



Physical, Perceptual, and Language Development



Matching

Match each item in Column A with the items in Column B. Write the correct letters in the blanks. (10 points each)

Column A

- B 1. infant's response in turning toward the source of touching that occurs anywhere around his or her mouth
- D 2. verbal utterances in which words are left out but the meaning is usually clear
- E 3. internally programmed growth of a child
- A 4. infant's clinging response to a touch on the palm of his or her hand
- C 5. study of changes that occur as an individual matures

Column B

- A. grasping reflex
- B. rooting reflex
- C. developmental psychology
- D. telegraphic speech
- E. maturation

Multiple Choice

Choose the item that best completes each statement or answers each question. Write the letter of that item in the blank to the left of the sentence. (10 points each)

- D 6. A person's behavior usually develops as a result of
 - A. attitudes only.
 - B. heredity only.
 - C. environment only.
 - D. both heredity and environment.
- B 7. There is a heating duct above an infant's head. The infant is startled in bed when the noisy heater kicks on. The infant will most likely respond with the _____ reflex.
 - A. rooting
 - B. Moro
 - C. Babinski
 - D. grasping
- C 8. At birth, the length of most infants is
 - A. 12 to 16 inches.
 - B. 20 to 24 inches.
 - C. 18 to 22 inches.
 - D. less than 12 inches.
- A 9. Before pushing an infant to master new skills, parents should wait until the infant reaches
 - A. maturational readiness.
 - B. physical readiness.
 - C. perceptual readiness.
 - D. motor readiness.
- B 10. The rules for arranging language symbols to produce new meaning are called
 - A. syntax.
 - B. grammar.
 - C. telegraphic speech.
 - D. none of the above.