
APPENDIX

TOOLS OF THE RESEARCH

A standardized interview schedule was taken from the research study conducted by K. V. Sunil Kumar.

INTERVIEW SCHEDULE

I. Personal Particulars/Details:

1. Name of the Respondent:
2. Age of the Respondent:
3. Educational qualifications of the Respondent:
 - a) Primary Education
 - b) Secondary Education
 - c) Collegiate Education
4. Occupation of the respondent
 - a) Working women
 - b) House wife
 - c) Daily wage

II. Education:

5. i. What is your opinion about Women's Education?
 - a) Necessary
 - b) Not necessary
- ii. If not necessary, why?
 6. i. Do you agree that, "higher educated girls generally desire to marry at a late age"?
 - a) Agree
 - b) Disagree
 - ii. If you disagree, give reasons.

III. Marriage:

7. i. Do you know that the Government has prescribed a minimum age for marriage?
 - a) Yes
 - b) No
- ii. If yes, what is the legalized age of getting married for male and female?
8. i. Do you think you married at an appropriate age?
 - a) Yes
 - b) No
- ii. If not, what are the reason
9. At what age do you get married?

Fertility Behavior:

What is your opinion about the outcome of conception?

- a) Man's desire b) Gift of God

After how many years of marriage, you have your first child?

- a) 0-1 years. b) After 1 years

How many children do you have?

- a) Less than 2. b) greater than 2

According to you, at what age a woman should get pregnant?

- a) 20-30. b) After 30

What is your opinion about family planning?

- a) Favorable b) Unfavorable

i. Do you agree with the statement that "the educated women are more favorable towards family planning than uneducated women"?

- a) Yes. b) No

If you disagree, give reasons?

After how many children do you consider a burden to parents?

- a) Less than or equal to 2 b) more than 2

a) Suppose the first one or two children happened to be females, do you think that then you would go for a male child?

1. Yes 2. No

If yes, how many?

until one gets a male child

should go for one / two