







## Ian Hanney

## **Stressful Science**

| Division: | Life Sciences  |
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Abstract: This study analyzed what stress factors affect teenagers and if these factors are affected by age, gender and/or whether or not they live with both parents. These factors were established using a structured survey and were distributed among 300 students in grades 4,8 and 11. Female stress increased with age while male stress decreased. School was the leading stress factor for both genders.

| Awards  | Value   |
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| The University of Western Ontario Scholarship   | \$1 500 |
| Silver Medallist - \$1500 Entrance Scholarship  |         |
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