

# SCERT REPORT

## Issue One: SCERT Online Teaching Experience Survey

### SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

Please refer to the SCERT Report Issue 1: SCERT Online Teaching Experience Survey for more information and resources

#### *Pros of Online Teaching (Pg.4)*

1. Flexibility and convenience of online teaching
2. Planning online content
3. Maintaining connection with students
4. Parent presence

#### *Cons of Online Teaching (Pg.5)*

1. Difficulties motivating students
2. Decrease in quality of social connections
3. Technological issues
4. Lack of hands-on activities

#### *Student Engagement and Behaviour (Pg.6-7)*

- Engagement varied depending on the distractions at home, the length of the online learning session, and the nature of the online activity
- Strategies to keep students engaged: interactive activities, discussions, audiovisual aids, etc
- Behaviours increased at the beginning of the online learning period
- Providing clear expectations of behaviour online helped students understand the online platforms and etiquette

#### *Student Social Connectedness and Emotional Well-Being (Pg.8-11)*

- High reports of social connectedness between students and between students and their teachers
- Development of social skills varied depending on student's age and level of functioning
- Online learning was able to support the emotional well-being of students by giving them structure and a sense of purpose
- Students exhibited positive emotional responses

