

Research Question:How do family fun activities encourage family/parent involvement?

The independent variable of my research is the parent's involvement with the child and their education.

Question:How much did you assist your child in this activity? (scale question 0-10)

Dependent variable:Do you think being involved in this activity will encourage your child's academic success in the future?

The project is done through Head Start and it is given to 51 students from low-income families. They are going to have an activity to do every day for one week. The activities throughout the week are sent home with the students and they are to do them and the parents are expected to be involved and help their child. These questions are well written out and how they help with survey research is that the questions are simple to understand. The questions are also straightforward. One of the two questions deals with a scale from 0-10 showing how much the parent assisted the child with the activity, so this shows parent involvement with the child. Then the second question showed a simple format and the answers could be yes, no, maybe, not applicable. This was to help with quick answers and get feedback fast. Also with the best practice for survey research it is easy to get information back quickly and in an efficient time from a large number of people at once. Survey research is also cheaper to do than other research.