

Datasets: Teachers managing overcrowded classroom

Codebook:

Participant	Gender	Experience	Subjects taught	Added experience
S1P1 (School 1, participant 1)	Female	29 years	Afrikaans First additional language (FAL) Gr. 4 and 5	
S1P2 (School 1, participant 2)	Female	18 years	English Home Language (HL) Grade 4 and 5, Afrikaans FAL Grade 7	
S1P3 (School 1, participant 3)	Male	17 years	Mathematics Grade 6 and 7	HOD for Science and Mathematics
S1P4 (School 1, participant 4)	Male	15 years	Creative Arts Grade 7, Social Sciences Grade 5 and 6, Life Skills Grade 5, Technology Grade 7	
S1P5 (School 1, participant 5)	Male	21 years	Mathematics and Natural Sciences Grade 5	
S1P6 (School 1, participant 6)	Female	8 years	Afrikaans FAL Grade 5-7, English HL Grade 7	
S2P1 (School 2, participant 1)	Female	10 years	English HL Grade 7	HOD for languages
S2P2 (School 2, participant 2)	Female	6 years	Life Skills Grade 4-6, Natural Science Grade 6	
S2P3 (School 2, participant 3)	Female	32 years	Afrikaans FAL Grade 4	
S2P4 (School 2, participant 4)	Female	25 years	English HL Grade 6	
S2P5 (School 2, participant 5)	Female	15 years	Social Sciences Grade 6	HOD for Social Sciences and Economic Management Sciences. Before teaching: facilitator, trainer, curriculum development
S2P6 (School 2, participant 6)	Female	30 years	Afrikaans FAL Grade 7	Deputy Principal

Themes:

Theme 1: The impact of Covid-19 on the management of overcrowded classrooms.	Subtheme 1.1: Impact of schools operating at 50% capacity Subtheme 1.2: Covid-19 impact on learners' emotional well-being
Theme 2: Managing academic needs in overcrowded classrooms.	Subtheme 2.1: Choice theory and overcrowded classrooms Subtheme 2.2: Managing discipline in overcrowded classrooms Subtheme 2.3: Negative aspects of overcrowded classrooms Subtheme 2.3: Dealing with the challenges caused by overcrowded classrooms Subtheme 2.4: Motivating teachers in overcrowded classrooms
Theme 3: How management supports teachers with overcrowded classrooms.	Subtheme 3.1: Understanding and support by the school management