

ABSTRACT

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Relationship between mate preference and self monitoring of young adult.
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This research is to know mate preference criteria of young adult, evaluated from self monitoring. The researcher groups seven criteria of choosing a mate generally, namely personality and social characteristic based on Olson and DeFrain (2006) like age, races, nation, education, social economic and religion. Researcher also grouping the seven criteria based on Sprecher, Sullivan, and Hatfield (1994). It's assumed that people with high self monitoring and low self monitoring get's different flexibility at choosing a mate. This research employs 116 single young adult participants. Using pearson correlation evaluated from self monitoring researcher found different flexibility of mate preference. ($r(116) = -0,126, p < 0,01$).

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