

# Beliefs About Children's Development

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**1. Deviant vs. Typical Behavior:** deviant, unacceptable behavior is always **interwoven** with typical, acceptable behavior.



**2. Sequential Development:** normal processes of social, emotional, and behavioral development follows an orderly and **predictable sequence**, yet it **also** is **uniquely individual** because of biological predispositions and foundations laid in prior experiences with people.



**3. Pleasure and Success:** productive changes occur when behavior brings **successful and satisfying** results.



**4. Relevant Experiences:** a student learns and grows by cultural and personally **meaningful experiences.**

