

Sexism Against Women

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Introduction

- ◉ Sexism against women follows stereotypes created throughout the years. It treats women with unfair judgment and inequality.

Issue

- ◉ Is sexism against women for the better in society?
- ◉ <http://sexisminwork.over-blog.com/article-sexism-video-clips-88730904.html>

discrimination & hatred against a certain sex

systemic differentiations based on the sex of a person
a belief that says one sex is more superior than the other



Sexism

Pros

- ◉ Women's life expectancy is longer
- ◉ Do not have to apply for the draft
- ◉ Stay at home mom is honorable where stay at home dad is not
- ◉ Treated more carefully

Cons

- ◉ Women are looked at as a weaker gender
- ◉ Makes it difficult for women to reach their potential
- ◉ Women are looked at as less educated and less capable
- ◉ Lower paying jobs
- ◉ Lower status

Pros

Women are treated with such delicacy. A woman will be treated with such care that it may seem as if they are being spoiled. Also, since women do not endure hard labor like the majority of men do, they tend to have a longer life expectancy. Men are often involved in construction, firefighting and police work, that put men into dangerous situations, such work is often avoided by a woman. Also, women also are free from signing for the draft.

One of the benefits of an at home view of sexism would be that women are able to stay at home moms without any judgment. While men are judged and put down for staying home, taking care of the house and or kids, while the woman works is often looked down upon.

Cons

The worst part of sexism is the fact that women are not looked at for their full potential. Just as Lynn Povich in the Newsweek magazine, wasn't looked to her full potential when really she was an excellent writer. It also demonstrated that women are looked upon as less educated even though she attended class just like the men whom were writers also.

Women are given less pay because they often reach the "stay at home" work before they are able to make a higher position, either because she stops studying or the company no longer sees her as a reliable worker. And if they do happen to reach a better position, women do not have as high of education as the men do, therefore they are paid less. Although from 1947 to the recent times the percentage of women working has risen about 20% from 30% to 50%, they often hold lower statuses than men and

Values and Reality Assumption

- Protection and consideration are the values and reality assumption for the pros of the issue.
- Inequality and suppression are the values and reality assumption for the cons.

Fallacies

- ◉ Bandwagon
- ◉ Hasty Generalization
- ◉ Bandwagon

Conclusion

- No, I don't believe sexism is better for society. Society shouldn't suppress and put down women just because of their gender. They should have an equal chance of making it in the work force they choose to pursue. They should be looked at just as well as a candidate for the job just as a man would be. Sexism against women doesn't allow them to reach their full potential and reach goals that they have set because they are viewed as the weaker gender.

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