

# Lesson 11.1

## Growth and Development of Toddlers

As you are reading, write what you learn about each topic in the appropriate column.

<b>After studying this lesson, you will be able to</b>			
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>describe a child’s organ maturation in the toddler years, specifically focusing on changes in the brain.</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>explain body growth and development in the toddler years in terms of changes in height and weight, body proportions, bones and teeth, and fat and muscles.</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>distinguish between <i>large-muscle</i> and <i>small-muscle</i> development and give examples of major gross- and fine-motor skills children develop during the toddler years.</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>give examples of physical developmental milestones children might achieve in the toddler years.</b></p>