

recorded in the field, I hope that ~~as~~ I am able to analyse the dance data.

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Enculturation

It is interesting to note that like other tribal populations the infants and young children were taken care by their elder sisters. At times I noticed one female girl carrying two children, Except ⁱⁿ the feeding time of the children the children are taken care of ~~by their el.~~ The younger children used to play in the sand, some times they also decorate themselves like their elders with clay, green leaves and wattle shells. It is also observed in the absence of the mother the elder children giving the food to the younger ones. During our field work I observed one pregnant woman keeping ~~one~~ six children with her, when ~~to~~ all the Farmers went for the collection of gifts.

All the infants are hale and healthy. I observed that the breast feeding is prevalent among the Farmers, I have observed two women feeding their children more than four times within four hours of our stay.

Meaning of children enculturation