

PREFACE

The primary purpose of this study “IMPACT OF TELEVISION ON SCHOOL GOING CHILDREN (WITH SPECIAL REFERENCE TO SOLAPUR CITY)” is to fulfill the partial requirements of M.Phil. course in social work, instituted by Shivaji University.

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