

April 2021

Handout: What Every Young Woman Should Ask!

National Organization for Women. Jacksonville Chapter

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digitalcommons.unf.edu/nowjaxmaterials>



Part of the [Social History Commons](#), and the [Women's History Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

Handout: What Every Young Woman Should Ask!. No date. National Organization For Women, Jacksonville, Florida, and Jacksonville Women's Movement Collection. University of North Florida, Thomas G. Carpenter Library Special Collections and Archives. UNF Digital Commons, <https://digitalcommons.unf.edu/nowjaxmaterials/41/>

This Archival Material is brought to you for free and open access by the Special Collections at UNF Digital Commons. It has been accepted for inclusion in National Organization for Women, Jacksonville, Florida, and Jacksonville Women's Movement Collection by an authorized administrator of UNF Digital Commons. For more information, please contact [Digital Projects](#).
© April 2021 All Rights Reserved

WHAT EVERY YOUNG WOMAN SHOULD ASK!

NOW
CR
Female Psy

Athletics

1. Can you play basketball, soccer, football?
2. Were you ever taught to use a saw?
3. Did you ever pretend to be dumb?
4. Do you babysit? What do boys do for bread?
5. Do your brothers have more freedom than you? In what way? Why?
6. Are your brothers asked to clean house?
7. Is education more important for you or your brothers? Why?
8. How many boys are there in your typing class?
9. Would you be interested in birth control information as a service in your school?
10. Did you discuss masturbation and lesbianism in your sex education class?
11. Would you know what to do if you needed an abortion?
12. What do you want sex education to be?
13. How many famous women do you know about (not counting Presidents' wives and movie stars?)
14. How many paragraphs (pages) cover the women's suffrage movement in your history texts?
15. Who are Susan B. Anthony, Lucretia Mott, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Mother Jones, Harriet Tubman, Sojourner Truth?
16. How are women portrayed in the books you read?
17. How do your classes react to "ugly" women teachers?
18. Have you ever noticed that there are college scholarships which discriminate against girls (football scholarships)?
19. In extra-curricular coed organizations, do girls make decisions? Or do they take minutes?
20. Did you ever hesitate to speak up in a coed organization?
21. Are girls with boyfriends winners? What did they win?
22. Did you ever lie about having a boyfriend? Why?
23. Do you ever ask boys out? If not, why not?
24. Do you believe boys get sexually aroused faster, at a younger age, and more often than girls? Who told you that?
25. Are you hung up about being/not being a virgin? Why?
26. Should boys be more experienced sexually? Why?
27. Do you ever hug or kiss your girl friend?
28. If you were in a dangerous situation would you rather have a man defend you or defend yourself? Can you defend yourself?
29. Are you the teenybopper, bitch, cheater, foxy lady, or "honey" type portrayed in rock music?
30. Are you flattered by catcalls on the street?
31. Do you like your body?
32. How much time and money do you spend on makeup? Why?
33. Why did you start wearing nylons and bras?
34. Will you be a failure if you don't get married?
35. Do you think of unmarried women as "bachelor girls" or "old maids"?
36. Are these the best years of a woman's life? Why?
37. Is your mother an oppressed woman?