DEVELOPMENT DURING INFANCY
PSYCH 3HH3
Winter 2005
Mondays 11.30-1.20; Thursdays 12.30-1.20
TSH – B106

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Texts:

Custom Courseware (CC): *Development During Infancy, PSYCH 3HH3*

Objectives:
In this course we will examine perceptual and cognitive development during the first year of life. Relations between the development of the infant’s brain and behaviour will be addressed by considering genetic and environmental influences. It is assumed that students are familiar with the basics of human development. Students will work in groups, give oral presentations in class, read primary source materials, and learn to think critically.

Evaluation:
Two 2-Page Critiques 20%
One Group Presentation 15%
One 8-Page Essay 25%
One Final Exam 40%

McMaster University Grading Scale

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Note: The instructor reserves the right to adjust final marks up or down, on an individual basis, in light of special circumstances and/or the student’s overall performance in the course.

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