



# Parent's education: A big factor for enhancing self-esteem among adolescence

■ Sunita and Pinki Rani\*

Department of Human Development and Family Studies, College of Home Science, C.C.S. Haryana Agricultural University, Hisar (Haryana) India

## ARTICLE INFO :

**Received** : 12.06.2017  
**Revised** : 03.10.2017  
**Accepted** : 18.10.2017

## KEY WORDS :

Adolescents, Self-esteem, Positive evaluation, Academic achievement, Parental relationship

## HOW TO CITE THIS ARTICLE :

Sunita and Rani, Pinki (2017). Parent's education: A big factor for enhancing self-esteem among adolescence. *Adv. Res. J. Soc. Sci.*, 8 (2) : 199-202, DOI: 10.15740/HAS/ARJSS/8.2/199-202.

\*Author for correspondence

## ABSTRACT

Self-esteem can be defined as an individual's attitude about him or herself, involving self-evaluation along a positive- negative dimension. Most generally self-esteem refers to an individual's over all positive evaluation to the self. The study was conducted in Hisar district of Haryana state. All the adolescents studying in 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> standard falling in the age group 15 – 16 years were included in the sample for the study. Self-esteem was taken as dependent variable. Self-Esteem was assessed by Rosenberg's Self-Esteem Scale (RSES) by Rosenberg (1989). Parent's education was taken as independent variable. Scheduled was developed to assess the parent's education. Results revealed that non-significant differences were found in the self-esteem of adolescents across maternal education (0.84) and paternal education (1.06). Mean scores comparison further reflected that adolescents whose parents were better educated reported slightly higher self-esteem.