

To help support you at home, please see the table below for a summary of the vocabulary that is to be taught in each year group as part of our 'Changing Me' week:

This tables relates directly to the Relationships and Health Curriculum, which is compulsory for all pupils, as well as some elements of the Science programme of study.

Year Group	Vocabulary and Definitions to be taught
1	<p>Bottom - a person's buttocks Only if asked about male and female private parts will the teacher correct with the correct scientific vocabulary vulva, penis or testicles.</p>
2	<p>Penis- the organ on the male body that is used for urinating and reproduction. Testicles/Testes- the two organs that produce sperm, located in a bag of skin below the penis. Vagina- the passage in the female body between the outer reproductive organs and the womb. Vulva- the outer opening of the female reproductive organs Anus- The opening in a person's or animal's bottom through which solid waste leaves the body.</p>
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Oestrogen- a hormone produced in a female's ovaries that causes them to develop the physical and reproductive features that are typical of females and that causes them to prepare their body to have babies

Semen- the white liquid containing sperm that is produced by the reproductive organs of men and male animals.

Erection - when a male has an erection, their penis is hard and stands up.

Ejaculation- the act of ejaculating; the moment when sperm comes out of a male's penis

Wet dream- a normal change that happens during puberty, in which sperm leaves a male's body while asleep.

Larynx - the area at the top of the throat that contains the vocal cords

Epididymis- The epididymis is a long, coiled tube that stores sperm and transports it from the testes.

Scrotum - the bag of skin that contains the testicles in males and most male animals

Facial hair- the hair that grows on a person's face.

Growth spurt- the period of intense growing in people, animals or plants

Hormones- chemical substances produced in the body or in a plant that encourages growth or influences how the cells and tissues function.