

INVESTIGATING THE HOPELESSNESS LEVEL OF THE STUDENTS ATTENDING FINAL YEAR OF THE HIGH SCHOOL

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Abstract

The purpose of this study is to investigate hoplessness level of the students attending to final year of the high school. For that purpose, 15 female and 17 male students 32 students totally participated in the study voluntarily. Beck Hopelessness scale developed by Beck And Steer (1987) was used in the study. All data of the study were analyzed with SPSS 17.0 Package Program. Frequency analysis were used to determine the information regarding participants, and also, t test was used to compare participant in terms of the gender. Level of significance was determined to be 0.05. According to results of the study, hopelessness levels of the students were determined at moderate level. Moreover, there was not a significant statistically difference between male and female students in terms of the hopelessness level ($p>0.05$).

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