

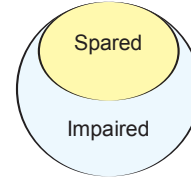


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The School For Accelerated Learning
 Camp Good Times-Summer Camp ♦ Lectures
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Spared / Impaired

adapted from G. Dawson (1999)



DOMAIN	SPARED	IMPAIRED
Emotions	Primary: Happy, Sad, Angry	Complex: Joy, Envy, Greed, Jealousy, Empathy
Memory	Rote	Encoding and Complex
Attachment	Object oriented or limited	People oriented with several attachments
Play	Sensory exploration/literal	Symbolic/imaginative & complex
Communication	Ego-centered or basic	Complex language & pragmatic
Sensory	Ability to have sensations	Input, interpretation, and output
Attention	Can be hyper-focused	Can over-focus/or have ADD/joint attention can be missing
Gestures	Protodeclarative or absent	Protoimperative
Thought	Concrete/literal	Complex/Abstract/Creative
Perspective Taking	Physical only	Emotional/knowing what another is thinking/feeling and why
Executive Functioning	Idiosyncratic & Limited	All Aspects

Notes: