S1 was the sixth child of a goldsmith. He had one younger sister and four elder brothers. Father was a matriculate and his mother has passed middle school. There was no history of either consanguinous marriage or mental illness/mental retardation in the family history. At the time of S1’s birth his mother was 40 years old. His mother had a normal delivery and the subject was born normal.

At the age of 3 years, S1 suffered form very high fever, accompanied by fits. He was medicated to control fits. His speech remained unclear. At the age of 5 years, he was sent to a normal school. He continued in the same class for two more years. He could complete only 1st standard. Later psychological tests were administered on him to know the cause of his failure, which proved he was scholastically backward. He never went back to school after that. His relationship with his parents were fine, but he could not get along with his sister. Towards the end of the training phase, he had a gain in combined IQ score of +2.71.
S2 was the only child to his parents. His father was a graduate and worked as a sales executive. There was history of consanguinous marriage in the family though not of mental illness or mental retardation.

Before S2 was born, during the 6th month of his mother’s pregnancy, she fell down. She developed problems and was operated upon during delivery. She was 23 1/2 years old at the time of S2’s birth. S2 held his neck when he was 5 months old and his developmental milestones were delayed. He spoke one word only when he was 2 1/2 years old and learnt toilet control at the age of six years. Doctor diagnosed his case to be a Down’s Syndrome case. He was taken to a speech therapist and treated for nervous control, though it did not make much of a difference.

S2 was short tempered, aggressive and did not socialize. He was very moody and did not mix with peers. He would get annoyed and irritated. He threw tantrums and flung things at his parents. He quite often suffered from cold and loose motions. He was initially sent to a normal school, where his speech improved slightly, but left school after a few weeks as he could not cope with the studies. He never went back to school after that. Towards the end of the training period S2 had a gain in combined score of +10.35.
S3 was the second child of a businessman. S3 was a post mature baby and his birth cry was delayed. When he was five months old, he developed a skin disease. He often suffered from fever. All his developmental milestones were delayed. At the time of S3’s birth, his mother was 22 years old. There was neither any history of consanguinous marriage nor mental illness/mental retardation in the family.

At the age of one year S3 spoke one word. His speech was delayed and hence at the age of 3 years, he was treated by a speech therapist. At the age of 5 years, S3 was operated upon and then spoke a little. He was sent to a normal school. He could not cope and hence left school within a few weeks. Speech therapist concluded that S3 suffered from speech and hearing impairments. His brain nerve had been affected. He was constantly treated from 9 years of age. He met with two accidents.

S3 can bathe, brush and wear clothes all by himself. He was able to understand everything but could not respond correctly. He was well behaved at home. Sometimes he would become aggressive, disobedient and often would tease his elder brother. Towards the end of the trg phase, he had a gain in combined IQ score of +2.48.
S4 was the elder child of a factory supervisor, belonging to lower middle class. She had one younger brother. S4’s mother had an induced labour and forceps were used for delivery, when S4 was born. As a result, S4’s brain cells were damaged. At the time of S4’s birth, her mother was 23 years old. There was no history of either consanguinity or mental retardation/mental illness in the family history, S4’s developmental milestones were delayed. At the age of six months, she suffered from diarrhoea. Since both her parents were working, she was looked after by her grandmother. S4 was sent to a normal school for a few days but later she stayed back at home, leaving school, as she turned out to be scholastically backward.

S4 helped at home. She was hyperactive and stubborn. She was very impulsive and her attention span was very poor. She overate and suffered from obesity. She had problems such as poor attention span, poor writing abilities.

She picked up anything orally taught, but was very weak in writing. Doctor diagnosed that she was a slow learner and suggested that she should be sent to a special school. Towards the end of the training phase S4 showed a gain in combined IQ score of +3.84.
S5 was the second son of a factory labour, belonging to a lower class family. His elder brother did well at studies. There was no history of either consanguinity or mental illness/mental retardation in the family history. At the time of S5's birth, his mother was 26 years old. His developmental milestones were delayed and he suffered severely from behavioural problems. At the age of 4 1/2 years, S5 had the first attack of fits. After medication, he had improved a little. He had an attack of typhoid at the age of 9 years.

S5 was a restless, aggressive and disobedient child. He was pampered by his parents. He threw tantrums and demanded a lot from his parents. He was very moody and disturbed others. Towards the end of the training phase, he showed a gain in combined IQ score of +9.91.
S6 was the third child and the only son of an agriculturist, belonging to the lower middle class. S6 had two elder sisters. His sisters did well at studies. There was no history of either consanguinous marriage or mental illness/mental retardation in the family. At the time of S6’s birth, his mother was 36 years old. From the age of 3 months, he often suffered from cough, cold, fever and loose motions. Doctor diagnosed S6 to be a Down’s Syndrome case. When he was one year old, he suffered from loose motions and was dehydrated. He was subsequently admitted in the hospital. This problem continued till S6 reached the age of 5 years. He spoke at the age of 7 years, but his speech was unclear. All his developmental milestones were delayed.

S6 was very quiet, shy and friendly person. He was very adjusting. He tried to learn whatever was taught to him and was well behaved. Towards the end of the training phase S6 showed a gain in combined IQ score of +3.93.
S7 was the younger son of an engineer, belonging to the upper middle class. He had one elder brother. His elder brother was working after graduating in engineering. There was history of consanguinous marriage and mental illness in the family history. At the time of S7's birth, his mother was 34 years old. At the age of 3 years, S7's developmental milestones were noticed to be delayed. His speech was unclear. He was well trained at home, as his parents accepted his handicap. Both his parents were educated. S7 often suffered from cold and cough. He was a Down’s Syndrome case.

S7 was a very quiet, shy, docile and well behaved boy. He was trained well to express his desire to visit the toilet or to say when he was hungry. He was treated extremely well by all his family members. Towards the end of the training phase S7, showed a gain in combined IQ score of +8.00.
S8 was the second child of a stenographer. She had 1 elder sister, 1 younger sister and a younger brother. At the time of her birth, her mother was 26 years old. There was no history of consanguinous marriage or mental illness/mental retardation in the family history. When S8 was 2 years old, her parents noticed that her developmental milestones were delayed. Doctors diagnosed that she was scholastically backward and mildly retarded and suggested that she should be sent to a special school. S8 helped her mother with household chores and could take care of children younger than her.

S8 had leadership qualities and mixed with peers. She was a very well behaved girl and was interested in learning anything that was taught to her. Towards the end of the training phase S8 showed a gain in combined IQ score of +5.30.
S9 was the third daughter of a shopkeeper belonging to the lower class. She had two sisters, who were going to school and studying well. At the time of her birth her mother was 30 years old. There was history of consanguinous marriage in the family history, through not of mental illness or mental retardation. S9's developmental milestones were normal until she was 1 year old. At the age of two years her parents noticed that her developmental milestones were delayed. She used to bring out milk through her nose. She could not speak even at the age of two years. Hence, the doctor operated upon her. She suffered severely from weakness. She was medicated for a long time, after which she improved a little. Her speech remained unclear.

S9 was a quite and calm child. She helped her mother at home. She was a very well behaved girl. She was scholastically backward. Towards the end of the training phase, she showed a gain in combined IQ score of +11.49.
S10 was the elder son of a clerk, belonging to lower middle class. He had one younger brother. His mother was 24 years at the time of his birth. There was no history of either consanguinity or mental retardation/mental illness in the family history. During pregnancy S10’s mother fell down when she was carrying the 7th month. Delivery was normal but S10’s birth cry was delayed. S10’s mother was 24 years old at the time of her birth. S10 held his neck when he was one year old. His developmental milestones were delayed. Until the age of two years he could speak only two words. At the age of three years, he had water accumulation in the back and was operated upon. At the age of 9 years, he suffered from high fever and had an attack of fits. He suffered from obesity. Till the age of 9 years, he had no toilet control. He was medicated.

S10 was dull and selfish. Towards the end of the training phase, she showed a gain in combined IQ score of +11.99.
S11 was a Down’s Syndrome case, born to a businessman belonging to lower socio-economic class. S11 had one elder brother. There was no history of either consanguinity or mental illness/mental retardation in the family history. At the time of S11’s birth, her mother was 35 years old. S11’s developmental milestones were delayed. She was medicated. At the age of 8 years, she tried to speak, though her speech was unclear. She often suffered from cold, cough and indigestion. S11 was mild natured and mixed well with peers. Towards the end of the training phase, she showed a gain in combined IQ score of +5.92.
S12 was the elder son of an audit officer, belonging to upper middle class. He had younger sister who attended a normal school and did well in studies. S12’s mother had slipped and fallen once during her pregnancy. At the time of S12’s birth, his mother was 25 years old. There was history of consanguinity in the family history, though, not of mental retardation/mental illness. S12’s developmental milestones were delayed. His hands were bent and the doctors diagnosed him to be a case of cerebral palsy. He often drooled. He was medicated. He gained toilet control at the age of 7 years.

S12, when angry, became aggressive and bit and beat up people. He was afraid of his parents. Both his parents were working. Towards the end of the training phase, she showed a gain in combined IQ score of +3.11.
S13 was the sixth child of an agriculturist, belonging to lower middle class. He had four elder brothers, elder sister and an younger sister. At the time of S13’s birth, his mother was 38 years old. There was no history of either consanguinity of mental retardation/mental illness in the family history. When S13 was 8 years old, he had fever. He often suffered from cough. His developmental milestones were delayed. His speech was unclear, accompanied by stammering. Doctors diagnosed his case as scholastically backward and advised his parents to send him to a special school.

S13 was very adamant, spoke on irrelevant topics and got irritated if anyone checked him. He responded only if he was reinforced. He could not express his desire to visit the toilet. He required toilet training. Towards the end of the training phase, she showed a gain in combined IQ score of +14.5.
S15 was the elder son of a cashier, belonging to the lower middle class. S15 had one younger brother. There was no history of either consanguinity or mental illness/mental retardation in the family history. At the time S15 was born, his mother was 20 years old. S15's mother had a normal delivery. Soon after S15 was born, he became blue and his birth cry was delayed by two hours. Doctor's treated him and he became alright. On the 3rd day after his birth, he started shivering, and suffered from high fever. When S15 was six months old, his parents found that he was not normal. His developmental milestones were delayed. His back appeared to be bent. Until the age of 3 years, he spoke only two words. At the age of 8 years, he was again shown to a doctor, who diagnosed S15 to be a mentally retarded person. His speech remained unclear.

S15 was a very well behaved boy, who adjusted well with his peers. Towards the end of the training phase, S15 showed a gain in combined IQ score of +6.14.