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ABSTRACT

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This study was conducted to determine Preferred Disciplinary Measures and Level of Moral Values of Selected Pupils in Banaba Cerca Elementary School, SY 2008-2009.

The general of the study aimed to: determine the demographic profile of the respondents in terms of age, gender, grade level and occupation and educational attainment of parents; determine the preferred disciplinary measures of the respondents; evaluate the level of moral values of the pupils in terms of their nationalism, human dignity, social responsibility, life sustenance and spirituality; determine if demographic profile significantly related to the level of moral values of the respondents; and determine if the preferred disciplinary measure significantly related to the level of moral values of the respondents.

This study employed the Point Biserial Correlation Coefficient, Chi-square Correlation Coefficient, Spearman Ranked and t-test statistics. The method utilized in the study is descriptive- correlational method. The respondents are gathered by the use of purposive sampling and stratified sampling. A validated disciplinary measure test and level of moral values test were administered to determine preferred disciplinary measures and the level of moral values. The respondents of this study were 102 Grades V

and VI pupils of Banaba Cerca Elementary School. Results revealed that the preferred disciplinary measure of the respondents were the positive disciplinary approach.

The demographic profile in terms of age, gender and grade level of the respondents has a significant relationship to their level of moral values, while their parents educational attainment and occupation have no significant relationship with their level of moral values.

The level of moral values of the respondents was very high with the total mean score of 4.37.

Preferred disciplinary measures and level of moral values of the respondents were significantly related with each other based on the total significance score of .004.

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INTRODUCTION

Children spent most of their time in school because it is their right to have education. While they were inside the school, they learn many things, expanding their knowledge to the real world, mingle with friends and exploring new things. It is their second home, their natural environment. They learn and adopt many things in school that could affect their lives, socially, spiritually and morally. Young children learn values through exposure to variety of meaningful experiences and through interaction to the environment. Therefore, the sources of this attitudes and values are the significant people in their lives, primarily the teachers and parents that influence their decisions. As part of their natural development, children sometimes challenge or test parental and adult