

## Comparing holistic development across the 6 life stages

### How to Compare

**Compare:** Identifying and explaining similarities and differences

### Comparative Language

#### To Show Comparison

- Similarly
- Equally
- Likewise
- As with
- Just as ... so too
- A similar
- Comparable
- In the same time
- Just as
- Same as
- By the same token
- In the same way
- Just like

#### To Show Contrast

- However/ Nevertheless
- Alternatively
- Despite this
- On the contrary
- Yet
- Whereas
- Apart from
- Even so
- Although
- In spite of
- While

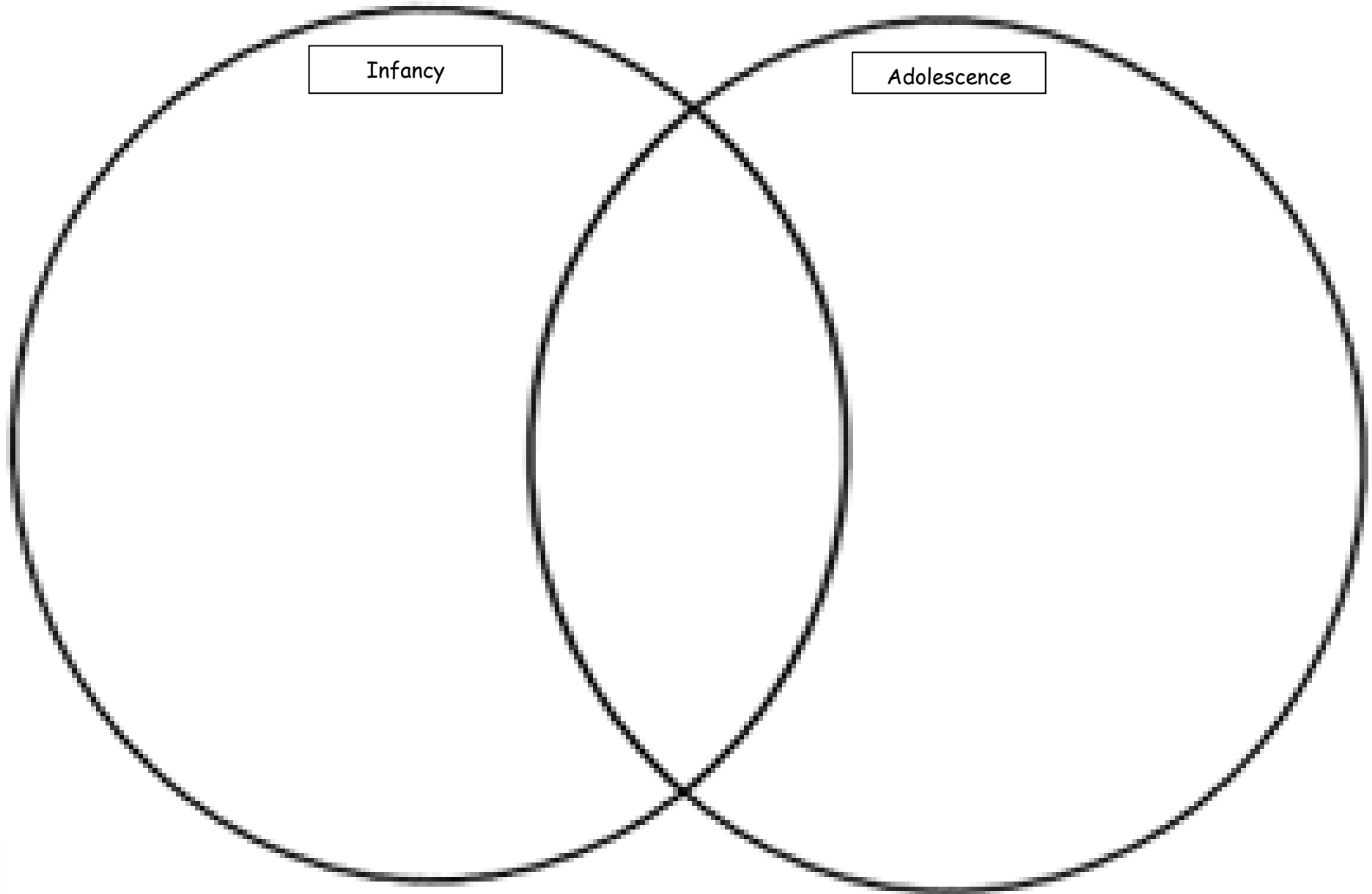
In your PSA's you need to be able to describe different areas of development for all the life stages and **compare** the similarities and differences across development.

Use the Venn diagrams below to plan out some ideas. *Differences go in the circles. Similarities go in the overlap between.*

Physical Development

Infancy

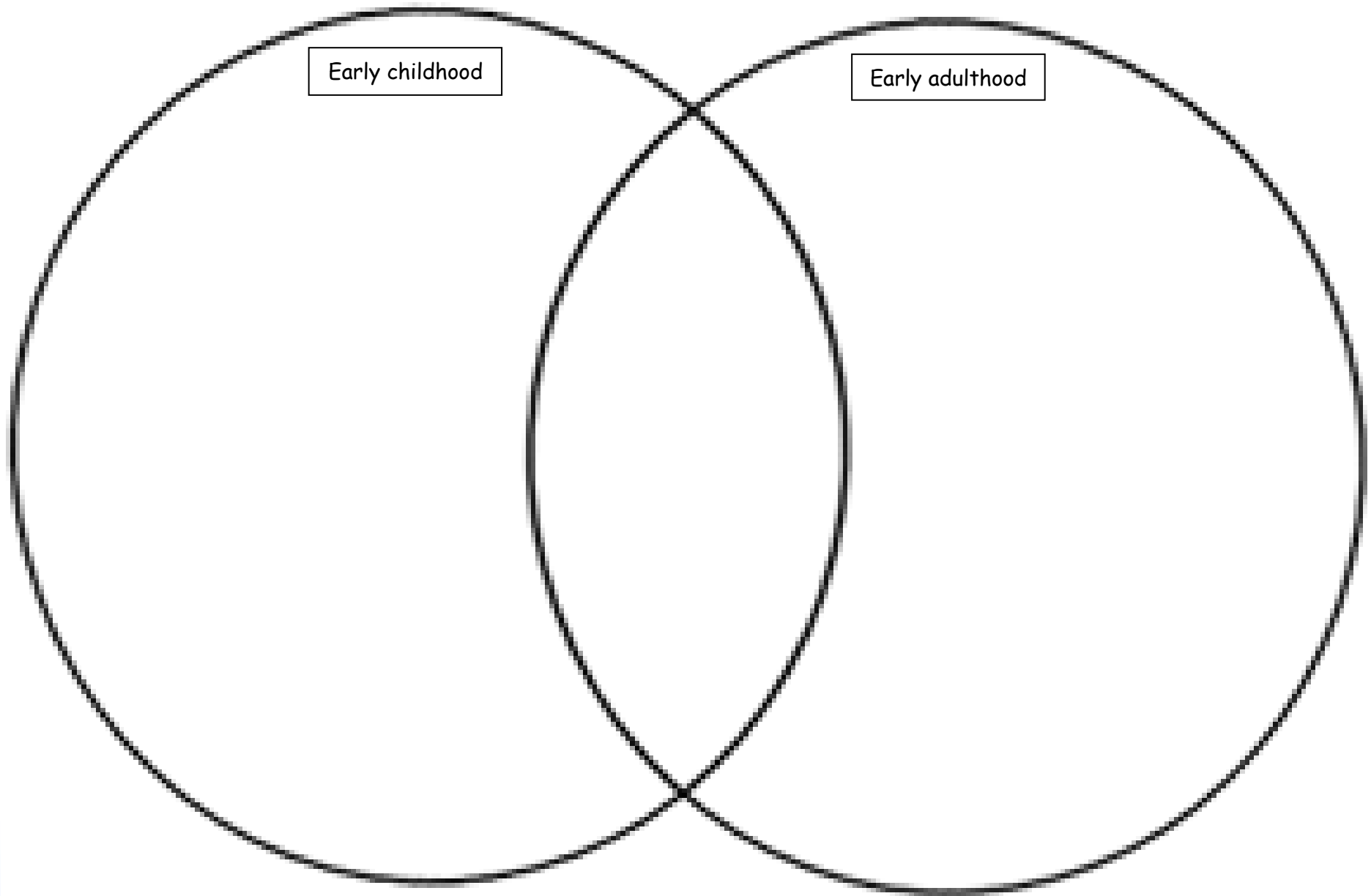
Adolescence



Intellectual Development

Early childhood

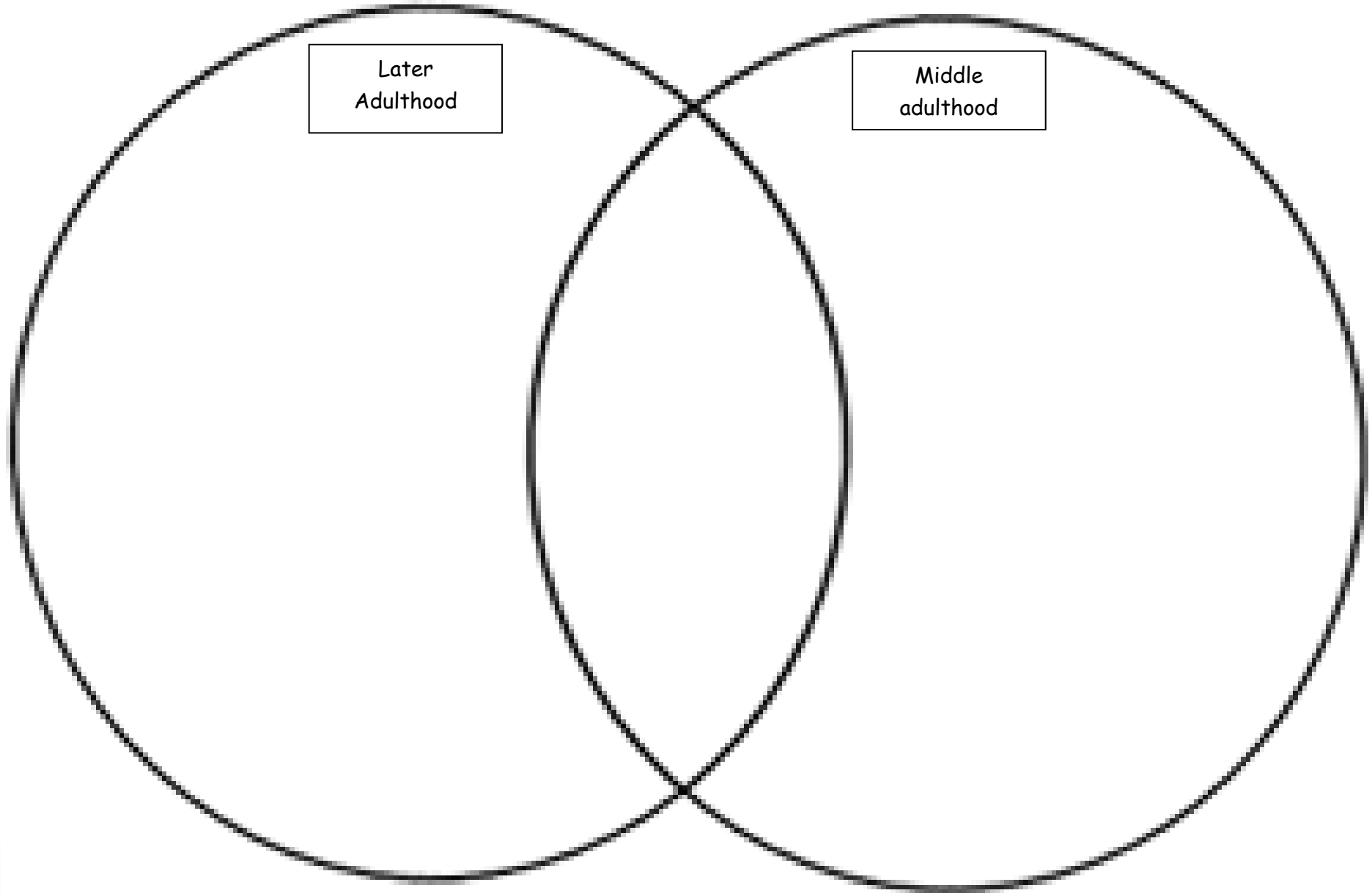
Early adulthood



Emotional Development

Later  
Adulthood

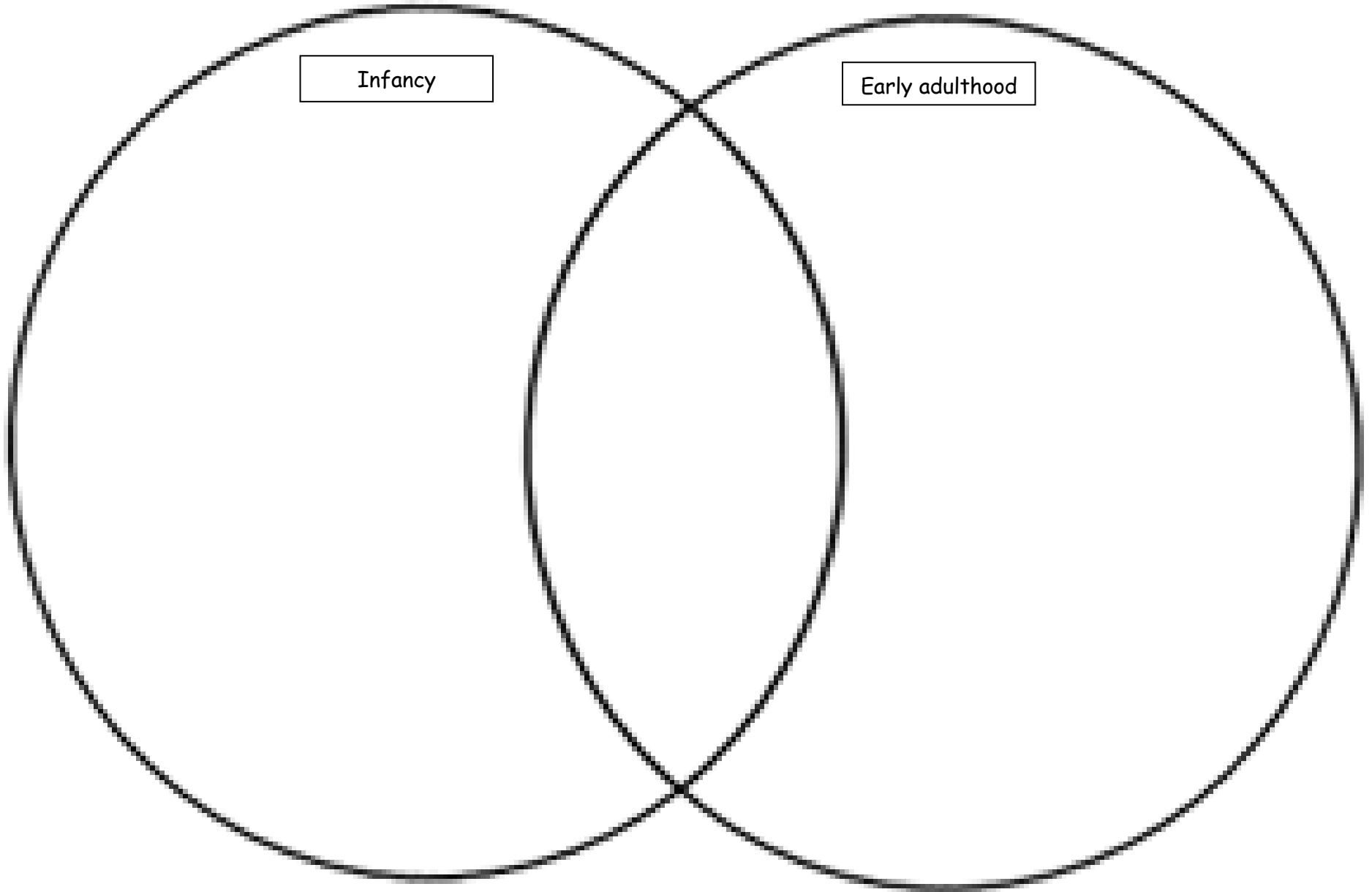
Middle  
adulthood



Social Development

Infancy

Early adulthood



# Learning Activities

## ACTIVITY 12

Kobe is a 9-year-old boy who fell off his bike and broke his leg.  
How might this have affected Kobe's development? Fill in the table below.

<p><b>Physical</b></p>	<p><b>Intellectual</b></p>
<p><b>Emotional</b></p>	<p><b>Social</b></p>

## ACTIVITY 13

What are the similarities and differences between early childhood and infancy?

Similarities	Differences