



MONROE COUNTY  
COMMUNITY COLLEGE

# Course Outcome Summary

**Standard Course**

## **Psych 254 Life Span Psychology**

### **Course Information**

<b>Division</b>	<b>Sciences / Mathematics</b>
<b>Contact Hours</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Theory</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>Total Credits</b>	<b>3</b>

**Prerequisites**                      **PSYCH 151 General Psychology**

### **Course Description**

This course is an exploration of human development across the life span from conception until death. Students will be exposed to scientific theories and research of the relevant domains of human development including physical, cognitive, social, intellectual, perceptual, personality and emotional growth. As we examine how humans develop over time, we will simultaneously explore and reflect upon the complexity and uniqueness of each person and each person's experiences as well as commonalities and patterns among people. The course provides opportunities for scholarship as well as personal reflection and growth.

### **Course Outcomes**

In order to evidence success in this course, students will be able to:

1. Demonstrate an understanding of major psychological concepts and theoretical perspectives related to the field of developmental psychology.
2. Understand and apply how the scientific method and research designs are used in developmental psychology.
3. Recognize, understand, and respect the complexity and diversity of humans that results from the interaction of the domains of human development across the life span.
4. Develop insight into the factors contributing to their own and others' development to promote healthy personal and professional growth.

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