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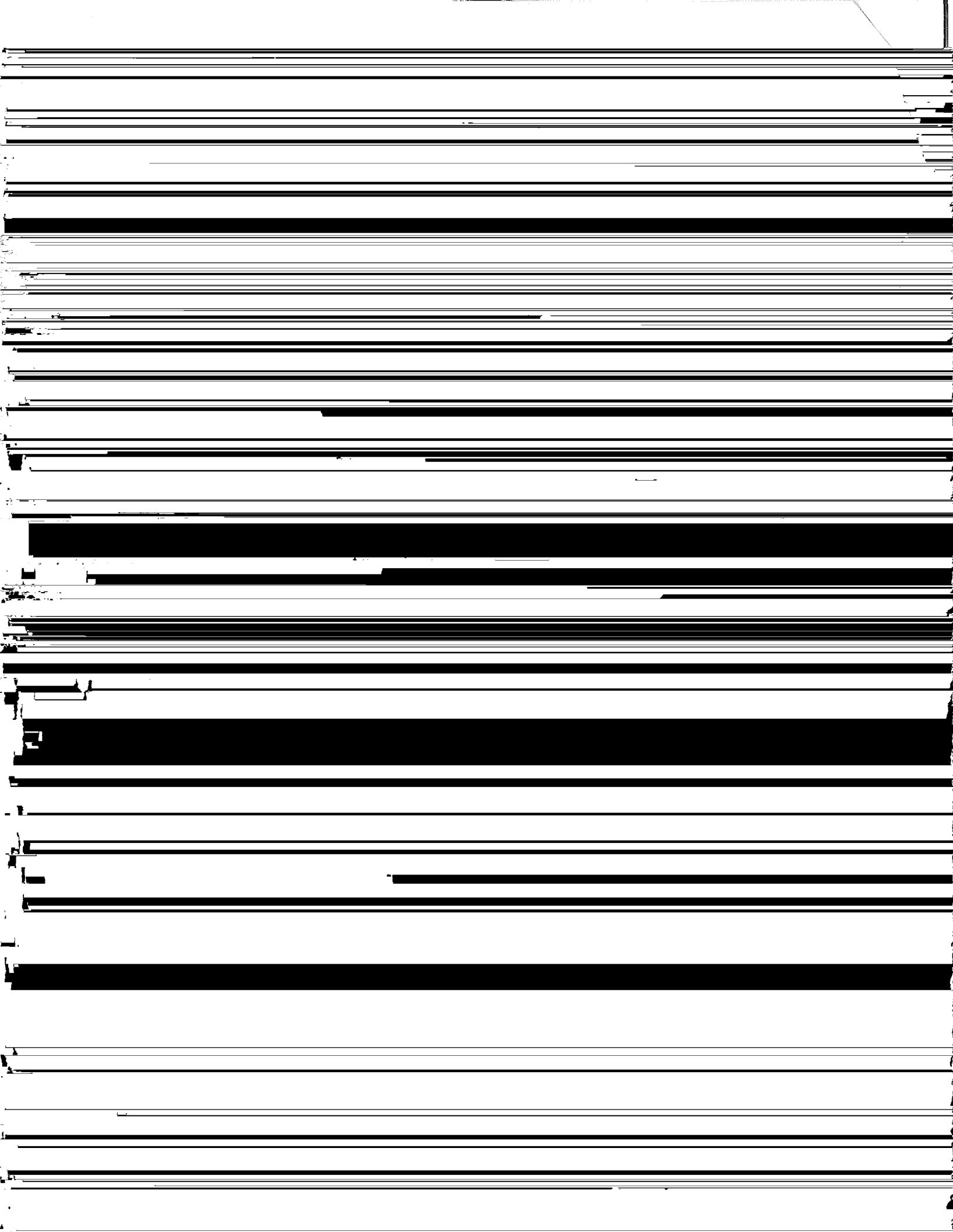# Lifespan Developmental Psychology PSY 2510-003

The terminology from the textbook should be mastered <u>in advance</u> of our class
meetings. Lectures will follow the general structure of the assigned textbook. However,

Course Requirements

My Developmental Lab

The MyDevelopmentalLab software package will be an integral portion of the material
for this course. This software package is aimed at integrating a variety of different types

are unable to meet the required criteria in 4 attempts, you will need to speak with the instructor to obtain further access.

Extra Credit

It is often the case that life events get in the way of studying, leading students to seek the benefit of extra credit to compensate for the occasional shortcoming. There will be

opportunities for extra credit throughout the semester, however these will be rare. Potentially, these will include: review and write up of developmental psychology journal articles, attendance of departmental colloquia and experiment participation. However, extra credit totaling 3% of the final grade or less will be available. **Do not rely on extra**

Grading Policy

As noted above, there will be 8 exams. The percentages and total possible points are

Exam	Approx. Weight	Possible Points
Exam 1	10.71%	30 points
Exams 2, 3, 7	12.14%	34 points
Exams 4, 5, 6	12.86%	36 points

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Week	Date	Topic	Reading
1	August 20	Course Outline, Introduction	Chapter 1
	August 22	Developmental Origins & Theories	
2	August 27	Research Methods, Genetics	Chapter 2
	August 29	Prenatal Development	
3	September 3	No Class: Labor Day	