

Question 1

Today's developmental theorists have adopted a model that considers human development to be the result of complex reciprocal interactions between:

- A) cultural biases and parenting
- B) multiple personal and environmental factors
- C) ecological biases
- D) maturational patterns

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746622>

Question 2

Which of the following is the best example of a cross-sectional research study?

- A) Each year the five-year-olds of Washington, D.C. are given number and letter proficiency exams before they begin kindergarten.
- B) Dr. Huang assessed the eye-hand coordination of the second, fourth, and sixth graders of Maple Leaf Elementary School in September 2001.
- C) A number of graduate students in developmental psychology studied the playground interactions of two classes of fourth graders by secretly videotaping the playground activities from the third-floor window of an adjacent building.
- D) Dr. Sanchez assessed the eye-hand coordination of the second, fourth, and sixth graders of Maple Leaf Elementary School in December 2001, with the same children tested again in 2003, 2005, and 2007.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746653>

Question 3

Researchers believe that all the following, except _____, can have a positive influence on the cognitive functioning of older adults.

- A) an engaged and intellectually active lifestyle
- B) a low-fat, high-fibre diet
- C) use of estrogen supplements by elderly women
- D) complex mental activities, such as playing bridge

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746275>

Question 4

Which of the following infants would be described as a low-birth-weight baby?

- A)
Indira, born weighing 3000 grams
- B)
Rosa, born at 38 weeks weighing 2500 grams
- C)
Sakis, born at 39 weeks weighing 3500 grams
- D)
Philippe, born weighing 2400 grams

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=744874>

Question 5

What reproductive event in middle adulthood is climacteric?

- A) a loss of interest in sexual activity
- B) the occurrence of menopause
- C) an increase in the number of miscarriages
- D) a decreased incidence of impotence

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746048>

Question 6

What is a living will? Who should have a living will?

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746604>

Question 7

Prosocial attributions such as "You're such a helpful boy!", helps to create an internalized pattern of prosocial behaviour in the child that will persist throughout the lifespan.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745436>

Question 8

Lifestyle choices of early adulthood do not have any substantial cumulative effects.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745903>

Question 9

Which of the following is not a reason that children's physical aggression decreases across the preschool years?

- A)
As children improve their cognitive skills, they are less frustrated and are therefore less likely to act aggressively.
- B)
The development of dominance hierarchies and the corresponding knowledge of each other's place in the pecking order serve to reduce physical aggression.
- C)
As their egocentrism declines, children are increasingly able to understand other children's thoughts and feelings.
- D)
Children come to understand that prosocial, altruistic behaviour will accomplish their desires more effectively than aggressive behaviour.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745388>

Question 10

According to Hartup's ideas about the types of experiences that a child needs, a relationship between a teacher and a child would be a reciprocal relationship.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745414>

Question 11

Identify key transitions that are likely to occur in the family relationships of adults at mid-life. (Your answer should examine relationships in both directions of the generational chain.) Under what circumstances are family relationships a source of stress and strain, and under what circumstances are these relationships a source of affiliation and support?

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746258>

Question 12

According to researchers, what is the sequence of skill development in infants?

- A)
goodness of fit, then object differentiation
- B)
object differentiation, then object permanence
- C)
object permanence, then niche-picking
- D)
object permanence and object differentiation simultaneously

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745174>

Question 13

According to activity theory, what could older adults do in order to have the most psychologically and physically healthy response to old age?

- A) eliminate excessively demanding roles and save their energy for truly important roles
- B) increase their physical activity, preferably through aerobic and weight-bearing exercise
- C) maintain the greatest possible level of activity and involvement in the greatest possible number of roles
- D) reduce their activity and involvement in most of their social roles

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746390>

Question 14

If you play slot machines or buy lottery tickets, your behaviour is based upon a pattern of _____.

- A)
extinction
- B)
partial reinforcement
- C)
positive reinforcement
- D)
intrinsic motivation

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=744734>

Question 15

Burns are far more common in late adulthood, as the neurological message travels more slowly than in young or middle aged adults.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746362>

Question 16

An experiment called the visual cliff, had children crawl up to the end of a cliff, while being held back safely by a harness, to see if they would continue to crawl or stop and look over.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745005>

Question 17

As a general rule, the most difficult death to recover from is that of _____.

- A) a parent
- B) a child
- C) a spouse
- D) a sibling

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=746554>

Question 18

Which of the following relationship components is no longer included in the term "affair," since the development of Internet relationships prompted a redefinition of the term?

- A) stimulation
- B) psychological intimacy
- C) sexual chemistry
- D) sexual contact

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745949>

Question 19

The inability of adults and older children to remember more than a few events that took place before 3 years of age is known as theory of mind.

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=745314>

Question 20

At birth babies can not see colour, only black and white

Answer: <https://biology-forums.com/index.php?topic=744999>