

CHAPTER

# 16

REVIEW WORKSHEET

## GENDER ROLES

Answer each of the following questions in the space provided.

1. To what does the term *gender* refer?

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2. What are gender roles?

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3. What two types of factors appear to determine gender roles?

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4. What are gender stereotypes?

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5. According to some research studies, how do males and females differ in terms of verbal abilities?

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6. According to some research studies, how do males and females differ in terms of mathematical abilities?

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7. According to some research studies, how do males and females differ in terms of personality and behavior?

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8. What is gender typing?

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9. According to some psychologists, how do genes explain the development of gender-related behavior?

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10. How does Freud's psychoanalytic theory explain gender typing?

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11. According to social-learning theory, how do reinforcement and modeling contribute to gender typing?

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12. How does gender-schema theory explain how gender-typed behavior is acquired?

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13. How has the role of women in the United States changed in the past several decades?

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14. What is the significance of Margaret Mead's studies of gender roles?

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