

### Abstract

The study in title " The Impact of family on academic achievement " has four main objectives.

First, to study the relationship between family's variables and academic achievement.

Second, to study the relationship between psychological's variables and academic achievement.

Third, to study the relationship between school's variables and academic achievement.

And finally, to study the external variables such as, family's variables and school's variables being related to psychological's variables.

There are fifteen hypotheses in this study. Questionnaires were used for data collection and the samples of 311 students were randomed from high school in Bangkok.

#### Results of the study are as follows

1. In testing hypotheses involving relationships between family's variables and academic achievement, it was found that family processes such as, parents expectation, child rearing practices, and parents-child relationship had statistically significant relationship with academic achievement.

2. In testing hypotheses involving the relationship between psychological's variables and academic achievement, it was found that

achievement motivation and academic self-concept had statistically significant relationship with academic achievement.

3. In testing hypotheses involving the relationship between school's variables and academic achievement, it was found that teacher-student relationship and peers group had statistically significant relationship with academic achievement.

4. In testing the relationship between family's variables , school's variables and psychological's variable (achievement motivation and academic self-concept) it was found that the relationship of parents, child rearing practices, parents-child relationship, father's occupation, family economic status, teacher-student relationship and peers group had statistically significant relationship with achievement motivation and academic self-concept.

In addition , discussion of the study indicated clearly that the family is still influential on children and parents also remain important persons.