

VOCABULARY LISTS

Teen Angst Linked to Brain Development

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1. **amygdala**

"In particular, there was one part of the brain which is called the **amygdala**.

2. **angst**

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3. **cognitive**

"Although they look very mature, they look tall and strong and they're doing very complex school work and things like that - they're **cognitive** development is moving very rapidly, it's very easy to forget that there are some aspects of their brain that are really still developing slowly," he said.

4. **nurture**

That's what we call the nature versus **nurture** question.

5. **aggression**

Associate Professor Nick Allen says children prone to **aggression** had a common feature.

6. **prone**

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7. **emerge**

Researchers at the University of Melbourne, working with American colleagues, scanned the brains of nearly 140 11 to 14-year olds, catching them just before the age when true teenage angst tends to **emerge**.

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