

Crash Course Psychology #18—The Growth of Knowledge

Answer the following questions from the video.

1. What effects your learning?
2. What is developmental psychology? (Review question!!)
3. What is maturation?
4. Who was Piaget? How did he change psychology?
5. What is a schema?
6. What is cognitive equilibrium?

7. Learning Processes

| Assimilation | Accommodation |
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8. The Four Learning Stages

| A. Sensorimotor Stage | B. Preoperational Stage | C. Concrete Operational Stage | D. Formal Operational Stage |
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| (object permanence) | (egocentrism, animism, reversibility) (go to #9) | (decentration) | |

9. What is centration?

10. What is Theory of Mind?(go to box C)

11. How does Lev Vygotsky's theory differ from Piaget?

12. How can you apply this information in your own life?

| Things you should be able to explain... | |
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| Schemas, assimilation, & accommodation | Sensorimotor, preoperational, concrete operational, & formal operational |
| Piaget's 4 Stage Theory of Cognitive Development | Vygotsky's Theory of Scaffolding |