

Course Calendar

*Unless otherwise noted all weekly assignments/activities/ quizzes are due **by Sunday by 11:59 PM**. For example, Week One assignments would be due 8/31 by 11:59 PM. Changes in the course syllabus, procedure, assignments, and schedule may be made at the discretion of the instructor. All activities, assignments and discussions are open and close throughout the semester which allows you to work ahead. Pay attention to due dates and pace yourself throughout the week.

Week/Dates	Topics/Activities
Week One 8/25-8/31	Get Familiar with the Textbook, Syllabus, and Calendar Due: Discussion Board Introduction
Week Two 9/2-9/7	Read: History, Theory, and Research Strategies – Ch. 1
Week Three 9/8-9/14	Read: Biological and Environmental – Ch. 2, Prenatal Development – Ch. 3 Due: Portfolio Part I–Protecting the Prenatal Environment Brochure Due Quiz 1 (chapters 1-3)
Week Four 9/15-9/21	Read: Birth and the Newborn Baby – Ch. 4 Physical Development in Infancy and Toddlerhood – Ch. 5 Due: Activity #1 – Interviewing Parents Discussion Question #1 Quiz #2 (chapters 4-5)
Week Five 9/22-9/28	Read: Cognitive Development in Infancy and Toddlerhood – Ch. 6 Due: Quiz #3 (chapter 6)
Week Six 9/29-10/5	Read: Emotional and Social Development in Infancy and Toddlerhood – Ch. 7 <i>Begin work on Portfolio Part II: Infancy and Toddlerhood Research Paper & Presentation (will be due Week 10)</i>
Week Seven 10/6-10/12	Read: Physical Development in Early Childhood– Ch. 8 Due: Activity #2 – Identifying Children’s Drawings Discussion Question #2 Quiz #4 (chapters 7-8)

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Week Eight 10/13-10/19	Read: Cognitive Development in Early Childhood – Ch. 9 Due: Quiz #5 (chapter 9)
Week Nine 10/20-10/26	Read: Emotional and Social Development in Early Childhood – Ch. 10 Due: Activity #3– Toy Analysis Discussion Question #3 Quiz #6 (chapter 10)
Week Ten 10/27-11/2	Read: Physical Development in Middle Childhood – Ch. 11 Due: Portfolio Part II: Infancy and Toddlerhood Collaborative Research Paper & Presentation Due Quiz #7 (chapter 11)
Week Eleven 11/3-11/9	Read: Cognitive Development in Middle Childhood – Ch. 12 Due: Discussion Question #4 Activity #4 Middle Childhood Project Quiz #8 (chapter 12) <i>Begin Work on Portfolio Part III- Adolescent Observation and Analysis (will be due Week 14)</i>
Week Twelve 11/10-11/16	Read: Emotional and Social Development in Middle Childhood – Ch. 13 Work on Portfolio
Week Thirteen 11/17-11/23	Read: Physical Development in Adolescence – Ch. 14 Cognitive Development in Adolescence – Ch. 15 Due: Portfolio Part III- Adolescent Observation and Analysis Due Quiz #9 (chapter 13) <i>Begin Work on Portfolio Part IV- Reflection (will be due Week 15)</i>
Week Fourteen 11/24-11/25 Thanksgiving- Short Week	Read: Emotional and Social Development in Adolescence – Ch. 16 Emerging Adulthood- Ch. 17
Week Fifteen 12/1-12/7	Due: Observation Paper due Portfolio Part IV – Reflection

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Finals Week 12/8-12/9	Finals Week (ends on Tuesday, 12/10) Due: Quiz #10 (chapters 14-17)

