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## How the Human Reproductive System Works

**My Amazing Body** Sometimes we take our bodies and our health for granted. With a partner, share one thing you're thankful you're able to do because of the body you have.

I'm thankful that I can \_\_\_\_\_, because  
my body allows me to \_\_\_\_\_.

### Essential Question

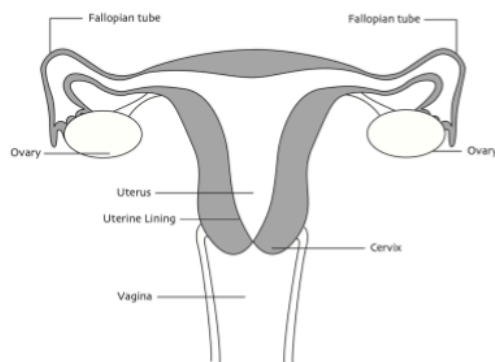
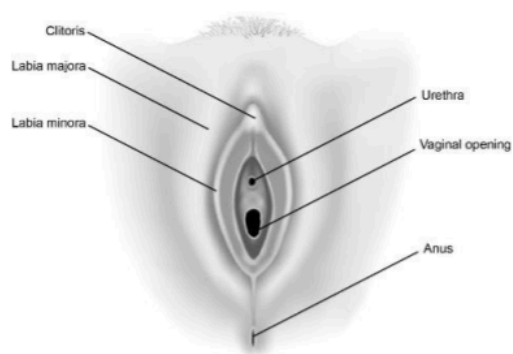
What are the processes in the human reproductive system?

### Learning Intention

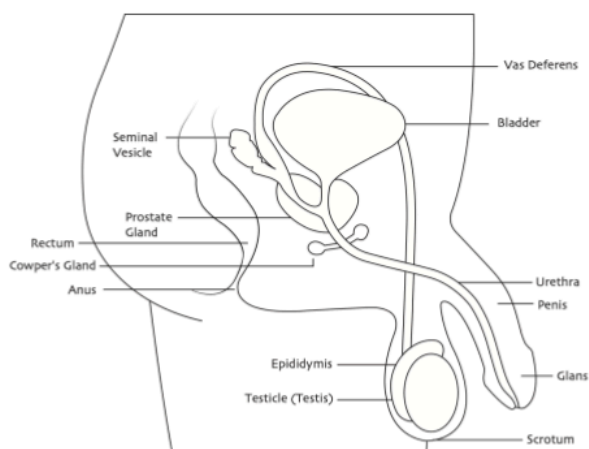
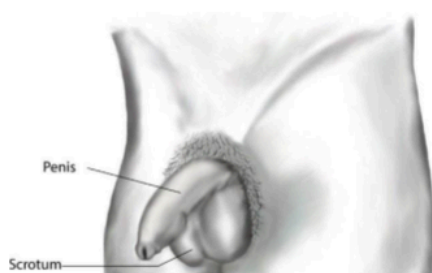
I can describe different processes within the human reproductive system.

# Male and Female Reproductive System Parts

## Female Reproductive Anatomy



## Male Reproductive Anatomy



# Overview of the Human Reproductive System

After watching the video, use the diagrams to answer this question...  
What do you know about how the human reproductive systems work?

## What are the important processes in human reproduction? Female System

### Fill in the missing words

\_\_\_\_\_ is the monthly shedding of the lining of the \_\_\_\_\_.

Menstruation is also known by the terms menses, menstrual \_\_\_\_\_, and menstrual cycle.

Menstruation is driven by \_\_\_\_\_, chemical messengers in your body.

These hormones cause the lining of your uterus to thicken. This happens so that if a pregnancy would occur, an \_\_\_\_\_ can \_\_\_\_\_ into the \_\_\_\_\_ lining.

## What are the important processes in human reproduction? Male System

### Fill in the missing words

\_\_\_\_\_, also referred to as gamete, are the \_\_\_\_\_ that are made every day in the \_\_\_\_\_. The sperm mature in the epididymis, travel up the \_\_\_\_\_ and mix with fluid from the seminal vesicles and prostate to form a white sticky fluid called \_\_\_\_\_.

Semen is the combination of sperm and fluid from the seminal vesicle and prostate that is \_\_\_\_\_ from the \_\_\_\_\_.

\_\_\_\_\_ is the \_\_\_\_\_ of semen and sperm from the penis.

Human reproduction requires the generation of sperm that contain the \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ necessary to create a new life.

## Exit Slip

What are a few things you know about how the male and female human reproductive system work?

What questions do you still have about how the reproductive system works?

## At-Home Connection

With a parent/guardian or other trusted adult:

- Share the most surprising/interesting thing you learned about your human reproduction.
- Teach them what you learned using your diagrams and notes.
- Ask them for ideas on making healthy choices and taking care of your body.

If you need resources or support for your sexual health...

- Talk to a parent/guardian or other trusted adult
- Call 2-1-1
- Visit [211sandiego.org](https://211sandiego.org)