

Check Your Answers: After You Read

Section 23.1

Review Key Concepts

1. Sigmund Freud, Jean Piaget, Abraham Maslow, Daniel Levinson, and Erik Erikson
2. Sample answer: For a child to learn to speak, he must have the physical ability to control the muscles as well as the intellectual ability to know the words and their meanings.
3. A person's environment includes family, friends, technology, culture, and media, among other things.

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4. Negative behavior may involve law enforcement or damaging property. Positive behavior may improve the community or make people feel good.
5. Sample answer: Maria Montessori believed that children learn naturally if placed in a prepared learning environment with appropriate materials. Her theories are used as the basis for Montessori schools, which are designed to allow children to learn by themselves and from one another.

Section 23.2

Review Key Concepts

1. Developmental tasks are skills and abilities that are mastered as part of the maturing process during each stage of development. For example, a toddler must learn to walk and a school-age child must learn to reason.
2. Special needs must be recognized as soon as possible so people get the help they need to reach their full potential.

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3. Comic strips should be original and show a teen using humor to cope with at least one of the physical changes associated with adolescence, such as acne, a growth spurt, or facial hair.
4. Brochures will vary but should accurately identify a local organization that helps families cope with disabilities, such as learning disabilities or emotional disabilities. Brochures should also accurately represent the services offered.