

ABSTRACT

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The description of sibling rivalry in identical twin adolescent girls (Yulia S. Singgih, psi. dan Meiske Y. Suparman, psi.); Bachelor degree in Psychology, Tarumanagara University (97 pages + P1-P6).

Twins births are a unique phenomenon. Two individuals that's has same physical appearance. Twin adolescent usually had been compare from their trait, achievement; socialize ability, and the others. They always were together with the same appearance too. It means that twin adolescent have to it each other. This research purpose is to acknowledge the description of sibling rivalry in identical twin adolescent girls. Sibling rivalry means antagonism or hostility between brothers and/or sisters. These are become the reaction from twin adolescent against their parent treatment and others people around them. Subjects for this research totally 16 adolescents; consist of eight pairs of identical twin adolescent girls. Interviews begin from 24 November 2006 until 22 February 2007. From this research, had been found that twins adolescent rivalry to get attention from their parents, teachers, and friends, compete to be good at subject and achievement, and they jealous each other. At another situation, they support each other too. There are some factors to cause sibling rivalry among twins adolescent and there are some other factors should cause twins adolescent become near each other. Sibling rivalry can occur in negative and positive form and the impact can be in positive and negative for twins adolescent.

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