

Infancy and Childhood

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Infancy

Discusses milestones that occur during infancy and the first few years of childhood.

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Vocabulary

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Term	Definition
childhood	stage of human life that occurs between the age of 1 year and the start of puberty.
infancy	first year of life after birth in humans.

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