

ABSTRACT

Title: A Phenomenological Study of Lived Experiences Transfer Students

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The study aimed to know what is the transitional challenges that they faced, and how they use the support that they received to overcome all the challenges and if they feel appreciated, welcomed, and supported from the new institution.

This phenomenological study was conducted to describe the experiences of transfer students during their transition period to their new environment. The main sources of data were from the interviews and focus group discussion participated in by selected grade 11 students of Gen. E. Aguinaldo National High School. Lichtman's 3Cs of qualitative data analysis was done to analyze and interpret the results of the study.

The three themes emerged from the experiences are: The Alpha, The Wave, The Seawall, and The Omega.