# PEDAGOGY & CLASSROOM MANAGEMENT 101

Bay Region Dual Enrollment Professional Development

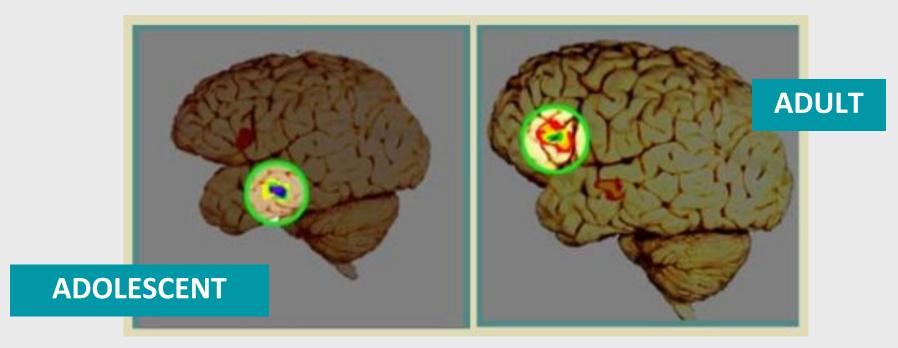
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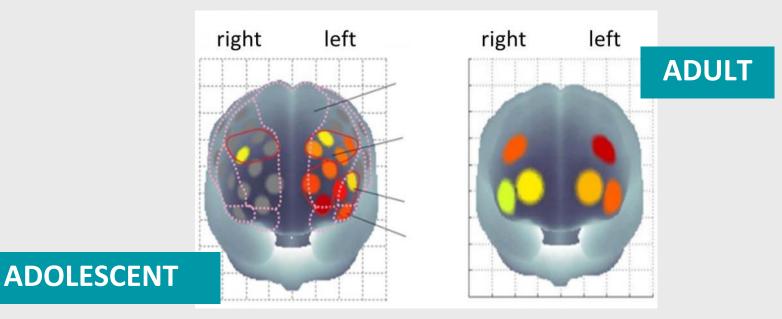




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# **Processing Emotions**





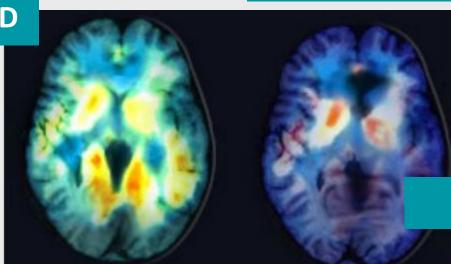
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#### **Processing Emotions**



They are both ADOLESCENT

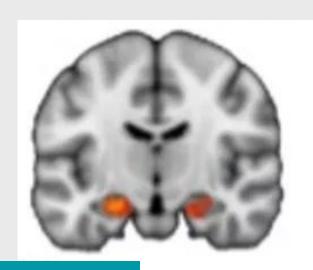
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**DEPRESSED** 

**Response to Stimuli** 









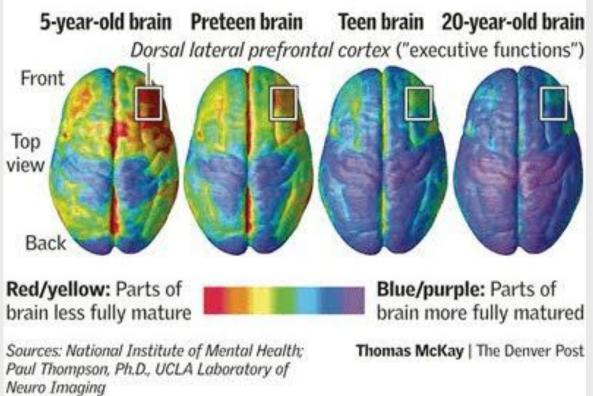
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# **Activity While Learning**

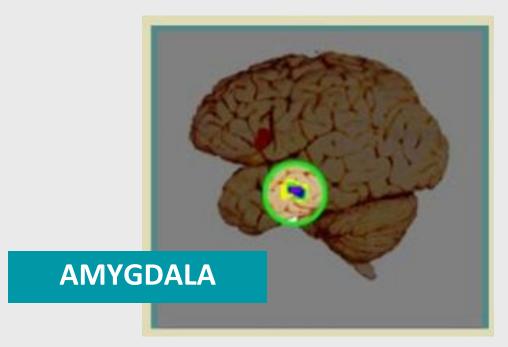


# **Exploring the Adolescent Brain**





# **Emotion Drives Attention; Attention Drives Learning**



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### **Hardwiring the Brain**

"...if teens are doing music and sports and academics, that's how brains will be hardwired. If they are doing video games and MTV and lying on the couch, that will be how they are hardwired."

Jay Giedd (UCSD)



#### **Available Resource**



# Working with Adolescents —Strategies for Instructors

Five general factors influence brain development – genetics, environmental stimulation, nutrition, steroids, and teratogens. Educators can affect one of these in particular: **environmental stimulation**.



#### The Adolescent Brain - How the brain learns best

**Experiential learning** 

**Problem-solving & decision-making** 

**Failing forward** 

**Scaffolding** 

**Use of Models** 

**Physical and other activities** 



#### **Ways to Engage Students**

Allow students to...

Choose	the	topic
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Ask the questions (design thinking!)

Decide the content

Pick the materials and resources

Choose the strategies

Choose the scaffolding

Choose the format

Choose the audience

Choose the groups



#### **Choose Your Own Adventure**

Article A: Teen Engagement in Learning Starts With Respect

Article B: 7 Tips for Better Classroom Management

Decide on an article you'd like to explore and find a partner or partners to read through and discuss.

You have 10 minutes.

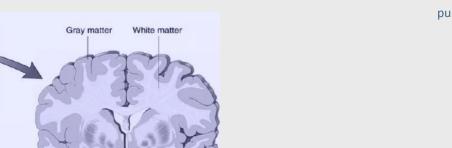


# **College Strengthens the Brain - Education Matters**

Exposure to new ideas and activities strengthens the structure of the brain and the foundation of cognitive abilities.

College-educated people had...

- longer and more complex dendrites than their less educated peers, a feature that is thought to be a critical underpinning of intelligence.
- less gray matter volume loss.
- higher activation levels in areas of the brain associated with working memory.
- brains that were both more efficient and more resilient.





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#### **Session Reflection**

What is something new from this session you'd like to consider? How do you think this can influence your instruction?

# YOU CHOOSE

Individual reflection

Pair Share





# **Classroom Management - Holistic Approach**





## **Table Topic Team Time: Instructions**

Table Discussion

Using the topic prompts, engage in a discussion about your practice and thoughts. Explore and recommend resources.

15 **Poster Making**min How does your topic impact the environment you create in the classroom?

- Create poster to share information/promising practices
- Post somewhere in the room once complete
- Gallery Walk

5 min Activity Wrap-Up

Syllabus

Grades/Grading

**Instructor Contact** 

**Maintaining Rigor** 

Staying Focused

College Resources/Tools

