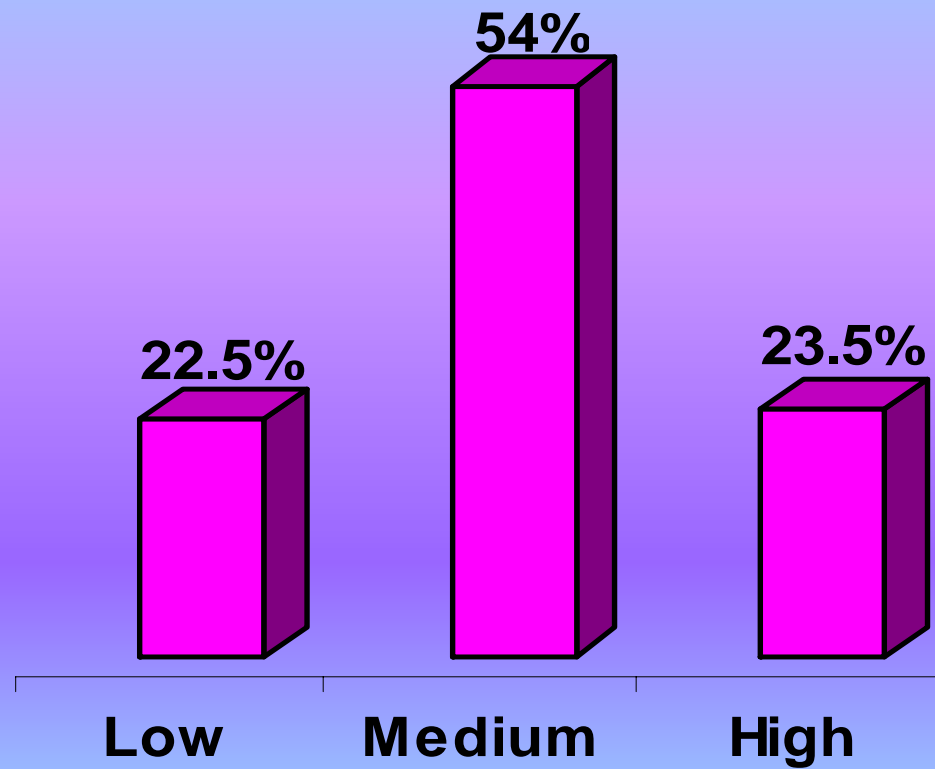
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Respondent Distribution by the level of discipline teachers perception to the skill in managing the discipline

RESEARCH QUESTION 3 :

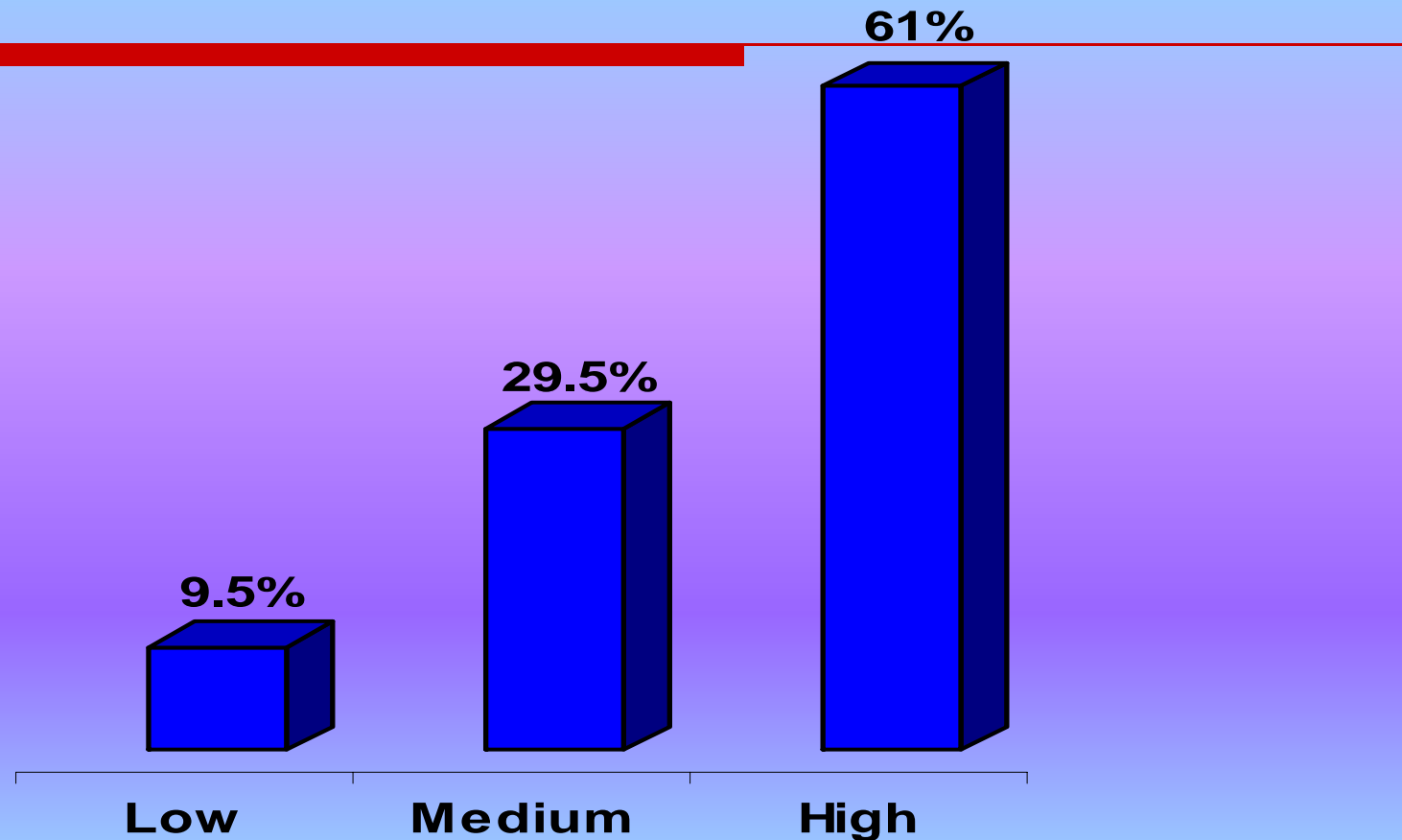
What is the teachers perception to the requirement of training for discipline teachers in managing the students discipline problems.



Respondent Distribution by the level of the requirement of training for discipline teachers in managing the students discipline problems.

RESEARCH QUESTION 4 :

What are the discipline problems from the perception of the discipline teachers



Respondent Distribution by the level of the discipline problems from the perception of the discipline teachers

RESEARCH QUESTION 5 :

Is there a significant different between the affecting factors that influenced the deterioration of students discipline by gender.

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- **Ho1.1 There is no significant different between the factor of students attitude to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – ACCEPTED**
 - **Ho 1.2 There is no significant different between factor of friends to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – ACCEPTED**
 - **Ho 1.3 There is no significant different between factor of family to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – REJECTED**
 - **Ho 1.4 There is no significant different between factor of school climate to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – ACCEPTED**
 - **Ho 1.5 There is no significant different between factor of teachers to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – REJECTED**
 - **Ho 1.6 There is no significant different between factor of environment to the deterioration of disciplin by gender – ACCEPTED**

Research Question 6 :

Is there a significant different between the perception of discipline teachers to the skill in managing the students discipline by gender.

- **Ho 2 There is no significant different between the perception of discipline teachers to the skill in managing the students discipline by gender-- ACCEPTED**

Research Question 7 :

What is the teachers perception to the requirement of training for discipline teachers in managing the students discipline problems.

- **Ho 3 There is no significant different between the teachers perception to the requirement of training for discipline teachers in managing the students discipline problems by gender– REJECTED**
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Researcher's Recommendation

- ❑ Ministry of Education together with school parties must take several prevention steps such as organizing a suitable seminars, workshops and courses to reduce the deterioration of students diciplines.
 - ❑ Youth's activity center need to be active with activities which can provide skills so the youngsters can use their skill for their benefits. Besides that, talks, religions guidance classes and sports recreation were needed in the development of their attitude.
 - ❑ Interstate abd country youth's exchanges can increse their knowledge and experience.
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Researcher's Recommendation

- ❑ Curing program in community and institution under Jabatan Kebajikan Masyarakat must be studied from time to time so that the plans and the programs were align with youth needs and environment.
 - ❑ Media's role also need to habe serious attention in order to barricade the unhealthy syndroms.
 - ❑ Caunselling advice service in school plays an important roles in helping the teenager overcome their problems.
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Recommendation for further research

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- ❑ This study involved only the school's discipline teacher in 20 secondary school in Johor. Thus, study can be conducted to the other teachers
 - ❑ Since this study was only done at four school, further study can be conducted in more schools
 - ❑ The scope of this study only focus on the discipline's teachers perception towards the deterioration of secondary school students. Further study scope could include the perceptions of their parents and surroundings people.
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Sekian, Terima Kasih

Wassalam.



*Sesungguhnya yang baik itu datangnyanya dari Allah S.W.T dan
Segala kelemahan adalah atas kekurangan penyetidik.*

