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The paper must be typed in MS Word, using a 12-point font and double spacing.

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The paper can be an empirical research, case study, and/or review paper. Length of the paper should be within 5000 to 6000 words including, abstract, references and appendices.

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There should be an abstract of the paper, not exceeding 250 words. Written in italics, the abstract should include brief background, research aim, methodology, findings, recommendations, and overall contribution of the study.

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The paper should add five to six key words linked with the title of the study.

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The introduction section must focus on the background, statement of the problem and significance of the study clearly.

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- Authoritarian parenting style results in worse children's educational outcome (Majumder, 2015).
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- Demandingness, in the words of Baumrind (1991, pp. 61-62), "refers to the claims parents make on children to become integrated into the family whole, by their maturity demands, supervision, disciplinary efforts and willingness to confront the child who disobeys".

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