UKS2 Science – Animals Including Humans

Subject Specific Vocabulary

puberty	The time when your body begins to develop and change as you move from childhood to adulthood.
gestation	The time between conception and birth, during which the embryo is developing in the uterus.
classification	The grouping together of similar species of plant, animal and other organisms.
reproduction	The ways in which animals make new animals.
teenager	The age between thirteen and nineteen. The 'teen' element gives rise to the word teenager. It is a time that humans mature quite rapidly.
obese	The condition of being much too heavy for your height so that your health is affected. It means to be too overweight.
toddler	The period that a young child starts to walk and become more independent
embryo	Fertilisation happens when an egg cell meets with a sperm cell and joins with it. The fertilised egg divides to form a ball of cells called an embryo.



Sticky Knowledge

- The years between 6 and 14 -middle childhood and early adolescence - are a time of important developmental advances that establish children's sense of identity.
- In general, the life cycles of plants and animals have three basic stages including a fertilised egg or seed, immature juvenile, and adult. However, some organisms may have more than three life cycle stages, and the exact names of each stage can slightly differ depending on the species.
- The early years, especially the first three years of life, are very important for building the baby's brain. A child's brain develops rapidly during the first five years of life, especially the first three years. It is a time of rapid cognitive, linguistic, social, emotional and motor development.

Crucial Connections

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