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Animals inc Humans - Year 5 Unit - Year A

Retrieval vocab:

New Vocab

Puberty – the vocabulary
to describe sexual
characteristics.

Previous learning

Know that animals, including humans, have offspring which grow into adults. (Y2 - Animals, including humans)

Links with Vision and Values.

Stimulate in every child a sense of curiosity and excitement about the world

cr	characteristics.								
	Working scientifically/ enquiry focus	Curriculum Strand/ Focus	Small step objective	Previous learning within the unit.	Lesson content	Outcome			
1	Identify and classify	Animals inc Humans	Describe the human life cycle.	N/A	How do humans change throughout their life?	The children can: Name and describe the main stages of the human life cycle.			
2	Pattern Seeking	Animals inc Humans	Record data and results of increasing complexity using bar and line graphs.	Name and describe the main stages of the human life cycle.	How does our height change according to our age?	The children can: Compare graph types and select which is most appropriate for their data. Compare graph types to present complex data and explain which is most appropriate.			
3	Research	Animals inc Humans	Explain how a foetus develops in the womb. Investigate the gestation periods of different animals.	As above. Compare graph types and select which is most appropriate for their data. Compare graph types to present complex data and explain which is most appropriate.	How do we develop in the womb? Look at the gestation periods of different animals.	The children can: Explain how the foetus grows in the womb at different stages. Can describe the gestation periods of different animals.			

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4	Research	Animals inc Humans	Describe the changes as humans develop to old age by comparing the changes that take place to boys and girls during puberty.	As above. Explain how the foetus grows in the womb at different stages.	How do we change through puberty?	The children can: Explain what puberty is and how human bodies change during puberty.
5	Research	Animals inc Humans	Describe the changes as humans develop to old age by understanding the changes that take place in old age.	As above. Explain what puberty is and how human bodies change during puberty.	How do humans change as we become senior?	The children can: Explain the main changes that take place in old age and distinguish between facts and myths about old age.
6	Pattern seeking	Animals inc Humans	Record data and results of increasing complexity using bar and line graphs comparing gestation periods and life expectancies of animals.	As above. Explain what it means to be a senior and describe the changes we might face.	What is life expectancy? Compare life expectancy with gestation periods in different animals – look for patterns.	The children can: Understand the terms - life expectancy and gestation. Create bar and line graphs to record data. Understand the different relationships between variables.