

National Institute of Open Schooling
Senior Secondary
Lesson 12 – Domains of Development
Worksheet-12

1. Explain the importance of developmental tasks. Lists developmental tasks for birth to 12 years.
2. Enlist the different stages of development and give the characteristics of each stage.
3. Physical development is somewhat rapid in the early stages of childhood. Elucidate upon the physical changes in the early developmental years.
4. Prepare a chart depicting the major milestones of motor development from birth to early childhood.
5. Observe children (with the consent of their guardians) for about 3-5 days each, from three different age groups – 6 years, 12 years and 15 years. Compare the difference between the cognitive developments of the different age groups.
6. Piaget is the pioneer of cognitive development. Explain Piaget's theory of cognitive development with examples.
7. Explain the process of language development. What are the major features in the early stages of language development?
8. The theory of Personality development given by Freud talks about the Electra and Oedipus complex. Explain Electra and Oedipus complexes and comment upon their applicability in the contemporary world.
9. In your opinion, what factors contribute in the psychosocial development of a child? Explain.