



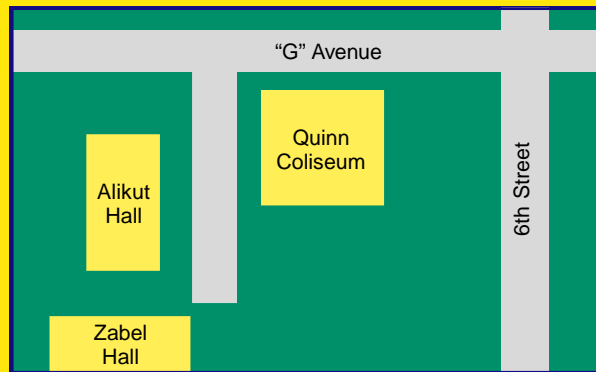
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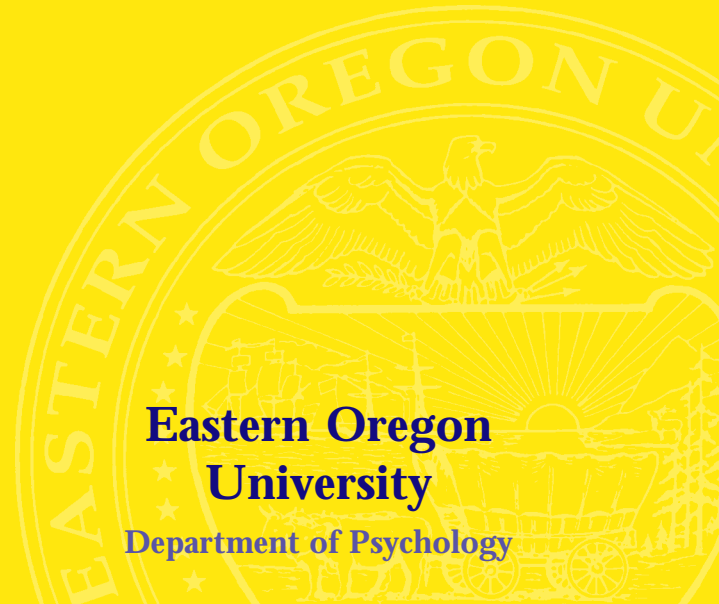
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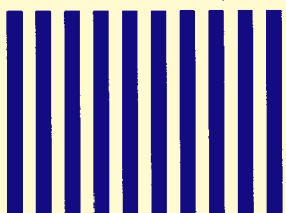
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Eastern Oregon University Project W.I.L.D.

Dear Parents,

Within the first few months of life, children are keenly interested in the world around them. At Project W.I.L.D. (Watching Infants Learn and Develop), faculty and advanced students in the Psychology Department at Eastern Oregon University study infants and toddlers to learn more about their newly developing abilities. Our studies rely upon interested parent and infant volunteers, and we hope that you and your child can help us by participating in our studies.

The details of individual studies vary. Typically, the infants view pictures, listen to sounds, or play with objects while we videotape their behaviors. A parent remains in the room with the infant throughout the study. Our studies are not clinical tests. Rather, we look at results from a group of infants in the same age range. Our studies are aimed to improve our understanding of the normal developmental changes occurring early in life. We can learn a great deal about infants from watching what they do and how they learn.

If you would like to participate, please send in your reply card and we will contact you when we have a



study for your child's age group. If you prefer, feel free to call us at (541) 962-3580 for more information.

Participation involves a one-hour visit to our office in Zabel Hall, Room 101A, located on the EOU campus in La Grande. Parking is provided on campus (see map). The typical visit involves about 15 minutes of testing time for your infant. We schedule appointments for one hour so we have time to discuss the study with you. Your infants will be given a small gift for participating.

We will be happy to discuss our current study programs with you. We hope that you and your child will find participation in Project W.I.L.D. to be interesting and informative.

For further information, please call us at (541) 962-3580, or return the enclosed card. Please feel free to tell any of your friends or neighbors who have infants about Project W.I.L.D. and give them our phone number. Thank you!

How does infant memory develop?

Do words influence how infants learn about objects?

Eastern Oregon University Project W.I.L.D.

Infant's name _____

Infant's Date of Birth _____

Sex: Female Male

Parents' names _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Daytime phone () _____ Evening phone () _____

Best time to contact you _____