

Infant-mother attachment and the growth of externalizing problems across the primary-school years

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Table 2 *Teacher Reports of Externalizing Problems by Grade, Attachment and Contextual Risk*

Attachment	Externalizing Total Grade 1			Externalizing Total Grade 2			Externalizing Total Grade 3			Externalizing Total Grade 4			Externalizing Total Grade 5			Externalizing Total Grade 6		
	Mean	S.D.	N	Mean	S.D.	N	Mean	S.D.	N	Mean	S.D.	N	Mean	S.D.	N	Mean	S.D.	N
<i>Low Risk (0-1 Risks) Males</i>																		
A	6.84	8.19	57	6.18	7.52	50	6.50	8.64	58	6.75	8.48	48	4.47	5.72	49	4.83	5.88	47
B	5.60	7.30	242	5.97	8.30	230	6.40	8.62	227	5.57	8.04	217	6.21	7.83	224	6.07	9.27	197
C	6.10	8.50	40	4.72	6.54	36	5.74	6.42	38	6.11	9.08	38	7.08	9.55	37	6.94	8.11	34
D	6.90	9.05	48	5.92	6.36	48	6.28	6.50	47	6.07	6.94	44	4.78	7.30	41	4.93	6.56	40
<i>High Risk (2-4 Risks) Males</i>																		
A	14.29	13.22	17	12.21	11.11	14	12.81	12.25	16	13.44	15.38	16	13.93	14.21	15	14.57	14.77	14
B	13.50	10.44	32	14.48	11.05	29	18.22	14.13	32	14.90	12.16	29	10.87	8.30	30	14.68	15.91	31
C	4.17	3.60	6	6.25	11.84	4	15.20	10.76	5	18.00	16.09	3	11.50	9.75	4	16.00	6.24	3
D	9.67	12.68	15	20.23	16.71	13	21.08	15.66	12	24.50	14.84	12	31.08	19.50	12	23.38	20.86	13
<i>Low Risk (0-1 Risks) Females</i>																		
A	5.00	7.00	42	5.68	9.78	37	2.95	4.12	37	2.82	5.51	39	2.90	3.28	39	3.22	5.06	37
B	3.12	5.60	273	3.30	5.96	248	3.88	6.60	268	3.13	5.15	238	3.74	6.79	246	2.17	4.66	232
C	4.33	8.23	33	2.39	3.65	31	4.36	9.32	33	2.45	4.96	33	4.63	9.87	30	1.52	4.01	25
D	2.92	4.70	65	2.47	5.27	58	2.81	5.89	58	2.20	4.02	55	4.32	7.39	63	4.64	9.71	55
<i>High Risk (2-4 Risks) Females</i>																		
A	9.33	11.62	15	10.25	8.80	12	13.13	15.89	16	12.00	13.95	13	9.07	12.09	15	8.00	8.08	15
B	7.72	9.64	32	11.19	13.70	27	12.67	12.95	30	8.67	12.18	27	6.37	9.61	27	6.54	8.05	26
C	8.50	10.61	2	11.00	.	1	8.00	10.58	3	7.00	12.12	3	6.67	11.55	3	7.50	10.61	2
D	7.46	10.32	13	3.45	3.50	11	11.93	12.49	14	10.17	12.46	12	7.83	10.84	12	9.45	9.08	11

Note: A = Avoidant attachment; B = Secure attachment, C = Resistant attachment, D = Disorganized attachment