**History of the Family**

- Feminists believe society is patriarchal (male dominant)

-Liberal, Social, and Radical Feminists share their own views of how men treated women

-The treatment of women over the last half-century has improved to great extents.

-Feminist movements first started in the mid 1800’s.

**Human Sexuality**

-In the past women have been oppressed but because of feminists the role of women is changing therefore there human sexuality will be expressed in a different and more equal way.

-Susan B Anthony is one of the most prevalent and significant feminists to the feminist revolution.

-The feminist sexual revolution took place in the 1970’s and 1980’s.

**Role of Women in the Family**

**-**Capitalism and Patriarchy are the two driving forces against the revolution of woman’s family role.

**-**Stay at home dads have become much more common since the late 20th century in the western world.

**-**the value of the informal care that women provide ranges from $148 billion to $188 billion annually.

-The average caregiver is a 46 year old female

**Adolescent Behaviour**

-26% of girls diet compared to 5% of boys

-7 in 10 girls believe they do not measure up in some way, including their looks, performance in school and relationships with friends and family members.

-A major factor in teen promiscuity is self-esteem. When a teen has little or no self-confidence, he or she will use sex as a means to build confidence.

















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