# Chapter 7

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1. These social rules shape individual choices for mates by limiting the field of eligible partners:

\*a. endogamy and exogamy

b. surranimity and phylogeny

c. biology and heterogeneity

d. love and biology

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2. The customs that specify one must look outside of certain groups to which one belongs in order to find a mate are known as

\*a. rules of exogamy

b. rules of endogamy

c. rules of origami

d. rules of filial love

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3. Hillel is Jewish. For two years he has been dating Miriam, a Mormon woman he met in a graduate seminar. Hillel and Miriam enjoy spending time together and care deeply for each other. Recently, they have begun talking about getting married and starting a family. The problem is that their parents are deeply opposed to the relationship. Miriam’s parents want her to marry someone who is Mormon and Hillel’s parents want him to marry someone who is Jewish.

In this case, parental opposition reflects which set of social customs about selection of a mate?

a. rules of exogamy

\*b. rules of endogamy

c. rules of origami

d. rules of filial love

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4. The “incest taboo” is an example of

a. ontogeny

b. rules of endogamy

\*c. rules of exogamy

d. natural family planning

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5. Which of the following would be considered a “family” as defined by the U.S. Bureau of the Census?

a. Elise, Tom, and Chan are good friends who share an apartment and living expenses

b. a widowed woman who lives alone in her apartment in an assisted living facility

\*c. a never married woman lives with her adopted infant sons in an apartment

d. a widowed woman lives with two “boarders” who rent the top floor of her brownstone

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6. This term refers to the practice of being married to only one person at a time:

\*a. monogamy

b. polygamy

c. polyandry

d. polygyny

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7. In this living arrangement, a married couple establishes a residence that is separate from either spouse’s family.

a. patrimony

b. monogamy

\*c. neolocal

d. matrilocal

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8. The most common victims of domestic violence are

\*a. children

b. adult women

c. adult males

d. elderly men and women

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9. Which of the following is a sociological explanation for the high rates of divorce in Western societies?

a. Economic changes have led to a weakening of the family’s traditional economic bonds

b. Shifting gender roles have increased stress within families

c. Understandings of marriage have changed; marriage is now understood as a voluntary contract that can be ended at the discretion of either spouse

\*d. All of the above

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10. Only within the last decade have sociologists started to wonder about the quality of social bonds and interpersonal relationships.

a. True

\*b. False

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11. Rules of endogamy and exogamy place limits on romantic pairings and partnerships.

\*a. True

b. False

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12. Rules of endogamy and exogamy are “universal” in the sense that they do not vary across cultures.

a. True

\*b. False

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13. In the United States, there are no federal, legal definitions of “family.”

a. True

\*b. False

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14. The U.S. Bureau of the Census uses the terms “household” and “family” interchangeably.

a. True

\*b. False

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15. In 1880, the majority of black single women in the United States reported holding paid jobs.

\*a. True

b. False