

## Abstract

This study examined the perceived warmth from both mothers and grandmothers in relation to children's academic achievement and life satisfaction. Predictive power of filial piety was also investigated in this study. One hundred and fifty-five students were recruited and questionnaires were collected. Results indicated that maternal warmth and filial piety significantly predicted life satisfaction. In addition, filial piety correlated positively with academic self-concept. However, the contribution of warmth from grandmothers was not significant. This study provides evidence that the unique Chinese concept, filial piety, has an impact on the academic achievement and life satisfaction of the children in the Chinese society.