

Title :Profiles, Problems, and Recommendations for Improvement of School Environment Under Office of Primary Education, Chiangrai Province
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The purposes of this study were to find out the profiles, problems and recommendations of environment in the primary schools under Office of Primary Education, Chiangrai Province. Proposals for improving the environmental status was also given. Areas of study included utilization of school areas, space and buildings, and sanitation systems. Three hundred and sixty samples, drawn by random sampling techniques, composed of three groups of personnel, school administrators, supervisors, and school board members.

Data were obtained by a set of questionnaires. The first part was a checklist type designed to obtain data. The second part was a five-rating scales type designed to obtain profiles and problems of environment in schools. The third part was an open-ended type designed to obtain approaches to improve environment.

Statistics applied in analysis of data were percentage, arithmetic mean, and standard deviation.

From analysis of data, the followings were found:

1. School administrators, supervisors, and school committee expressed their opinions, as a whole, that all aspects supervisors expressed their opinions that the utilization of school area was at the highest level followed by the utilization of school plans and the management of sanitary system was at the lowest level. School committee determined that the utilization of school area and school plants were at the same level and the lowest one was the management of sanitary system.

2. School administrators, supervisors, and school committee expressed their opinions, as a whole, that all aspects were at the medium level. All three groups expressed the same opinion that the highest problem was management of sanitary systems followed by the utilization of school plants and the lowest one was the utilization of school areas.

3. It was highly recommended from the three groups of respondent that good planning for utilizing of the three areas should be seriously considered. Authorities and experts in each area should be consulted.