

APPENDIX - F

TRY OUT ITEMS OF PEER INFLUENCE SCALE WITH
FACILITY & VALIDITY INDICES

Sr. No.	Items	Indices of	
		Facility	Validity
1.	Sitting on the front benches	69	25
*2.	Submitting home work in time	69	30
3.	Joining tuition classes	x	x
*4.	Preparing for examination from quite a long time	69	30
5.	Observing silence in the library	65	35
6.	Remaining absent in the classes for petty reasons	50	15
*7.	Trying for good hand-writing	82	30
*8.	Requesting teachers for extra help in studies if necessary	75	30
9.	Using unfair means in the examination	69	45
10.	Smoking cigarette	x	x
*11.	Competing for the first three positions in the class	65	30
12.	Going for movie during school period	69	40
13.	Enjoying by mimicking Teachers	65	40
14.	Helping friends in the test	31	5
*15.	Joining Debating competition	58	45
16.	Tearing of pages instead of taking down notes from library books	75	30
*17.	Doing own work instead of chatting when the teacher is absent in the class	75	40
18.	Solving crossword puzzle	65	40
19.	Giving no importance to class tests/weekly tests.	56	25

Sr. No.	Items	Facility index	Validity index
20.	Teasing serious classmates	x	x
*21.	Putting questions in the class	75	35
22.	Making noise in the class whenever the teacher is absent	65	45
*23.	Reading newspaper in the library	61	30
*24.	Writing for school magazine	69	50
25.	Admiring strict invigilating teachers	69	30
*26.	Joining quizz competition	58	35
27.	Listening cricket commentary during the class.	75	45
28.	Preferring to sit on the last benches	69	35
*29.	Writing for magazine/newspaper	61	25
30.	Enjoying in teasing boys/girls who pass by our school road	x	x
*31.	Taking down notes in the class very carefully.	75	30
*32.	Listening regularly school broadcasting programme	75	30
*33.	Helping classmates in study matters	75	40
34.	Writing remarks in the library books	x	x
*35.	Giving more importance to text books rather than note books and guides.	48	20
36.	Passing answer scripts among the friends in the examination hall	75	40
37.	Avoiding class tests/weekly tests	69	40
*38.	Developing the habit of dictionary reading	69	40
39.	Spoiling plants in school garden	75	40
40.	Joining N.C.C./Scouts/Guides	x	x

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41.	Following the advice given by the teachers	75	30
*42.	Trying to get highest marks in the examination	75	35
43.	Playing chess	61	25
44.	Playing truant from the school	x	x
45.	Reading story books during the class	75	45
46.	Trying to answer the questions asked by the teacher in the class	75	40
47.	Making a hasty and last moment preparation for examination	55	30
48.	Stealing books, pens of the class-mates.	x	x
*49.	Meeting teachers outside the class to know more about the lessons.	65	35
*50.	Borrowing books from the library	75	45
51.	Encouraging petty quarrels among the classmates.	69	40
52.	Considering only those as friends who help in the examination hall.	61	30
53.	Joining in excursions, picnics organised by the school	69	30
54.	Sitting in the street corners passing comments	x	x
55.	Pretending to be attentive in the class	69	55
56.	Spoiling library books	75	40
*57.	Trying to join in the inter-school competition	69	35
58.	Taking help from others in work experience	61	30

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59.	Aiming at coming out somehow in the examination	69	45
*60.	Asking teachers about recent informations on various topics.	75	35
*61.	Developing different hobbies like stamp collection, photo collection	56	25
*62.	Studying by discussion with friends before examination	75	30
63.	Destroying and misusing school property	x	x
*64.	Joining science club/literary club	65	45
*65.	Trying to solve difficult mathematical problems during recess hours.	75	40
*66.	Discussing current news from the newspaper/magazine	69	25
67.	Criticising teachers attitude towards the class	48	20
68.	Not bothering about the examination	61	35
*69.	Doing work experience without others help	75	45
*70.	Joining in essay competition	65	45

* Items selected for final tool.