

**CAUSES OF POOR PERFORMANCE IN MATHEMATICS
IN KALAMA DIVISION, MACHAKOS COUNTY.**

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ABSTRACT

This study was conducted with an aim of finding out the factors that cause poor performance of mathematics in Kalama Division. The study involved mathematics teachers and form three and four students in four Secondary schools. Motivation, absenteeism, learning facilities and drug abuse were critical areas of concern.

The study aimed at finding out the factors leading to upliftment of the dismal performance of Mathematics in Kalama Division.