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Dear Parents / Carers

Year 7 Science: Reproduction and Growth

As part of your child's Key Stage 3 Science studies, they will be starting a unit of work on reproduction and growth.

Our studies follow the National Curriculum and cover the human reproductive cycle including conception; fertilisation and foetal development; genetics; growth; development; adolescence; behaviour and how health can be affected by diet; drugs and disease. We will be considering how knowledge and understanding of science informs personal and collective decisions, including those on sexual health.

We will be arranging sessions for the girls and separately with the boys to discuss the physical and emotional changes that are associated with adolescence. We will also be viewing and discussing a number of programmes aimed at your child's age group on these issues.

If you have any questions relating to your child's learning in this area, please do not hesitate in contacting me.

Yours sincerely

Mr M Hall
Assistant Headteacher / Head of Science

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