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This research was designed to study the environmental problem state, environmental education policy and environmental education administration of the elementary schools in order to construct, and evaluate the appropriate environmental education model for the elementary schools in Bangkok Metropolis

Data was collected from selected case studies of 18 administrators, 52 elementary teachers and 381 students in Prathomsuksa 6, from 18 elementary schools in Bangkok. Observation, indepth interview, documentary research and questionnaires were used to gather the data, which after analysis and synthesis was used to construct the environmental education model for the elementary schools in Bangkok. The researcher further employed expert judgement and criticism by applying Eisner's evaluation model, in order to come up with an appropriate environmental education model for the elementary schools in Bangkok.

The appropriate environmental education model for the elementary schools in Bangkok Metropolis consists of 4 parts. The first is the structure of the environmental education model; the second is the significance, the principles and the objectives of the environmental education model; the third is the process of environmental education management relevant to the environmental education model; and the last is the instruments for its implementation.

The result of the experts' judgement found that the environmental education model for the elementary schools in Bangkok Metropolis was appropriate, feasible, beneficial and harmonious with environmental education objectives. The elementary schools in Bangkok could easily use the appropriate environmental education model to implement environmental education in schools.