

**TO INVESTIGATE THE CAUSES OF SUICIDAL CASES IN SECONDARY  
SCHOOLS IN MURARANDIA ZONE, KIHARU DIVISION,  
MURANG'A COUNTY, KENYA.**

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## **ABSTRACT**

Cases of suicide among teenagers is increasing in Kenya today. The objective of the study is to investigate the causes of suicidal cases in secondary schools found in Murarandia zone , Kahuro division, Murang'a county. The study seeks to establish the factors that contribute to suicidal cases among students in Kenyan schools and to analyze the strategies to be used to address the problem. The study will employ descriptive design and it will be carried out in public secondary schools in Murarandia zone, Kahuro division, Murang'a County. The target population will be teachers, students and parents in all public secondary schools in Murarandia zone. The study will use stratified random sampling method. The study will also use questionnaires and interview for data collection purposes. Qualitative data will be analyzed and presented by use of tables, groups, graphs and percentages.