

Challenging Malestream Sociology

Feminism has challenged the notion that sociology is the study of men by men and has made great advances in criminology, education, media, family and health studies

Impacts of Social Policy

The work of Feminist sociologists has led to many changes in policy, from legalisation of abortion and control over reproductive rights to employment rights and equality in education, work and society as a whole

Feminist Methodology

Feminism has helped to develop a more compassionate and less mechanical methodology in the social sciences which has led to a more empathetic view of respondents than the previous scientific approach

Challenging Assumptions

The work of feminists can be seen to challenge widely held assumptions about the representations and expectations of women in society and has had a vital impact in changing traditional stereotypes of gender



Post Modern Feminism

Feminism, unlike other approaches has continued to evolve through it's existence. From challenging legal rights, to economic equality and social equality, post-modern feminism looks to examine the broader range of female experiences in society which leaves it perfectly placed to understand the meanings and motivations of acts in the 21st century.

Movements

Feminism is a politically active movement that has evolved to face challenges faced by women (and men) in contemporary society by continual analysis and challenging of human behaviours

Contributions to Work, Education and Family

Feminism has contributed much to the development of girl's aspirations in school, women's career aspirations and the inequality in gender roles in relationships

Patriarchal Structures

Feminists have and continue to challenged patriarchal structures of a global stage, developing theories, informing social policies of governments and supra-national organisations alike. There is now a world-wide movement towards political, social and economic equality

Feminism has influenced society