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## **ABSTRACT**

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## Summary

The study was conducted to determine the preferences on mate selection among 4th year students of J.H Cerilles State College Dumingag Campus, Dumingag, Zamboanga del Sur. The study involved 6 participants from the School of Teacher Education, 6 participants from the Criminology Department Technology. and 6 participants from the Information

The study adopted a phenomenological research design with the help of the interview guide-questionnaire as the main tool in gathering the needed data.

Findings shows that the participants preferred teacher, soldier and businessman in choosing their mate, the participants preferred the same ethnicity and the same religion, most of the female participants wanted an older man, while, male participants

wanted a younger woman and majority of the participants want a normal life status.

Results show that white-collared jobs are the most preferred occupations by the 4th year students of JHCSC Dumingag Campus. Having the same beliefs to avoid any difficulties in marriage process, and age comes with responsibility, it is assume that older individual are more mature in heading the family sake, lastly, most of the participants chose the normal life status having the fair reason of attaining a normal life.

The study recommends that the Guidance Counselor may provide orientation on the students to be aware of the preferences in mate selection, that the parents will guide their sons and daughters in choosing a mate, and that another study should be conducted with increase variables.