

**AN INVESTIGATION ON THE IMPACTS OF FREE DAY SECONDARY
SCHOOL EDUCATION IN MWALA DISTRICT, MACHAKOS COUNTY,
EASTERN KENYA**

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ABSTRACT

The purpose of this study will be to establish the impacts of Free Day Secondary Education in Mwala District, Machakos County, Eastern Kenya.. The overall and long term aim of this study will be to find out how FDSE has contributed to the community development and whether or not it has enhanced attainment of basic education in the area under study, among other positive and negative impacts. . The findings of this study are expected to lay bare the positive and negative impacts of FDSE in Mwala District, Machakos County in order to find very practical means of decimating the negative impacts , while accelerating the positive ones. Chapter one focuses on the analysis of the background of the study, the general objectives of the study, main variable of the research study, specific objectives, significance of the study, research questions, scope of the study and assumption.

Chapter two is the literature review. It entails the critical appreciation where the researcher gives views about the study while referring to past research carried out by the other experts in the same field. The chapter describes the empirical framework, theoretical framework and conceptual framework.

Chapter three analyzes the research design, target population, sample and sampling procedures, research instruments, validity of the instruments, pilot study, data collection procedures and data presentation and analysis.