



Year 5 Summer Term 1 - Human Development

Knowledge

What are the main stages of the human life cycle?

What is a gestation period and how do humans and mammals differ?

How do our bodies change during puberty?

How do our bodies change during adulthood and old age?

Skills

LI: to identify the main stages of the human life cycle.

LI: to present data about the size of the animal and its gestation period and answer the question "Is there a relationship between a mammal's size and its gestation period?". (giraffe, shark and fox included)

LI: to identify what changes our bodies go through during puberty.

LI: to understand how are bodies change during adulthood and old age.

Enquiry approaches:



Vocabulary: puberty, gestation, hormone, foetus, embryo

Key scientist/inventor: Dr Steve Jones (Geneticist)