## ABSTRACT

This project is about the factors that affect stress on the students taking the entrance examination. It also talks about the background of adolescents or the age that the Mathayom 6 students are in. It is not only valued by the student at Mathayom 6 only, but also by and family who has a child at this studying period.

It shows the major factors of stress that directly affect the students. Gender of the student has an effect on the level of the stress. Both students who get high or low grade have stress, but from different sources. The first-born has much more stress than the later-born. He thinks that he must be a good example for this brother and sister, and he will be the leader for them, so, he should do his best. While the youngest child of the family will get full love and attention from others. Nobody thinks that he will be the competitor. For the only child of the family, he receives such a lot of expectation and stress that he can be either the best or the worst. It depends upon how the parents treat him. The student who comes from separated family has more stress than worm family because he has to adjust himself to many problems. If the student doesn't have any family problem, he is able to pay all of his attention in studying and he is able to receive advice from his father and/or his mother. The democratic family allows the child to spread out his own thinking, so, he will not have any pressure. He has the right to think and to do whatever he wants in the way that is acceptable to his parents.

Stress is something that is uncontrollable but it is able to control the result and effect of it. So, everybody should try to understand the student at each age and observe him in case there are any problems.

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