Bell Quiz #5
Green
section

• Get out your Story/song evaluation! I have a story for you.

• (Also, you should have your story that you wrote to your child ready to share)





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Get on the magic school bus







If sometimes you feel a little useless, offended, or depressed... Always remember that YOU were once the fastest and most victorious little sperm out of millions!



Meet Seymour Sperm Your Tour Guide

Female

- Fimbrae
- Mons Pubis
- Labia
- Urethral opening
- Perineum
- Vagina
- Cervix
- Uterus
- Endometrium
- Fallopian tubes
- Ovaries
- Vaginal opening
- Ovum
- Menstruation



Male

- Scrotum
- Testicle
- Sperm
- Epididymis
- Vas Deferens
- Seminal Vesicles
- Prostate Gland
- Cowper Gland
- Ejaculation
- Semen
- Seminal Fluid
- Urethra
- Urinary Bladder
- Penis







(J) Male sex cell or sperm

 The sperm is a microscopic cell produced by the male's testicles and can fertilize the female's ovum.

- •400 million fit on a pin head which is enough sperm to re-populate the earth if each sperm fertilized an egg.
- •Sperm can live in the human body for **1-5 days (24-120 hours)**.
- •It is **destroyed by** warm body temperature, acidic environment.
- •Average **swimming speed** of a sperm: 8 inches per hour.





•The (F) penis is the male organ which allows the male to pass urine and semen from his body.

•The **purpose** of the penis is to deposit semen in the vagina during sexual intercourse and a passageway for urine.



•The (G) scrotum is a muscular sac-like pouch located behind the penis that holds each testes in a separate compartment and helps regulate body temperature for sperm production.

•If the body gets above or below normal **body temperature**, sperm production is reduced. The scrotum changes the testicle's positions to adjust the body heat.



•The (I) testicles are the male sex gland that lie in the scrotum and produces both sperm and the male sex hormone testosterone.

•1,000 sperm cells **produced a second**, 200 million produced a day, Four to five billion are produced each month.

•**Testosterone** is the male reproductive hormone made by the testicles which causes the changes of puberty.

•Testicles descend through the inguinal canal into the scrotum before birth.

•The testicles are outside the body because the male sperm that is manufactured in the testes need cooler-than-body temperature for normal growth and development.



• (H) Epididymis is a coiled tube system that forms a mass over the back and upper part of each testes in which sperm mature.

- •Sperm take about **36 hours to ripen to maturity**.
- •Sperm are stored there for as long as **six weeks.**
- •If stretched out in a line, it would measure **1 mile long**.



• (E) Vas deferens are two long, thin tubes that serve as a passageway for the travel of the sperm and seminal fluid or semen.

•The contraction of the vas deferens along with the action of the cilia help transport the sperm through the vas deferens.

•(K) Semen is 1-2 TBL of fluid that includes about 150 million sperm. (L) Seminal fluid does not include sperm.

•Vasectomy: surgical procedure for sterilization of the male.

•Any sperm not ejaculated are passed in the urine.



FRONT VIEW

SIDE VIEW



- •The (M) **urinary bladder** is the organ that collects **urine** excreted by the kidneys before disposal by urination.
 - •Urine leaves the bladder through another tube, the urethra. In men, it is longer, passing through the prostate gland and then the penis.



• (A) Seminal Vesicles are two small glands that secrete a clear and sticky fluid that nourishes and enables the sperm to have energy and move.

•The sugar in the seminal fluid is what **nourishes the sperm**.



FRONT VIEW

SIDE VIEW



•The **(B)** prostate gland is located at the base of the bladder and surrounding the urethra.

•It helps make up **most of** the seminal fluid.

•The gland secretes an **alkaline fluid** that neutralizes the acid found in the male urethra and the female reproductive tract.

•Without the secretions of the prostate gland, many sperm would die and fertilization of an ovum would be impossible.

• (C) Cowpers glands are two small pea-sized glands located beneath the prostate gland on both sides of the base of the penis.

•Produces **alkaline neutralize fluid** protecting it from acid to carry the sperm out of the male's body upon (n) ejaculation.



•The (D) urethra is a dual purpose tube that connects with the vas deferens where both semen and urine pass through to leave the penis.

•Semen and urine never mix. During urination, one sphincter will relax so that the pressure from the bladder will push urine out from the body. During ejaculation, another sphincter will relax so that semen can flow through the urethra to the outside of the body.



- •An (N) ejaculation is the passage of sperm from the penis and is a result of a series of muscular contractions.
 - •About **150 million** sperm are ejaculated; 20 million could be deformed.
 - •Only **1** in **10** sperm (1-2 thousand) find the cervix
 - •It takes about 1 hour and 15 minutes to reach the cervix.
 - •Only **100 to 200** sperm, out of the 150 million, reach the **ovum**.



why it can take over 100 million sperm to fertilize one egg

1. C 2. B 3. A **4.** F 5. D **6.** I 7. G **8.** E 9. H 10. J Extra: k, L, M, & N











• (O) Mons Pubis is a mound of soft, fatty tissue which covers the pubic bone and **protects** the reproductive organs.



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• (BB) Urethral opening is an external opening at the bottom of the urethra tube running between the bladder and the outside of a woman's body.

•Where **urine leaves** the body via the **(CC) urethra** which is a short tube that opens just in front of the vagina.







•The **(W) perineum** is the external surface area between the anus and the vulva, labia opening to the vagina.

•Episiotomy is where the doctor will cut the perineum during delivery to widen the opening for the baby to come out.



•The (V) vagina (vaginal canal) is the passage through which menstrual fluid leaves the body, the passageway for the birth of a baby, and the channel directing the sperm to the internal reproductive organs.

•During birth it is referred to as the **birth canal**.



FRONT VIEW

•The (Q) cervix is the neck and opening into the uterus. If normal and healthy, it is the strongest muscle in the female body.

•It is normally the size of a **dime** and the thickness of 10 saltine crackers. At birth it is the size of a grapefruit and thins (effacement) out to a single saltine cracker.

•It helps **hold the baby in the womb** and must enlarge (dilate) to allow for birth to occur.



•The **(R) uterus** is a hollow organ where an unfertilized ovum breaks down or a fertilized ovum develops.

•It is shaped somewhat like an **upside-down pear** and about the size of a fist. At birth it stretches to the size of a watermelon.

•It provides protection, nutrients, and **houses** the unborn baby while it develops.

•It is called a **womb** when a baby is present.



•The (T) endometrium lining is vascular tissue lining of the uterus.

•It provides a place for **implantation and nutrients** for the fertilized egg.

•On the **7**th **day** after conception, it implants itself into the endometrium lining and it will be 3-4 weeks before a woman realizes that she missed her period

•If there is not a fertilized egg, it is sloughed off during (Z) menstruation.

•It rebuilds itself and thickens each month in preparation for a fertilized egg.

•Endometriosis is when the lining does not completely leave the uterus and becomes built up scar tissue. Could build up into the fallopian tubes. May be a reason for infertility.





•(S) Fallopian tube is a narrow passageway transporting the egg/ovum from the ovary to the uterus and sperm cells towards the egg cell. (AA) Fimbrae are on the end.

- •They are **attached to the uterus** and hover over the ovaries.
- •They are about 4" long and 3/16 inch in diameter (the size of a cooked spaghetti noodle).
- •The place where conception occurs. Usually in the upper third region.
- •It is a **3-4 day journey for the egg to get to the uterus**.

P. Ovum or egg



•Female sex cell

- •The female reproductive cell.
- •The **size of a pencil dot** or a grain of sand.
- •The female baby is born with all the ova she will ever have (about **200,000** in each ovary).
- •About **400-500 ova** mature and are released over a lifetime.
- •Lives for **8-12 hours after** ovulation.
- •Once it is fertilized it is called a zygote.



why it can take ages to get pregnant

•The (U) ovaries are two almond shaped glands which produce, store, and release the female's eggs/ovum/zygote and produces hormones.

•The female **hormones** are progesterone and estrogen.

•Progesterone builds up the lining of the uterus called the endometrium (uterine) lining in preparation for the fertilized ovum.

•Estrogen is responsible for the secondary sex characteristics and the sex drive in females. It spurs the onset of puberty and is responsible for ovulation.



1. X 2. U 3. S **4.** R 5. Q 6. Y **7. BB 8.**V 9.0 **10.** T 11. P 12. W Extra: Z, AA, CC



FERTILIZATION/Conception

When the sperm penetrates the surface of the female sex cell, ovum, and enters inside to the **nucleus**.

The **23 chromosomes** from each sex cell combine and begin to multiply to begin to form a new **46 chromosome** human being.



THE MENSTRUAL CYCLE (SE-8)



DURING MENSTRUATION

Days 1-5:

AFTER MENSTRUATION:

Days 6-15:

BEFORE MENSTRUATION:

Days 16-28:





During Menstruation Days 1-5

- Menstruation occurs and the endometrium lining of the uterus, with a small amount of blood, leaves the body.
- At this time, another egg is maturing in the ovary.



After Menstruation Days 6-15

- The endometrium lining has thinned, the uterus begins to repairs itself to prepare for a fertilized egg, and the ovum is maturing.
- 12-16 days before your next period begins, Ovulation occurs causing the ripened ovum to burst out of the ovary follicle.
- Follicle-stimulating Hormone (FHS): a substance which brings to life a few of the ovum in one of the ovaries.
- Luteinizing Hormone (LH): causes the follicle to burst and allows ovum to fall into the opening of the fallopian tube.



Before Menstruation Days 16-28

- Uterine lining continues to thicken.
- If the egg is fertilized by the sperm cell, it travels down the fallopian tube and embeds itself into the thickened wall of the uterus (endometrium lining).
- If the egg is not fertilized, the blood vessels in the wall of the uterus shrinks and breaks down.
- PMS occurs 7-10 days before menstruation begins.
 - Headache, back pain,
 weight gain, bloating,
 food cravings, irritability,
 clumsy, fainting, etc.
 - Mittelschmerz-middle pain
- And the cycle begins again



AFTER MENSTRUATION:



MENSTRUATION BEGINS OVER AGAIN Days 1-5

- Menstruation occurs and the lining of the uterus, with a small amount of blood, leaves the body.
- At this time, another egg is maturing in the ovary.



Assignment SEYMOUR and OLIVIA STORY