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Robert S. Feldman is Professor of Psychological and Brain Sciences and Deputy Chancellor of the University of Massachusetts Amherst. A recipient of the College Distinguished Teacher Award, he teaches classes ranging in size from 10 to nearly 500 students. During the course of more than two decades as a college instructor, he has taught both undergraduate and graduate courses at Mount Holyoke College, Wesleyan University, and Virginia Commonwealth University in addition to the University of Massachusetts Amherst. A Fellow of both the American Psychological Association and the Association for Psychological Science, Professor Feldman received a B.A. with High Honors from Wesleyan University (and from which he received the Distinguished Alumni Award). He has an MS and Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He is a winner of a Fulbright Senior Research Scholar and Lecturer award, and he has written more than 200 books, book chapters, and scientific articles. He has edited *Development of Nonverbal Behavior in Children* (Springer-Verlag) and *Applications of Nonverbal Behavioral Theory and Research* (Erlbaum), and co-edited *Fundamentals of Nonverbal Behavior* (Cambridge University Press). He is also author of *Development Across the Life Span*, *Understanding Psychology*, and *P.O.W.E.R. Learning: Strategies for Success in College and Life*. His books have been translated into many languages, including Spanish, French, Portuguese, Dutch, Chinese, Korean, German, Arabic, Tagalog, and Japanese, and more than 2.5 million students have used his textbooks. Professor Feldman's research interests include honesty and deception in everyday life, work that he described in *The Liar in Your Life*, a trade book published in 2009. His research has been supported by grants from the National Institute of Mental Health and the National Institute on Disabilities and Rehabilitation Research. He is also president of the Federation of Associations in the Behavioral and Brain Sciences Foundation, an organization that promotes the social sciences, and a member of the board of New England Public Radio. Professor Feldman loves music, is an enthusiastic pianist, and enjoys cooking and traveling. He has three children and two young grandsons. He and his wife, a psychologist, live in western Massachusetts in a home overlooking the Holyoke Mountain Range.

I've purchased this book as it was \$4.50 compared to the \$150+ for the newer 6th Edition, crossing my fingers that the material would be near identical. I was not disappointed; ALL the material needed to complete my school work was found in the 5th Edition. If you don't want to dish out \$150

for the same material I would highly suggest this book. Pros: Great material Book has all the necessary material for your course Cons: VERY slow shipping, at least in my case, I would suggest ordering at least 2 weeks prior to the beginning date of your class.

This book was very informative, and I received a lot of information and was able to pass my child development class with a fresh view of how child development works in which this information will last a lifetime.

It's a very good textbook! I felt like I was free reading instead of reading a book for class. This will be the first textbook I've actually read cover to cover!

This was purchased as a text book for a child development course. Copy #1 arrived, was poorly packed and had been damaged in transit. We returned it, and shipped copy number 2. Copy #2 wasn't new - it had highlighter markings in some chapters and sticky notes. Back it went to . Copy #3 arrived, new and properly packed. There was a further hiccup with the returns. warned that we hadn't returned copy #1, after I'd had an email confirming receipt. I called the secret support line and they sorted it out! Overall, Good service. The book? Some chapters refer to the CD (comes with book), and the CD has no content to support the references. The book's required reading, and is a pretty good text book.

I think it would be a good idea to list what grade levels are appropriate for the books. I have been using it for a high school class. It has a lot of really good information but seems to be a college level book.

It work out very good it came in handy

Good book, looks a little used but it's just a rental so i don't mind

I needed the 6th edition, but the 5th edition was the same! The 6th edition is \$180.00 where I live! And this 5th edition was super cheap!! It looked as if was brand new! It has almost if not the same information as the new updated one! This textbook had helped me a lot! Thank you!

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