

Early Childhood Education: Hit the Ground Running!

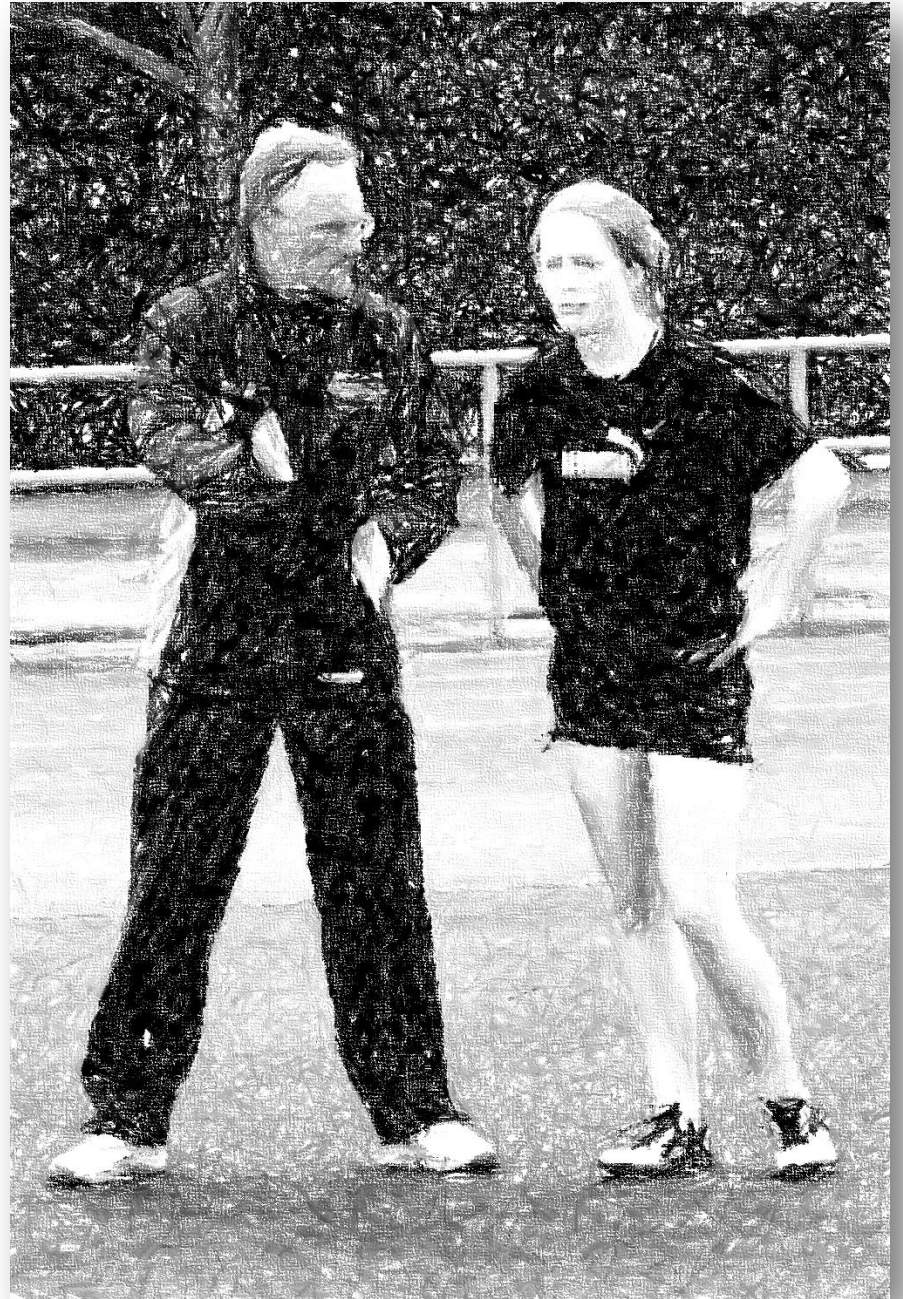
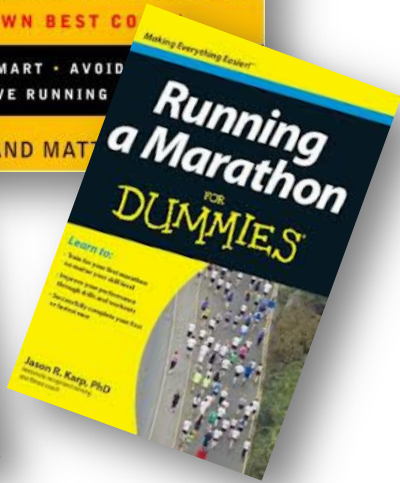
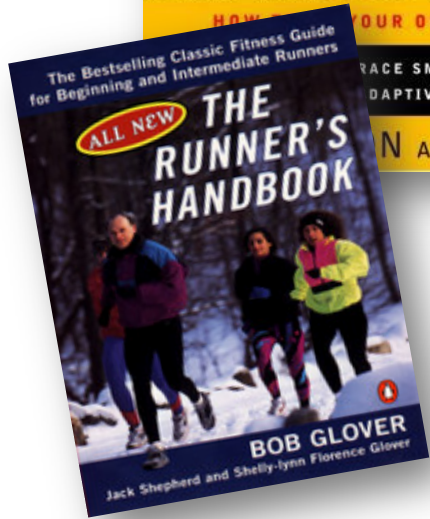
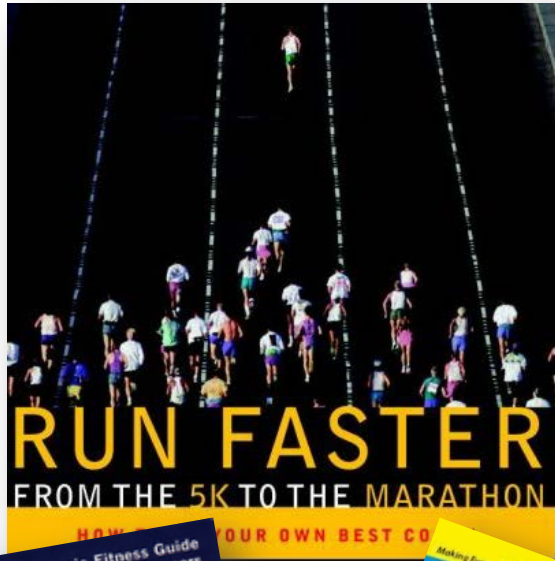


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STRONG**









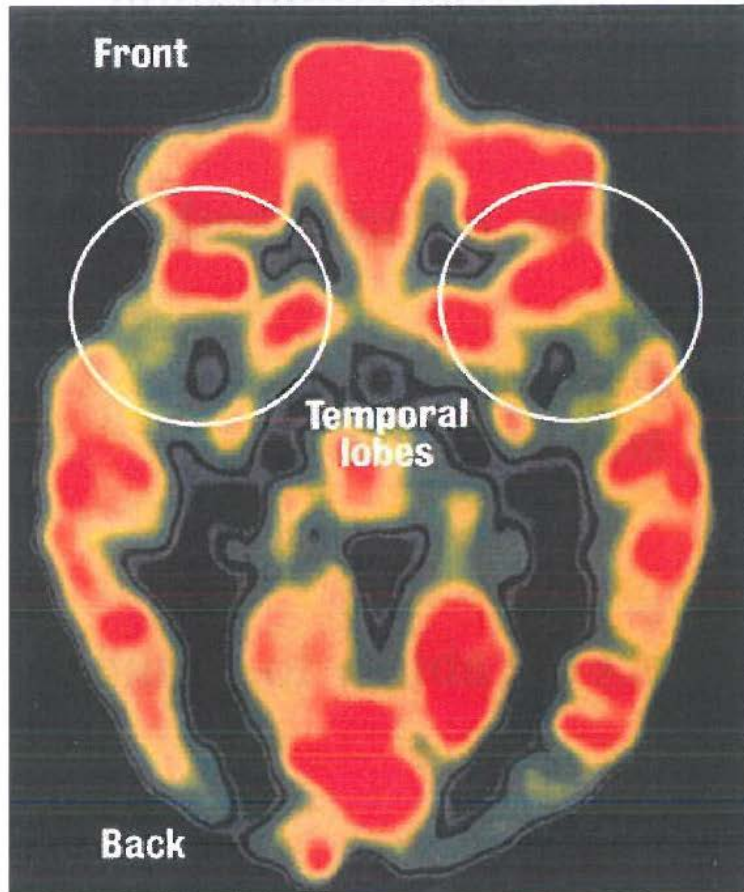




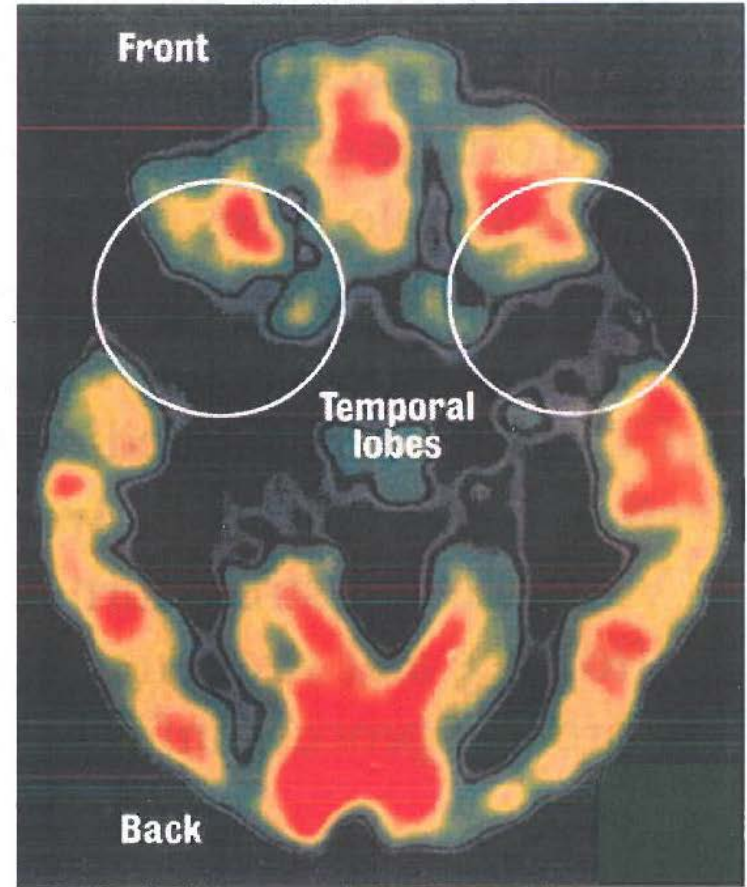
Healthy Development



Stimulated Brain



Neglected Brain



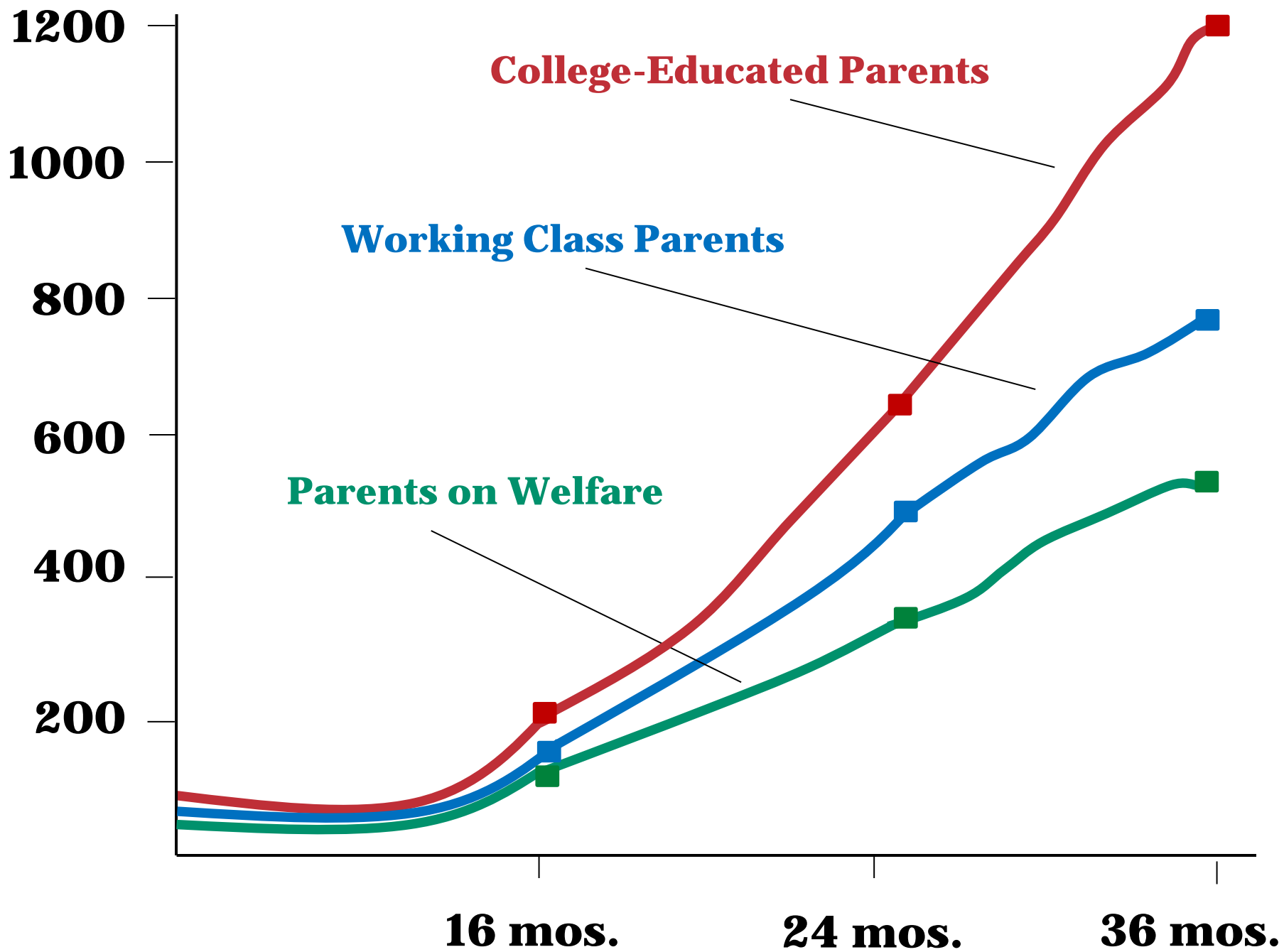
MOST ACTIVE

LEAST ACTIVE









College-Educated Parents

Working Class Parents

Parents on Welfare

16 mos.

24 mos.

36 mos.

Graph Courtesy: Center on the Developing Child at Harvard University





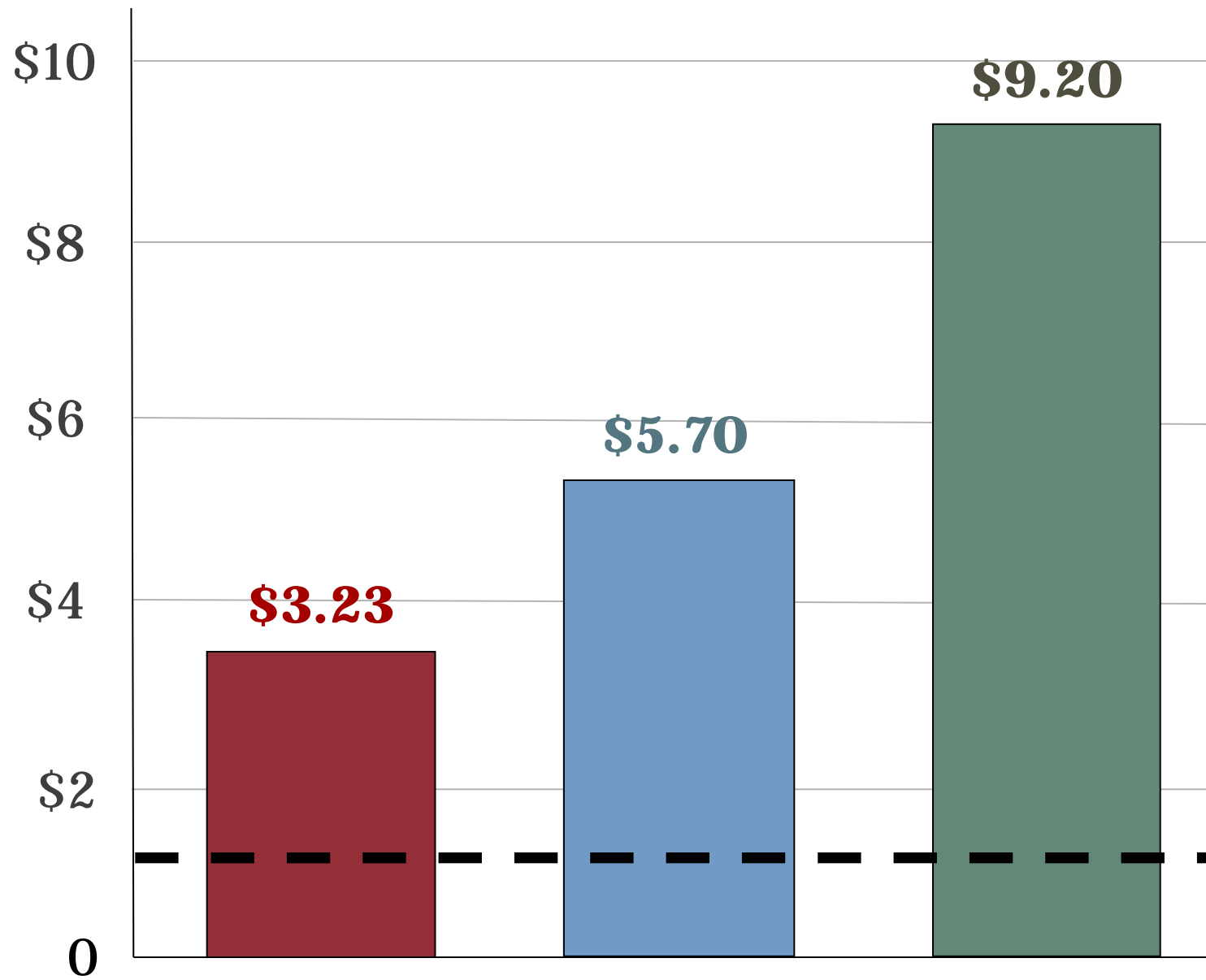


A faint, light gray outline of the United States map is visible in the background, showing the continental United States and Alaska.

\$ 43.7 billion

\$ 65 billion

\$ 158 billion



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\$ 425-710 billion



\$ 2 billion

Invest Early... Finish Strong!

