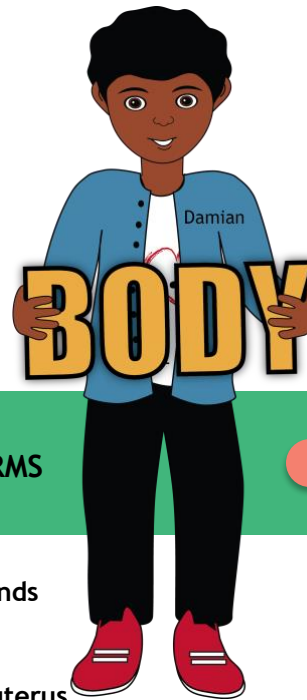
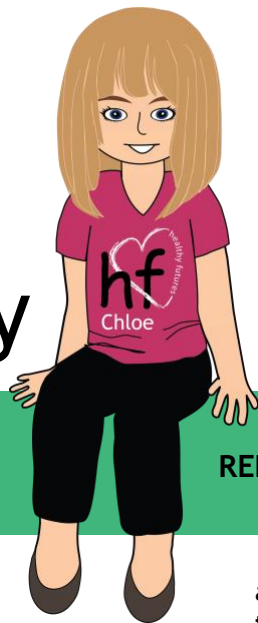


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REPRODUCTIVE ANATOMY TERMS

Bladder	a muscle in the body that expands to hold urine
Cervix	the narrow, lower part of the uterus
Egg	the female reproductive cell found in the ovaries
Ejaculation	the release of sperm, semen and fluid from the male penis
Estrogen/Progesterone	two hormones produced and used in the woman's body
Fallopian tube	tube that carries eggs from an ovary to the uterus
Genitalia/Genitals	body parts used in reproduction
Growth spurt	a time of faster growth of the body, which is common during puberty
Hormone	natural chemicals made by a gland in the body and released into the bloodstream. The glands that release these chemicals include ovaries, testes, and pituitary
Menstruation	a female's monthly flow of blood that is not needed by the uterus and indicates there is no pregnancy- also called the "period."
Ovaries	two female reproductive glands that produce hormones and also make, store and release eggs

REPRODUCTIVE ANATOMY TERMS

Ovulation	an egg being released from an ovary
Penis	the external (outside) male sex organ
Pimples	red sore spots on the skin, which is common during puberty and is caused by plugged skin ducts
Pituitary gland	the gland below the brain that makes and releases the hormone that begins puberty
Prostate	Male gland that surrounds the urethra and makes some of the milky fluid (semen) that carries sperm
Puberty	the process of changing from a child to an adult
Scrotum	the sack on the outside of the male body that holds the testicles
Sperm	male reproductive cells formed in the testicles
Testicles/Testes	organs that make and release sperm and testosterone in males
Testosterone	the male hormone; (as estrogen is the female hormone)
Urethra	the tube that carries urine from the bladder until it is released out of the body
Uterus	the female's internal organ where the baby grows until birth; the womb
Vagina	the passageway between the uterus and the outside of the body; the baby passes through the vagina during birth so it is also known as the birth canal
Vas Deferens	the tube that carries sperm from the testicles to the urethra