

February 22, 2021  
College Park High School - Sociology

## Week Eight / Chapter 12 – The Family (continued)

### Instructions for the Week of February 22 to 26

Hello People,

Well, we made it through February. So far, so good. Let's keep up the good work and start focusing on our next break coming up in about a month. I hope you've appreciated our discussion so far on the family as the first (and probably most important) institution studied by sociologists at the "micro" level. Next week we can start looking at institutions from a more "macro" level by examining our political and economic structures. Stay focused folks, we're moving toward spring and the temptation will be to take our foot off the accelerator and start putting on the brakes....not yet kiddies. Here's your breakout for the week:

**Task 1:** Click "PowerPoint Notes for The Family" and go over slides 22 – 42. After going through this part of the presentation, I would like everyone to write two questions and make two comments about the presentation. You will upload this information to our Google Classroom page.

**Task 2:** Click "Text Reading and Text Assignment # 8" to find out what to read that week and the accompanying text assignment. This text assignment will be uploaded to the Google Classroom page.

**Task 3:** Click "Crash Course # 38: Stages in Family Life." These short, 8 to 12-minute videos are a great way to familiarize yourself with some of the concepts we use in sociology.

**Task 4:** Each lecture will be accompanied by an article which will correspond to that lecture's theme. This week you are only required to read the article. No journal response is required.

**Task 5:** Click "Video: Sociology, Marriage, & Family" and watch. After watching the film, you will go to our Google Classroom page and upload to the Discussion Board Response. On this page I would like you to write a short, one to two-paragraph comment about the film. After that, please respond to two other student's responses. Please keep your responses to other students respectful – we don't need to agree, but let's be polite and mature in how we talk to each other...

OK. Two more weeks and we are halfway through....stay sharp!

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