Article Critique

The purpose of this assignment is to evaluate the effectiveness of the literature by analyzing an Action Research article.

Please add an APA citation at the top of your Critique.

Questions for discussion:
1. How effective do you think the author’s sample is?
2. Did the author suggest any limitations to this study? If not, what do you think some limitations might be?
3. How well did the author try to connect this study with you?
4. Describe the author’s methodology:
   a. –
   b. –
   c. –
   d. –
   e. –
   This does not suggest there are 5 steps. I merely wish for you to list the steps in an orderly fashion as best you can make out from the article.
5. Look at the research consulted by the author.
   a. How many sources are there?
   b. How many are books?
   c. How many are articles?
   d. What is the oldest source? The newest? Most frequent?
6. Is it possible to contact the author with questions or comments?
7. What is the Research Focus of the article? (Remember, the Research Focus in a one sentence summary of the author’s findings. A Research Focus is to a Qualitative Researcher what an hypothesis is to a Statistician.)
8. What is your concluding opinion of the effectiveness of this article as an addition to the body of literature on the issue? Give a thoughtful, balanced assessment. Don’t be overly critical unless you really feel that it is deserving, and don’t be too generous simply because this article was printed.