

CLASS – 11

PSYCHOLOGY

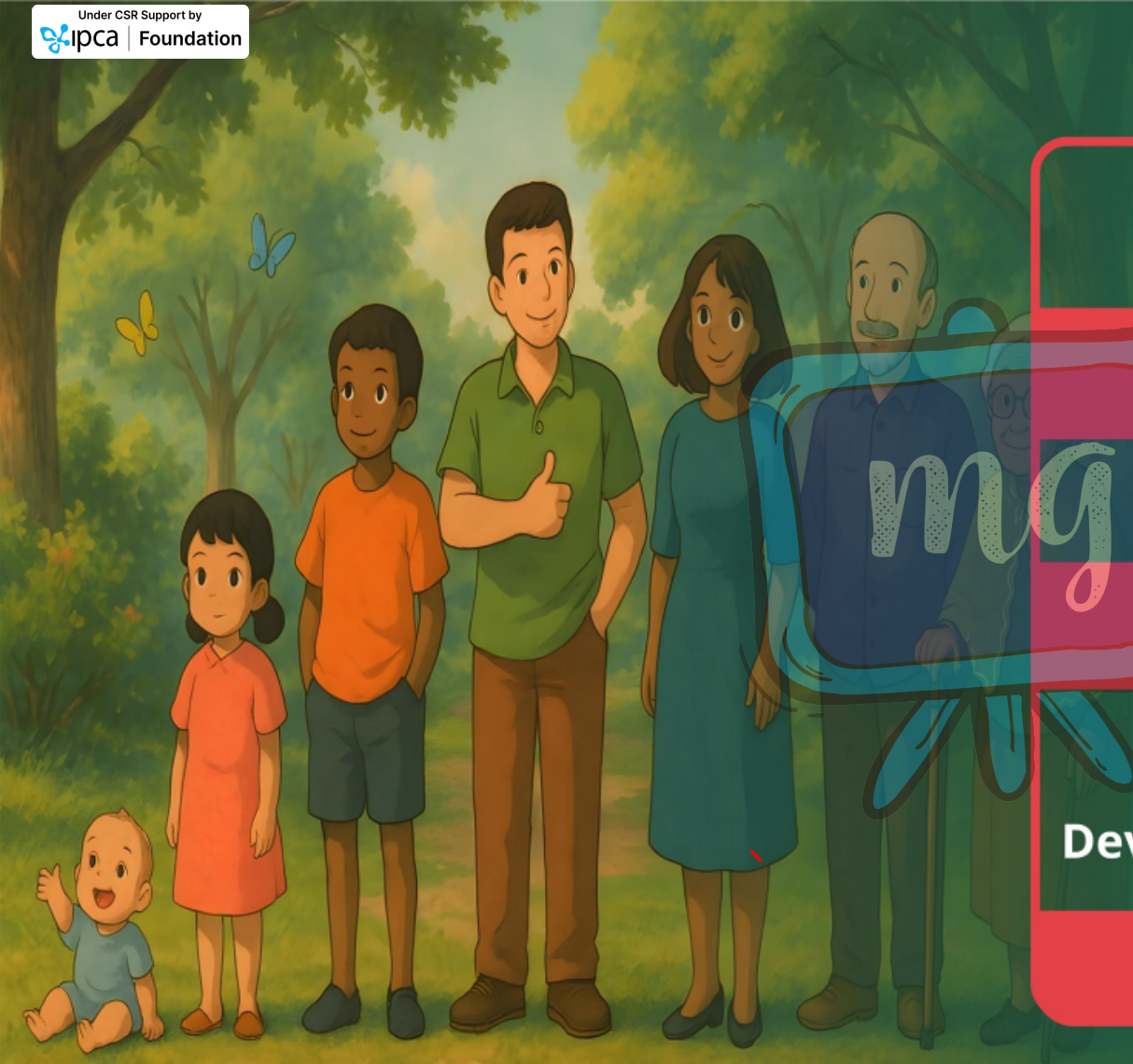
Chapter – 3

Human Development

Part – 4

Developmental & Prenatal Stages

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OVERVIEW

1. Introduction

2. Life Span Perspective

3. Factors Influencing Development

4. Context of Development

5. Brief of Developmental Stages

6. Prenatal Stage

7. Infancy and Childhood

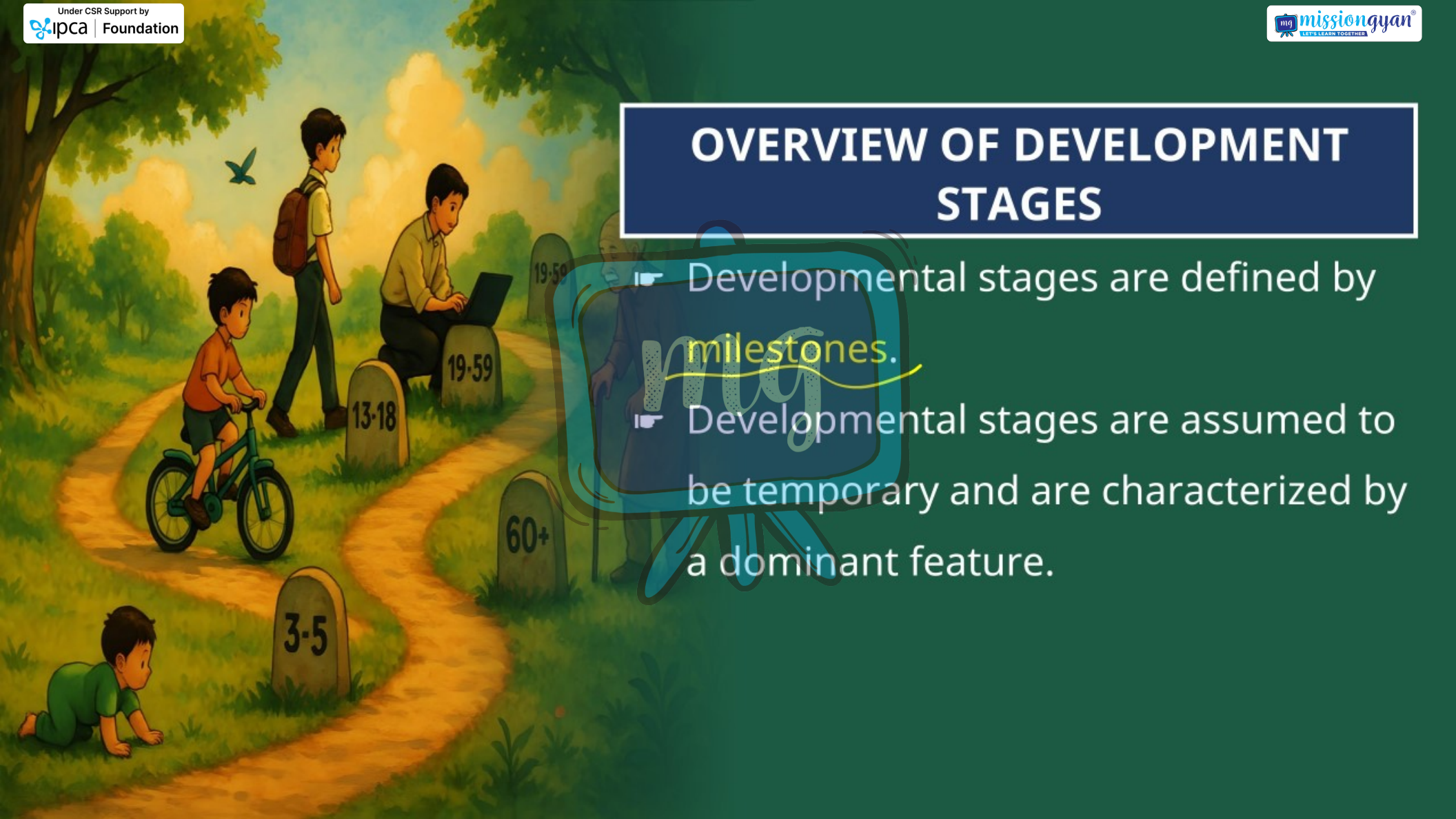
8. Adolescence

9. Adulthood and Old Age



OVERVIEW OF DEVELOPMENT STAGES

- Developmental stages are defined by milestones.
- Developmental stages are assumed to be temporary and are characterized by a dominant feature.





Developmental Tasks


- During a particular stage, individual progresses towards an assumed goal- a state or ability that s/he must achieve in the same order as other persons before progressing to the next stage in the sequence.

Social Expectations

PRENATAL STAGES


- ▮ The period from conception to birth.
- ▮ It last about for 40 weeks.
- ▮ Affected by maternal characteristics like mother's age, nutrition and emotional state.





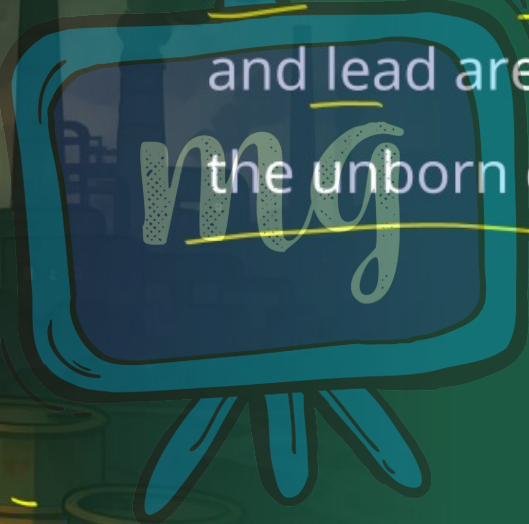
▮ Teratogens are environmental agents that causes deviation in normal development that could lead to serious abnormalities or death.

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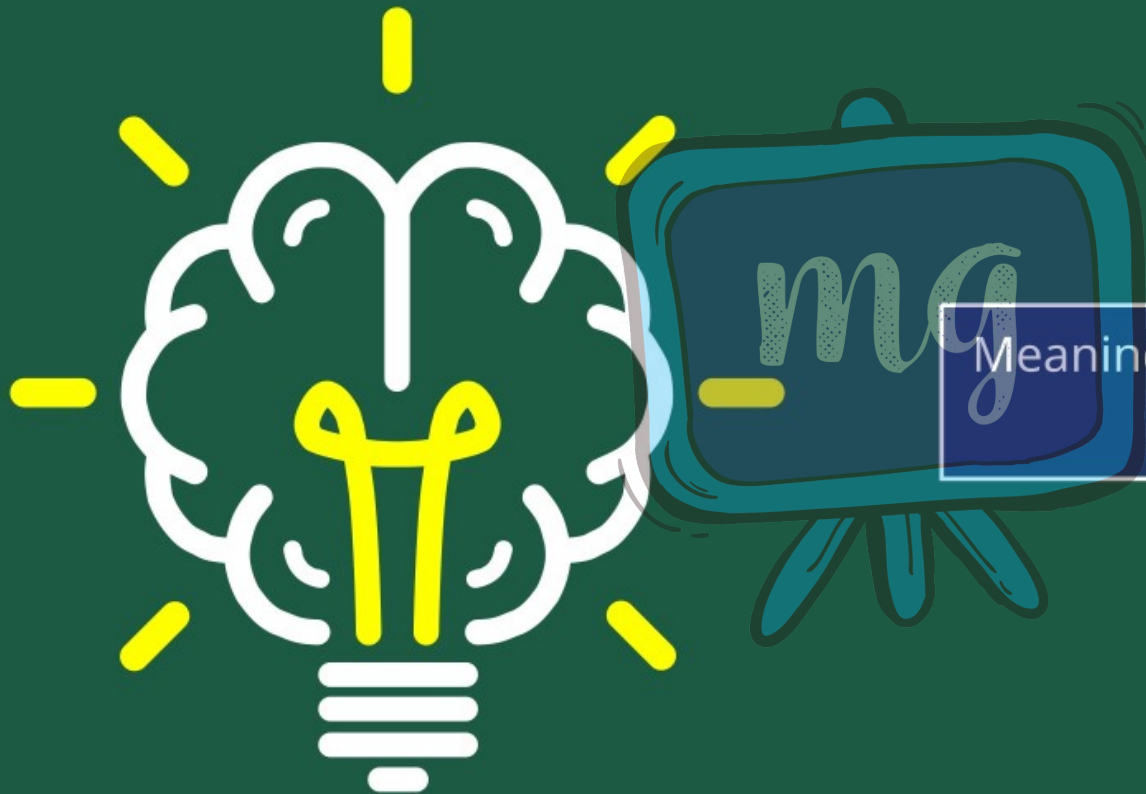


▮ **Teratogen** : Any agent that can disturb the development of embryo or fetus. Teratogens may cause a birth defect in the child. Or a teratogen may halt the pregnancy outright. The classes of teratogens include radiation, maternal infections, chemicals, and drugs.

- Environmental Pollutants and toxic wastes like carbon monoxide, mercury and lead are also sources of danger to the unborn child.



LEARNING OUTCOME



Meaning of Development Stages
Prenatal Stage

ASSESSMENT

1 _____ cause birth defects and harms the unborn baby.

- ☐ A Second hand smoke
- ☐ B Environmental pollutants
- ☐ C Teratogen
- ☐ D None of the above

ASSESSMENT

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Each development stage is defined by milestone.

A
B

True

False

A)