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## The Important Role of Social Maturity and Family Environment among Tribal Students of Arunachal Pradesh

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#### Abstract

The present study was carried out to explore the relationship between social maturity and family environment among university students of Arunachal Pradesh. It was well understand from literature that social mature level of a person is well connected with family environment of a person. But there is a need to understand the context of family environment among tribal society and how it is connected with their students' level of social maturity. A sample of ninety was taken from the students pursuing any non technical post graduation in a central university in Arunachal Pradesh. The data was collected by administering two standardized psychological test named Social Maturity Scale by Dr. Nalini Rao and Family Environment Scale by Bhatia and Chadha (2015). The obtained results showed that family environment and social maturity level of a person are positively and significantly related and there was an average correlation between social maturity and family environment. The study can be ended with significant findings about relevance of positive family environment for a more socially mature person among the tribal students also.

Keywords: social maturity, family environment, Arunachal Pradesh,

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