REVISED CLASS SCHEDULE (effective Sept. 26, 2005)

Note to students: Several changes are being made in response to student comments. Dr. Manis will pass out less detailed outlines and expect students to take more notes. Dr. Manis's actual lecture notes will be put up on the web within 2 days of the lecture (along with Powerpoint slides, if presented). He will now provide the full class time for the exams (no lectures afterwards). Also, there will be exam review sessions with Dr. Manis (first one is Sept. 29 for Exam 2). Note that some of the due dates for VC papers and Observation Paper 3 have changed (you get more time). Note the date for Exam 4 was changed to Nov. 16, because lecture topics were moved. TAs will continue to hold review sessions in section, focusing on the most difficult concepts and on material in the readings that Dr. Manis did not cover in class. Notice there are three lectures given by TAs in the discussion sections (first one: Oct 6-7). Treat these like lectures by Dr. Manis.

Week 4 Sept 12  Exam 1; Infant brain development (K 5, CRR # 2, pp. 43-52 at top of page)

Video at Leavey: "The Baby's Brain" (all videos in italics are at Leavey)

Sept 14 Infant motor & perceptual dev (K 5; D 5); video at Leavey: "A Baby's World"

Section: Writing observation journals for JEP or Obs. Exercises

Week 5 Sept 19 Infant cognitive development (K 6, D 2-3 & D 6); VC demo & instructions

Sept 21 Infant thinking & language (K 6)

Section: Review for Exam 2 (K 5-6; D 2-3, 5-6, CRR # 2, 43-52, top of page)

Week 6 Sept 26 Infant emotions; temperament (Kail 7, Dixon 16); video: Life's First Feelings;

Virtual Child Parent Forum; Obs. Exercise Journal 1 due; study guide handout

Sept 28 Infant attachment (K 7, D 11-12); Virtual Child parent forum

*Sept. 29 EXAM 2 REVIEW 5:30-7:00 PM – ZHS 252

Section: Review for Exam 2 (K 7; D 11-12, 16)

Week 7 Oct 3 EXAM 2; JEP Obs. Journal 1 due

Oct 5 Preschool brain dev. ; video: The Child's Brain; autism (CRR#3); VC (0-18 mos) due

Section: Preschool phys. dev. lecture (TAs) (K 8)

Week 8 Oct 10 Preschool cognitive development; Vygotsky (K 9, D 4); Study guide

Oct 12 Language development (K 9, D 8); early childhood educ & media (K 9)

Section: Review for Exam 3 (K 9, D 4, 8, CRR # 2, pp. 43-52; CRR # 3)

Week 9 Oct 17 Preschool parenting (K 10, D 13); Obs. Journal 2 due; VC parent forum

Oct 19 Gender identity; siblings, peers & self control (K 10); VC parent forum
*Oct 20  EXAM 3 REVIEW 5:30-7:00 PM ZHS 252

Section: Review for Exam 3 (K 10, D 13)

Week 10  Oct 24  EXAM 3

Oct 26  School-age brain dev. (handout); ADHD (K 11); VC (2-4 years) due

Section: School-age physical dev lecture (TAs) (K 11)

Week 11  Oct 31  Cognitive development & dyslexia (K 12; CRR # 4)

Nov 2  Intelligence (K 12)

Section: Review for Exam 4 (K 12, CRR # 4)

Week 12  Nov 7  Peer Relationships, self esteem, and popularity (K 13); VC parent forum

Nov 9  Family influences & divorce (K 13); VC parent forum; Obs Journal 3 due

Section: Review for Exam 4 (K 13)

Week 13  Nov 14  Prosocial dev.; dev. of aggression (K 13, CRR # 5)

*Nov 14  EXAM 4 REVIEW 5:30-6:30 PM – ZHS 252

**Nov 16  EXAM 4 (**NOTICE NEW DATE!!**) 

Section: Adolescent phys dev lecture (TAs) (K 14)

Week 14  Nov 21  Adolescent brain dev and drug abuse (K 14); video: "The Teenage Brain";

Virtual Child (5-9 years) due

Nov 23  Adolescent cognitive and moral development (K 15, D15)

Section: No section (Thanksgiving)

Week 15  Nov 28  Adol. Social Dev. (K 16); VC parent forum; Obs. Journal 4 due

Nov 30  Resilience (D17); video: "House of Tomorrow"; what matters in dev.;

VC (12-17 years) due course evals

Section: Review K 14-16, D 15, 17; section evaluation

*Dec. 7  EXAM 5 REVIEW 5-6:30 PM - room to be announced

Dec. 9 (2 - 4 PM)  FINAL EXAM for MW 2-3:50 class (Exam 5: Ch. 14-16; D 15, 17)

Dec. 12 (8-10 AM)  FINAL EXAM for MW 10-11:50 class (Exam 5: Ch. 14-16; D 15, 17)