Psychological Needs as Predictors of Human Values in High School Students

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ABSTRACT The purpose of the present study is to determine whether psychological needs are significant predictors of high school students’ human values. The study group comprised 552 high school students. It was determined that high school students’ belonging, fun, freedom and power needs are significant predictors of high school students’ human value. According to the findings of the study, power and belonging needs were significant predictors of high school students’ responsibility value. Belonging, fun and power needs were found to be significant predictors of high school students’ respect value. Power and freedom needs were found to be significant predictors of high school students’ peaceful value. Fun need was found to be a significant predictor of high school students’ friendship value. Freedom need was found to be a significant predictor of high school students’ tolerance value.