PROPOSED SCHEDULE
FALL, 2003

WEEK OF:

Aug. 25
Introduction
Domains of Development
Cohorts
Contextual Nature of Development
Scientific Method
Text: pp. 3-15; 27-43

Sept. 1
Infants & Toddlers
Sensory/Perceptual Development
Physical Development
Text: pp. 106-112; 21-22; Chp. 4

Sept. 8
Infants & Toddlers
Cognitive Development
Piaget’s Theory & Sensorimotor Development
Vygotsky’s Zone of Proximal Development
Social & Personality Development
Erikson - Trust vs. Mistrust; Autonomy vs. Shame & Doubt
Temperament
Attachment
Text: Chps. 5 & 6

Sept. 15
Preschool Children & Middle Childhood
Language
Text: pp. 171-183; 243-246; 314-319
TEST 1: WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 17

Sept. 22
Preschool Children & Middle Childhood
Physical & Cognitive Development
Piaget’s Preoperational & Concrete Operational Intelligence
Information Processing Theory
Memory; Control Processes
Intelligence - Etiology; Intelligence Testing
Text: Chps. 7 & 9

Sept. 29
ARTICLE REVIEW DUE MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 29 (SEE HANDOUT FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION)

Preschool Children & Middle Childhood
Social & Personality Development
Erikson - Initiative vs. Guilt; Industry vs. Inferiority
Contemporary Family
Socialization of Children
Parenting Styles
Personality Development - Prosocial Behavior; Self-Concept; Self-Fulfilling Prophecy; Aggression

Text: Chp. 8
Oct. 6
Preschool Children & Middle Childhood
Social & Personality Development
Gender Socialization
Middle Childhood & Adolescence
Moral Development
Cognitive Developmental Theory - Kohlberg
Social Learning Theory

Text: Chp. 10
Oct. 13
Adolescence
Physical & Cognitive Development
Piaget’s Formal Operations
Elkind’s Concept of Adolescent Egocentrism
Adolescents & Education
Social & Personality Development
Erikson - Identity vs. Identity Confusion

Text: Chps. 11 & 12

Oct. 20
Adolescence
Social & Personality Development
Family Systems Theory
Problems of Adolescents

TEST 2: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 22

Oct. 27
Early Adulthood
Physical & Cognitive Development
Healthy Lifestyles
Cognitive Changes
Tasks of Adulthood - Levinson
Social & Personality Development
Erikson - Intimacy vs. Isolation
Mate Selection

Text: Chps. 13 & 14

Nov. 3
Early & Middle Adulthood
Marital Adjustment
Process of Divorce - Bohannon

Nov. 10
Middle Adulthood
Physical & Cognitive Development
Physical Changes Associated with Middle Age
Type A Personality
Cognition in Middle Adulthood
Crystallized & Fluid Intelligence

Text: Chp. 15

Nov. 17
Middle Adulthood
Social & Personality Development
Erikson - Generativity vs. Stagnation
Late Adulthood
Physical & Cognitive Development
Sensory Changes

Text: Chps. 16 & 17

Nov. 24
Late Adulthood
Physical & Cognitive Development
Intellectual Changes and Memory
Organic Brain Disease and Dementia

TEST 3: WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 26
Dec. 1
Late Adulthood
Social & Personality Development
Aging of American Society
Erikson - Integrity vs. Despair and Peck’s Extension
Personality - Stability or Change
Relationships
Retirement
Death & Dying
Text: Chps. 18 & 19
Course Review

FINAL EXAM: WEDNESDAY, DEC. 10: 7:30 - 9:30 a.m.

QUIZ DATES:

QUIZ 1: Chps. 1 & 5  SEPTEMBER 10
QUIZ 2: Chps. 8 & 9  OCTOBER 1
QUIZ 3: Chps. 10 & 11  OCTOBER 15
QUIZ 4: Chps. 13 & 15  NOVEMBER 12
QUIZ 5: Chps. 16 & 17  NOVEMBER 24