



School Feeding Programmes and Academic Performance Among Primary School Students in West African Countries: A Survey Analysis

Ali Moustapha Dafé¹, Mamadou Ndiondé¹, Seyni Ali Fafa¹

¹ University of the Comoros

Published: 09 August 2007 | **Received:** 19 April 2007 | **Accepted:** 03 July 2007

Correspondence: adaf@gmail.com

DOI: [10.5281/zenodo.18860425](https://doi.org/10.5281/zenodo.18860425)

Author notes

Ali Moustapha Dafé is affiliated with University of the Comoros and focuses on African Studies research in Africa.

Mamadou Ndiondé is affiliated with University of the Comoros and focuses on African Studies research in Africa.

Seyni Ali Fafa is affiliated with University of the Comoros and focuses on African Studies research in Africa.

Abstract

School feeding programmes (SFPs) are implemented in various countries to improve student nutrition and academic performance. A survey was conducted among a sample of primary school students and their parents/caregivers to assess the effectiveness of SFPs. The analysis revealed that students who participated in SFPs showed an improvement in academic performance by 15% compared to those not participating. SFPs have a positive effect on primary school students' academic outcomes, warranting their continued implementation and evaluation. Investment in SFPs should be prioritised alongside other educational reforms to enhance student well-being and learning environments. School Feeding Programmes, Academic Performance, West Africa, Primary Education

Keywords: *African geography, nutrition intervention, educational outcomes, cross-sectional study, socio-economic indicators, child development, school-based interventions*

ABSTRACT-ONLY PUBLICATION

This is an abstract-only publication. The complete research paper with full methodology, results, discussion, and references is available upon request.

✉ **REQUEST FULL PAPER**

Email: info@parj.africa

Request your copy of the full paper today!

SUBMIT YOUR RESEARCH

Are you a researcher in Africa? We welcome your submissions!

Join our community of African scholars and share your groundbreaking work.

Submit at: app.parj.africa



Scan to visit app.parj.africa

Open Access Scholarship from PARJ

Empowering African Research | Advancing Global Knowledge