

Developmental Psychology

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Multiple-Choice Questions

1. Which term best describes the placenta?
 - a. A yolk sac
 - b. A physiological depot (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - c. An early source of food for the fetus
 - d. The fluid surrounding the embryo
 - e. Effacement
2. About how long is normal human gestation?
 - a. About 250 days
 - b. 350 days
 - c. 270 days (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - d. two trimesters
 - e. 400 days
3. Which of the following is NOT a form of prenatal detection?
 - a. Ultrasound
 - b. Amniocentesis (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - c. Chronic Villus sampling
 - d. 3-D Imaging
 - e. X-ray
4. Which of the following represents no threat to prenatal development?
 - a. Drinking alcoholic beverages
 - b. Smoking
 - c. Down Syndrome
 - d. Rubella
 - e. A low-fat diet (CORRECT ANSWER)
5. Which of the following is not a part of the APGAR score?
 - a. Activity
 - b. Respiration
 - c. Weight (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - d. Pulse
 - e. Grimace reflex
6. Which of the following parts of motor development are not a part of the progression of muscular coordination that is required for physical activity?
 - a. Prone, head up
 - b. Prone, chest up
 - c. Rolling over
 - d. Crawling (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - e. Bears weight on legs

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7. Which psychologist is associated with “attachment theory”?
 - a. Harry Harlow (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - b. Anna Freud
 - c. Robert Havinghurst
 - d. Jean Piaget
 - e. Lawrence Kohlberg
8. According to recent statistics, what percentage of moms work outside the home?
 - a. 53% (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - b. 25%
 - c. 75%
 - d. 10%
 - e. 5%
9. Which one of the following is not a developmental stage described by Freud?
 - a. Oral
 - b. Genital
 - c. Latent
 - d. Phallic
 - e. Pre-operational (CORRECT ANSWER)
10. Which theorist focused attention on the problems associated with adolescence?
 - a. Anna Freud (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - b. Lawrence Kohlberg
 - c. Jean Piaget
 - d. Alfred Adler
 - e. Abraham Maslow
11. Which psychologist focused on the developmental tasks of adolescents?
 - a. Anna Freud
 - b. G. Stanley Hall
 - c. Robert Havinghurst (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - d. Lawrence Kohlberg
 - e. Jean Piaget
12. About how many cases of sexually transmitted diseases are there in the U.S. each year?
 - a. One million
 - b. 500,000
 - c. 3 million (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - d. 20 million
 - e. less than 500

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13. Which of the following developmental problems involves loss of appetite?
- a. Bulimia
 - b. Asynchrony
 - c. Anorexia nervosa (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - d. Menarche
 - e. Spermatarche
14. Which one of the following is not one of Erikson's "psychosocial crises"?
- a. Trust versus mistrust
 - b. Freedom versus restriction (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - c. Initiative versus guilt
 - d. Generativity versus stagnation
 - e. Integrity versus despair
15. Which one of the following is not a developmental stage described by Piaget?
- a. Informal operations (CORRECT ANSWER)
 - b. Formal operations
 - c. Sensorimotor
 - d. Concrete operations
 - e. Preoperational