

## PSYC 2500 C : DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

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### COURSE DESCRIPTION/INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

This course introduces child development, from conception to adolescence. The course will cover basic concepts and theories of child growth and development. We will examine biological processes, cognitive and socio-emotional development. Particular attention will be paid to the social contexts of development (e.g. family, peers) and the cultural contexts of development.

### EVALUATION (SUBJECT TO CHANGE)

Online Proctored Midterm Exam – M/C (35%)

Assignment (20%)

Online Proctored Final Exam – M/C (45%)

*e-Proctoring: Please note the minimum computing requirements for this service are as follows:*

*Hardware: Desktop, or Laptop*

*OS: Windows 10, Mac OS 10.14*

*Internet Browser: Google Chrome, Mozilla Firefox, Apple Safari, or Microsoft Edge*

*Internet Connection (High-Speed Internet Connection Recommended)*

*Webcam (HD resolution recommended)*

*Note: Tablets, Chromebooks and Smartphones are not supported at this time. Windows-based tablets are not supported at this time.*

### TEXT

Kail & Barnfield. Children and Their Development. 5<sup>th</sup> Canadian Edition. Pearson Publishing.  
(ebook or hardcopy)