These days, a large number of couples are not reluctant to have child in the early years of their life. This essay will discuss some causes of this alerting phenomenon, and its consequences that families and society should struggle with.

Several reasons may contribute to this problem. Nowadays, due to the cultural changes, in contrast with the past, women play more port in society by continuing their education and going to work. In fact, besides the traditional responsibilities that they have in home such as cooking, they should spend time at university or workplace. Therefore, for most highly educated women, motherhood does not start until the 30s. Secondly, couples face with a multitude of economic difficulties that leads them to have children later. Parents should spend a large amount of money for nurturing a child physically and mentally and it is too hard for them to get over it.

Unfortunately, this trend has two main effects on families and society. In terms of society if parent decide to have children later, they will tend to be a nuclear family with one or only two children. Therefore, the society gets older over time and suffers from some repercussions such as lack of job applicants and increase in the number of people who need a pension. Furthermore, nuclear household leads to less communication among family and, in addition, family members experience less support from others because, in difficulties members of family are the first ones who have each other’s back.

In conclusion, although due to some reasons people prefer to be a parent later, this trend has devastating effects on society and families.