

## **A STUDY OF E-WASTE MANAGEMENT IN RELATION TO AWARENESS AMONG SENIOR SECONDARY STUDENTS**

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### **ABSTRACT**

With the increased demand for newer, better electronics, the E-Waste that is generated continues to escalate. This declared a need of “a public awareness program addressing the problem of E-Waste. Hence, there is a need to raise awareness of the destructive effects of E-Waste on the environment and the need to educate community members on how to recycle E-Waste. The fact is, environmental waste has health implications and poses threat to both the environment and humankind. Thus, information about the types of waste generated and how they are disposed off and subsequently utilized is of concern worthy of investigation in urban and rural schools. Regular surveys and evaluation of waste management practices on a systematic and continuous basis over a period is necessary and can be of considerable assistance. This calls for a study that aims at evaluate the awareness among senior secondary school students’ towards e-waste management practices. A study of young people’s waste management practices is Crucial because young people ultimately either play a significance role in Contribution to the waste menace or provide solution to the near future environmental waste issues or both. Children need to have the appropriate orientation, the required skills, positive attitude and commitment to take the initiative towards solving existing environmental problems and preventing new ones in order to sustain the environment.

**KEY WORDS:** E-Waste Management, E-Waste Awareness.

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