• Women take more time off to take of children, men want that too

11. Symbolic interactionalism Approach

• Micro approach - Sees society as a product of individuals interacting with one another using symbols which are assigned meaning
• Macro approach - Individuals assign value to things or ways of life because those around them do
• Learning theory- people learn bad behavior from those around them
  • Ex) Prostitution

• Labeling theory – reality is socially constructed, it depends how people define it
  • Ex) underage drinking