

Quantitative Research Methods

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6-1 Assignment: Quantitative Research Methods

The correct data collection method is crucial when designing a quantitative research project. Given their efficiency in gathering information from large populations, I would use surveys to collect data. Surveys align well with my research question on the impact of educational interventions on student performance, allowing for standardized data collection on variables such as test scores, study habits, and socio-economic backgrounds.

To ensure high validity, I would begin piloting the survey to identify and rectify any ambiguous or biased questions. This step is essential to ensure the questions accurately capture the intended data. Additionally, expert reviews can enhance content validity by verifying that the survey comprehensively covers all relevant aspects of the research question.

Ensuring high reliability involves implementing standardized procedures for data collection. Clear instructions for participants are crucial to maintaining consistency. I would also conduct test-retest reliability assessments by administering the survey to the same participants at different times, ensuring that the results are consistent over time.

By carefully selecting a suitable data collection method and rigorously testing for validity and reliability, the study will produce robust and trustworthy findings, contributing valuable insights to educational research.