



Useful websites/books to help you talk to your child:

It's Perfectly Normal: A Book about Changing Bodies, Growing Up, Sex and Sexual Health by Robbie Harris Where Willy Went by Nicholas Allan

www.childnet.com

Year 4 In each lesson, pupils will learn:

Lesson 1— genetics:

- Understanding that some of our characteristics come from our parents.
- Genes come from our parents when sperm and egg meet at conception.

Lesson 2— babies:

- Understanding that having a baby is a personal choice
- What body parts are required to make a baby.

Lesson 3—puberty (females):

- What changes females go through at puberty.
- What menstruation is and that it is a natural part of female adult life.

NB: This follows on from lesson 2 so vocabulary used will be based on that discussed in lesson 2.

Lesson 4—change:

- Understanding the different stages of change and how it applies to life.
- Feeling confident about coping with change.

Lesson 5—changes that cannot be controlled:

- Understanding that we cannot control some changes.
- How to accept change that we can't control.

Lesson 6—positive elements of change:

- What they are looking forward to in Year 5.
- Any concerns they may have and chance to ask questions

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