Table 5. Coefficients and odds ratios from regression models examining the effects of age at first birth, period of first birth and interactions between those variables on education, PSID

Variable	Schooling through age 29	High school completed		Some college completed	
	Coefficient	Coefficient	Odds ratio	Coefficient	Odds ratio
Age at first birth					
Teens	−1.34**	−2.54**	0.08	−1.89**	0.15
Early 20s	−1.26**	−1.13**	0.32	−1.37**	0.25
Late 20s	0.03	2.20**	9.05	−0.12	0.88
≥30/no birth (ref)	na	na	1.00	na	1.00
Period of first birth					
Early 1960s (ref)	na	na	1.00	na	1.00
Late 1960s	1.76**	0.83	2.30	1.06**	2.90
Early 1970s	1.58**	0.99*	2.70	1.99**	7.32
Late 1970s	3.28**	−0.41	0.66	2.26**	9.55
Early 1980s	1.67**	−1.25*	0.29	1.11**	3.03
Late 1980s	2.42**	4.10	6.02	1.35**	3.85
Early 1990s	2.38**	0.21	1.24	1.67**	5.29
Interactions					
Teens x early 1960s (ref)	na	na	1.00	na	1.00
Teens x late 1960s	−0.88	0.27	1.31	u	u
Teens x early 1970s	−0.32	0.13	1.14	−0.44	0.65
Teens x late 1970s	−1.94**	1.24	3.49	−0.75*	0.48
Teens x early 1980s	u	2.23**	9.30	−0.32	1.38
Teens x late 1980s	u	−3.43	0.03	0.12	1.13
Early 20s x early 1970s	0.22	u	u	−0.50	0.61
Early 20s x late 1970s	−0.81	1.85*	6.35	u	u
Early 20s x early 1980s	0.35	2.78**	8.83	0.51	1.67
Early 20s x late 1980s	u	−3.07	0.05	0.37	1.44
Late 20s x late 1970s	−1.14*	u	u	−0.67*	0.51
Late 20s x early 1980s	0.92*	−0.17	1.19	−0.73	2.08
Late 20s x late 1980s	−0.47	−5.89	0.00	0.09	1.09

*p<.05. **p<.01. *Notes:* Analyses control for race, number of siblings, maternal education, family structure at age 14, maternal employment status at age 14 and region. ref=reference group. u=unavailable. na=not applicable.