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PREFACE

In our Indian society academic achievement is considered as a significant criterion to judge one’s potentialities and possibilities. Hence, academic achievement occupies a very crucial place in education as well as in learning process. So the investigator was motivated to undertake this study to provide empirical answers to few questions that determine academic achievement of the adolescents. There are so many factors that affect the academic achievement. The investigator was interested to take up this study and to investigate the impact of family climate, academic motivation and adjustment on academic achievement of adolescents. This study is based on a sample of 920 students. They were enrolled in secondary schools of district Agra during the session 2012-2013. Out of the total 1050 questionnaires administered to students only 920 were got filled by the students and they were found to be usable. In this way the response rate of 87.61 was obtained.

The scored data was analyzed empirically to study the impact of family climate, academic motivation and adjustment on academic achievement of adolescents. The thesis in the hand reports the results of the above study in five chapters. The chapter I is introductory chapter and theoretical back ground. In the second chapter ‘Review of previous Researches’ related to this study is reported at National and International level. The chapter III presents the method and procedure of the presents study. Chapter IV presents the ‘Analysis and Interpretation of obtained results. The final Chapter V presents the summary, conclusion, discussion and their implication for better academic achievement of adolescents.