

## Anxiety Affects Youth

A lot has been said about the poor economy. People have lost jobs, homes, and savings. Yet little has been said about the economic problems and how they will affect the youth of today. At least until now.

The Millennials will perhaps receive the biggest shock because they have grown up with promises of comfort. They believed there would always be jobs, money, vacations, and success. Unfortunately, as these twenty-somethings now enter the job market or try to change their jobs, the positions available don't meet their high expectations. Current career decisions have a long-term affect too. In addition, there is the possibility that Millennials will blame their parents when past promises don't meet present reality.

The youngest children may experience the greatest effects because they notice their parents' fears and worries about money. These children will then see the world more negatively than older children and twenty-somethings.

As for teenagers, they know and understand the current situation, but they also remember a more comfortable childhood. As a result, they may try to prevent something similar from affecting them again. Teens will pay more attention to the economy and business, and this will affect their studies at college and their careers. This age group also won't believe that children live better, more prosperous lives than their parents.

You can see the whole lesson from your teacher, please ask them to send it to you before the class.

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