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THE ABSTRACT

Abstract

There are many factors that influence success and failure of students in their studies. This study examined the attributes of academic success and failure of UiTM Shah Alam students. The respondents will be selected randomly from four faculties such as Faculty of Administrative Science (FSPPP), Faculty of Civil Engineer (FKA), Faculty of Sport Science (FSR) and Faculty of Information and Quantitative Science (FTMSK). The questionnaires were distributed to the students to gain responses. The objectives of the study are to determine whether motivation, personality, learning ability and family background influence academic performance. The statistical test use in this study are Bivariate Pearson Correlation, Two-Way Anova and One – Way Anova.The study shows that motivation and learning ability influence academic performance the most; however personality and family background does not influence students' academic performance.

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