

Study Guide for Exam 2  
FAM 357—Contemporary Adolescence

**Chapter 12**

- Traditionalists vs. progressives
- Diversity of American public education
- Characteristics of effective schools
- Family and peer effects on education
- Gifted adolescents
- Learning disabilities
- ADHD
- Dropping out

**Chapter 13**

- Work and adolescent development
- Theories of occupational choices
- Be able to recognize Holland's personality characteristics
- Influences on occupational choice
- Federal limits on adolescent employment
- Volunteer work
- Gender roles and vocational choice
- Employment's effects on education

**Chapter 14**

- Internalizing problems and externalizing problems
- Depression (symptoms and treatment)
- Suicide (including notes from movie)
- Three types of criminal acts for adolescents
- Types of delinquency
- Interventions
- Running away
- Gangs
- Courts
- Prevention

**Chapter 15**

- Sequence of substance use
- Patterns and intensity of drug use
- Know the "major" drugs in the categories we covered in class including effects of using
- Factors contributing to drug use
- Prevention
- Treatment
- Smoking
- Alcohol use

**Media and Technology**

- Cultivation theory
- Social learning theory
- Uses and Gratification approach
- Ways media is used, especially identity formation
- Socialization
- Limitations of current research on the effects of media on adolescents
- Television and violence
- Rap and Heavy Metal
- Blogs
- Internet
- Texting