Sociology – Family – Keywords List

Highlight any words you don't know the meaning of…

Agenda setting (and the media in relation to crime/deviance)
Agent of social control
Alienation
Anomie
Anti-social behaviour
Attitude survey
Bias
Case study
Census
Chivalry thesis
Closed question
Community service
Confidentiality
Conformity
Consensus
Content analysis
Continuity
Control theory (in relation to women and crime)
Corporate crime
Covert observation
Crime
Crime rate
Criminal justice system
Criminal subculture
Dark figure of crime
Data
Data analysis
Data protection
Delinquency

Deviance
Deviancy amplification
Deviant career
Discrimination
Economy
Established (state) church
Ethical considerations
Ethnic diversity
Ethnic group
Ethnic minority

Ethnicity Ethnography
Expectations
Feminism
Feminists
Focus group
Folk devils
Functionalism
Functionalists
Functionally important roles
Fundamentalism
Gender
Gender and criminality
Gender deal (in relation to working-class women)
Gender roles
Hypothesis
Identity
Identity theft
Image
Indictable offence

Informed consent
Injustice
Institutional racism
Intelligence quotient
Interactionism
Interview
Judiciary
Labelling
Law
Legislation
Legislative process
Legislature
Life chances
Longitudinal study
Magistrate
Male domination (of society)
Marxism
Marxist
Mass media
Master status
Media amplification
Media stereotype
Miscarriage of justice
Mixed methods research
Moral panic
National curriculum
Neo-conservatism
Neo-liberalism
New Right
News value
Non-indictable offence

Non-participant observation
Norms
Observation
Official crime statistics
Open question
Participant observation
Pluralism
Police caution
Popular press
Poverty (linked to crime)
Primary data
Prison system
Privatisation (economy)
Probation system
Propaganda
Qualitative data
Quality press
Quantitative data
Questionnaire
Quota sample
Racial discrimination
Racism
Random sample
Recorded crime
Reliability
Reported crime
Representative data/sample
Research
Respondent
Right of appeal
Role conflict

Roles
Rural
Sample
Sampling frame
Sanctions
Scapegoat
Secondary data
Selective use of data
Self-fulfilling prophecy
Self-report study
Sex (gender) discrimination
Sex (gender) equality
Sexism
Snowball sample
Social change/changing social
attitudes Social class/socio-
economic class
Social cohesion
Social construct
Social control (formal and
informal)
Social convention
Social exclusion
Social order
Social stigma
Social stratification
Socialisation
Socially defined behaviour
Society
Status
Status frustration

Stereotype
Subculture
Surveillance
Survey
Systematic sample
Technological change
Terrorism
Theoretical perspective
Trend (in relation to data)
Triangulation (in relation to
social research)
Unrepresentative data/sample
Unstructured interview
Unwritten rules
Urban
Validity
Value consensus
Values
Victim survey
Welfare scrounger/benefit
cheat
White collar crime
World view
Youth crime

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