

Baillargeon – Questions by Topic

Q1.

Baillargeon studied early infant abilities by conducting violation of expectation studies. What is meant by 'violation of expectation'?

(Total 1 mark)

Q2.

(a) Describe **one** way in which psychologists have investigated the cognitive abilities of infants under the age of two years. Refer to a specific study in your answer.

(3)

(b) Evaluate the way of investigating infant cognitive abilities that you have described in your answer to part (a). Do **not** refer to ethical issues in your answer.

(3)

(Total 6 marks)

Q3.

Discuss what Baillargeon's research has told us about early infant abilities.

(Total 16 marks)