
Chapter 20 Handout

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1. The practice of *extended families* in Asia and Africa most significantly differs from Western *nuclear families* in which of the following ways?
 - a) Extended families stressed the individual contribution of each family member.
 - b) Nuclear families tended to be more focused on traditions and religion.
 - c) In extended families, younger couples would generally move in with parents, however nuclear families tended to be the opposite.
 - d) Extended families were created in order to cope with the growing workforce as a response to urbanization.
2. Late marriages occurred as a result of which development during the 18th century?
 - a) High taxes, low income, and big families made the purchasing of property difficult.
 - b) Prostitution drew men away from long-term relationships.
 - c) The popularization of protestant sects led to strict celibacy.
 - d) The spread of ideas such as *tabula rasa* by John Locke.

3. The *illegitimacy explosion*, which occurred in the second half of the eighteenth century, was most likely a result of which of the following?
- a) Men working away from home would have sex outside of their marriage.
 - b) The dissolution of late marriages and rise of births out of wedlock.
 - c) The normalization of prostitution would lead to many pregnancies.
 - d) The abusing of servant girls and maids.
4. The infant mortality rate _____ due to _____.
- a) was low, ubiquitous childcare nurses for hire.
 - b) was low, women of all classes breastfeeding their children, which gave them nutrients imperative for their survival.
 - c) was high, negligent parents, poor conditions, and the unintentional hiring of 'killing' nurses.
 - d) was high, the use of 'sweetened' rags for children.
5. *Wet nurses* were common during the 18th century. These were nurses who were hired mainly to _____, however they would often have to be a(n) _____.
- a) teach the child, religious symbol
 - b) bathe and wash the child, teacher
 - c) feed and put the child to bed, household maid
 - d) breastfeed the child, mother figure
6. Which of the following spurred the construction of *foundling homes*?
- a) The constant outbreaks of diseases such as typhoid fever, which caused parents to give their children up for their child's health.
 - b) The financing of the wealthy, upper classes.
 - c) The greatest amount of illegitimate births occurred in the areas of Spain, Italy, and France
 - d) The overall trend showed that unwanted pregnancies led to killing of the unborn.
7. The cyclical pattern of child abuse, caused by emotional detachment, mostly evolved due to which development?
- a) The increase in production of alcohol due to new crop rotation techniques.
 - b) Advice from doctors and priests which suggested not to get attached to children, who were likely to die.
 - c) Large families and low incomes caused the children to be exploited from an early age.
 - d) Parents would not develop emotions towards children due to the hiring of nurses and maids who took care of the children.

8. Which of the following most directly contributed to the increase in literacy in the 18th and 19th centuries?
- a) The banning of certain books raised peoples' interests in reading.
 - b) The enlightenment, which led to the publication of new, more interesting works peaked the curiosities of commonfolk.
 - c) The ongoing struggle between Catholicism and Protestantism led reformers to push reading.
 - d) The invention of the movable type.
9. Were *foundling hospitals* efficient in their intended tasks?
- a) No, they hired wet nurses, who only cared about money, to take care of the children, which resulted in intentional killings and the nickname "legalized infanticide."
 - b) Yes, they hired effective and well-trained maids and nurses who raised children until they were old enough to work.
 - c) No, one of the pitfalls of the foundling hospitals was that they were dependent on the money raised from charity.
 - d) Yes, support of the community, along with the adequate amount of foundlings 'left' for them made these hospitals highly efficient.
10. Nuclear families most likely developed because of which of the following events?
- a) The French Revolution modified families to fit the new society.
 - b) The Agricultural Revolution led to more expensive property, which required children to wait for an inheritance in order to afford it.
 - c) The Industrial Revolution and surplus of workers urbanized the society.
 - d) The creation of a new nation, known as the United States of America.

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