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# Essentials Of Life-Span Development



## Synopsis

Why are you assigning or considering a brief Human Development text? Is it because your students do not complete the reading in a comprehensive text? Do you run out of time trying to cover the entire lifespan over the course of a few months? Do your students struggle to retain the sheer volume of information in the course? Instructors across the country, looking for a streamlined text that captures the core concepts of life-span development are excited for John Santrock's Essentials of Life-Span Development, 3e. Essentials of Life-Span Development 3e was developed to help meet the ever-changing needs of students in the lifespan course. Knowing that students do not often read the text and have poor study skills, Essentials introduces LearnSmart, McGraw-Hill's adaptive study tool, that helps students know what they know, and more importantly what they don't know, to become more efficient and effective learners. Based on hallmark features: its expert contributors, updated research, and focus on applications, Santrock provides the most dependable and current presentation of life-span development available, and he does so in a briefer format with LearnSmart, helping to ensure that your students will read and appreciate the material while seeing the applications to their everyday life. McGraw-Hill's new Milestones video and assessment program helps bring the course material to life, so your students can witness development as it unfolds.

## Book Information

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University of Minnesota. He taught at the University of Charleston and the University of Georgia before joining the faculty at the University of Texas at Dallas. He has worked as a school psychologist and currently teaches educational psychology every year at the undergraduate level. In 2006, John received the University of Texas at Dallas Excellence in teaching award. His research has included publications in the Journal of Educational Psychology that focus on the contextual aspects of affectively-toned cognition and children's self-regulatory behavior as well as teachers' perceptions of children from divorced families. He has been a member of the editorial boards of Developmental Psychology and Child Development. His publications include these exceptional McGraw-Hill texts: Child Development, 13th Ed; Life-Span Development, 14th Edition; Adolescence, 14th Edition; Psychology, 7th Edition; and Educational Psychology, 4th Edition.

I rented it and when I received it it had a spill on the bottom corner of the whole book. It smelled funny and alot of the pages were stuck together. First time I ever receive a rental in such bad condition. Specially for the money I paid! I had no choice but to make it work since my class had started.

Very thorough in diagnosing and explaining...sometimes too much lol. My professor gives us study guides that hit main points in the chapters so we dnt get lost or overwhelmed. It definitely covers alot. This book is used, but came to me in goid consition.

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It did its work.

For class I need some promo code so I can do my homework online and what do you know....no code in the book. To rent this POS is about \$40 and to get the "code" from McGraw Hill online is about \$80....this book brand new with the code is about \$120. WTF?!? waste of time and money

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This book was required for my Child Development Class, I loved the material, I learned so much about myself while reading and taking this class with the help of this book.

Book is great condition. Just didn't come with the access code needed for the class. I thought it would come with it for the hefty price I paid. Ended up having to spend more on the code in addition.

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