

THESIS TITLE : A FOLLOW-UP OF QUALITY ASSURANCE OPERATION IN THE
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ABSTRACT

The purposes of the study were to study the practice of the quality assurance in secondary schools, to identify problems according to the operation, and to compile some suggestions for promoting the quality assurance standards. The sampling groups included 36 academic assistant principals, 36 planning section heads and 195 subject heads. The developed questionnaires were used for collecting data which 96.62% of the copies were returned. The earned data were analyzed for finding percentage, means and standard deviations.

The Results

1. The schools carried on the quality assurance standards “moderately” both in general and 3 sets which were the process, the inputs and the product standards.
2. There were “moderate” problems in carrying on the practice in administration and management, in curriculum and instruction, in buildings and environment, and in personnel administration.

3. For promoting the quality assurance standards the following should be done :

- 1) The teachers should recognize their roles and the assigned jobs well, qualitatively and efficiently.
- 2) The principals should organize activities for the school personnel with unity, prestige and ethics, including cooperating for organization development.
- 3) The schools should carry on training, seminar and meeting for informing the practice.
- 4) The schools should set and announce the expected characteristics of the students according to the standards and the quality assurance indicators for informing students, guardians and community for promoting cooperation seriously.
- 5) The schools should carry on planning for implementing the quality assurance standards.