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Barriers to the Study of Scientific Subjects and Level of Knowledge of Basic Chemistry

ADULT LEARNERS' CASE STUDY

Adult Learner's Case Study 6:

Name: *Seher Yumrutepe, Female*

Subject Studied: *Foreign Language Education*

Place: *Sakarya*

Description of the Case Study

Reasons of the decision not to continue studying scientific subjects: *She was interested in languages and not interested in scientific subjects as a whole.*

Main difficulties in scientific subject learning at school: *Not interesting content and too much theoretical coursebooks, negative attitudes of teachers.*

Self evaluation of knowledge of chemistry: *Poor.*

Evaluation of the scientific information provided by the media: *There are many programmes on TV, but there should be more programmes especially depends on scientific information.*

Perception of the word "Chemical": *Artificial liquids and substances.*

Result of the basic chemistry test: *Fair.*