

RESOURCE LIST: SEXUAL HEALTH & WELLBEING GRADES 7-9

A GUIDE FOR TEACHERS (GRADES 7-9) TO SUPPORT SEXUAL HEALTH AND WELLBEING CURRICULUM OUTCOMES

This resource list was created to aid teachers by providing resources that can be paired with the appropriate curriculum outcomes for grades, 7, 8 and 9 under the topic of sexual health and wellbeing – "human sexuality", as it is stated in the curriculum outcomes.

Sexual Health Resources to support parents can be found under the Student and Families section of the NLESD website. For more information, please contact your local Public Health Nurse.

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CONTENTS:

- Grade 7 Reproductive system, menstrual cycle, puberty, conception (embryo to birth), sexually transmitted infections (STIs)
- Grade 8 Puberty, labor & birth, contraception
- Grade 9 Reproductive anatomy and physiology (male + female, sexual orientation continuum, contraception, teen pregnancy, responsibilities of parenthood, STIs)

GRADE 7	GRADE 7			
Curriculum Concept/Objective	Resource			
Reproductive system (structure, function, endocrine glands)	 Female Reproductive System: Time: 10:14 This video captures the endocrine glands 			
	 Anatomy of Female Reproductive System: Time: 11:21 Hand drawn doodle animation video 			
	 Male Reproductive System: Time: 10:44 This video captures the endocrine glands 			
	 Anatomy of Male Reproductive System: Time: 10:58 Hand drawn doodle animation video 			
	 Male Reproductive System: Function, Organs and Anatomy: Time: 3:56 This is less focused on endocrine glands and more anatomy/physiology focused, but short and engaging 			
Menstrual cycle	 How menstruation works: Time: 4:11 Does include endocrine glands/hormones Gives context to the individual differences among females in menstruation Also includes a lesson with <u>additional resources</u> 			
Puberty	 Am I Normal? (Girls and Puberty) Time: 1:56 Does not address physiological processes Psychosocial process of puberty and what is "normal" Kidshealth.org 			
	 What Boys Want to Know About Puberty Time: 3:55 Kidshealth.org Psychosocial + physical 			

	How Does a Boy's Voice Change? Puberty Time: 1:13 Physician advice
	 Ages & Stages of Puberty for Boys Puberty Time: 1:42 Physician advice
Conception (embryo-birth)	Fertilization (Conception) Time: 5:50 Explains the scientific process of conception
STIs	Am I Ready? Making Healthy Sexual Decisions Time: 24:26 Comprehensive Sexual Health Educational video
	Eastern Health

GRADE 8	GRADE 8			
Concept	Resource			
Puberty (physical and emotional changes)	Physical – see puberty section for gr. 7 Emotional Changes Girls Experience Puberty • Time: 2:08 • Physician advice Sexual Feelings that Girls Experience Puberty • Time: 1:57 • Physician advice Sexual & Emotional Changes in Boys Puberty			
	Time: 1:42Physician advice			
Labor & birth	 Reproductive System, Part 4 – Pregnancy & Development Time: 10:44 Birth starts ~8:50 min 			
Contraception (include abstinence)	Let's Actually Talk About Birth Control Time: 4:49 A video showing youth who have questions about birth control; Physicians explaining birth control Male & Female Condom, Latex Barrier Demonstration Videos Male video: 3:03 Female video: 2:31 Latex Barrier Demo: 2:14 Birth Control Pills Time: 5:58 Animation Eastern Health Healthy Living A-Z - Birth Control and Contraception			

GRADE 9			
Concept	Resource		
Male + Female reproductive anatomy & physiology	See Reproduction section under Grade 7		
Sexual orientation continuum	*note: this includes all LGBTQ+ material*		
	 Why Pronouns Matter for Trans People Time: 2:29 People who are transgender explain the importance of using appropriate pronouns 		
	How We Found Pride Being Trans Time: 2:11		
	 Transgender individuals discuss how they found pride within themselves and their community 		
	 Eastern Health Healthy Living A-Z - Sexual Orientation Healthy Living A-Z - Sexual Orientation and Coming Out 		
Contraception (and why some people don't use Birth Control)	 Let's Actually Talk About Birth Control Time: 4:49 A video showing youth who have questions about birthday control; Physicians explaining birth control 		
	 The Science of 'Plan B' - Emergency Contraception Time 2:46 Explains Plan B - Emergency Contraception 		
	Eastern Health • Healthy Living A-Z - Birth Control and Contraception		
Teen pregnancy	 Am I Ready? Making Healthy Sexual Decisions Time: 24:26 Comprehensive Sexual Health Educational video 		
Responsibilities of parenthood	 Am I Ready? Making Healthy Sexual Decisions Time: 24:26 Comprehensive Sexual Health Educational video 		
STIs	Am I Ready? Making Healthy Sexual Decisions Time: 24:26 Comprehensive Sexual Health Educational video		

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STIs (mental/physical/ emotional effects)	 Am I Ready? Making Healthy Sexual Decisions Time: 24:26 Comprehensive Sexual Health Educational video