

# Growth and Development Lab Case Studies

**Please complete the following Case Studies and bring to your Lab B on Thursday of Week 2.**

## **Case Study 1: Dawn, a 10 month old**

Dawn is a 10 month old admitted to the hospital for a specific workup.

1. Explain the stages Dawn is in according to Freud, Piaget, Erickson.
2. What behaviors would you expect of an infant this age? Gross, Fine, Motor, Etc.
3. What are nutritional characteristics of infants this age?
4. What are appropriate toys for an infant this age?

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## **Case Study 2: Emily, a 2 year old**

Emily is a 2 year old who was admitted to the hospital for the removal of a benign tumor. The admitting note states Emily may be developmentally behind in the area of gross motor skills.

1. Explain the stage Emily is in according to Freud, Piaget, and Erickson.
2. What gross motor skills would you expect Emily to be demonstrating?
3. What are nutritional characteristics of a child this age?
4. What stage of play is Emily in and what toys are appropriate?

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## **Case Study 3: Art, a 4 year old**

Art is a 4 year old who appears to have reached all of his developmental milestones

1. Explain the stages Art is in according to Freud, Piaget, Erickson.
2. What behaviors would you expect of Art? (Gross, Fine Motor, etc.)
3. What are nutritional characteristics of a child this age?
4. What stage of play would Art be in?
5. What are appropriate toys for a child this age?