

# What happens as we grow?



Foetus



Baby



Toddler



Child



Adolescent



Young adult



Adult



Elderly



Death

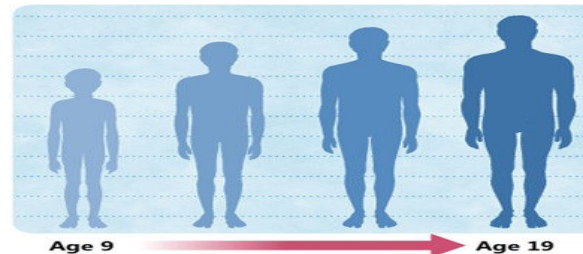
## Fetal development



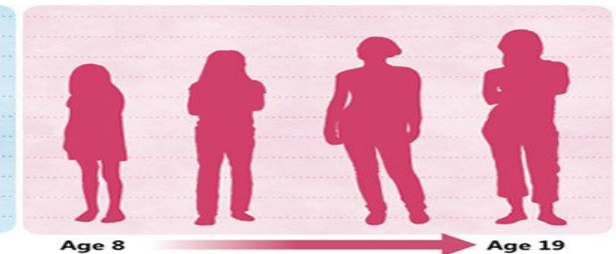
Different mammals have different gestation periods.  
(Humans = 266 days)



Puberty: the time when the body begins to develop and change as you move from a child to an adult, preparing your bodies for reproduction.  
Hormones control these changes.



- Voice breaks
- Shoulders becomes broader
- Testicles grow larger
- Hair grows under arms, on face and between legs



- Sweat more
- Breasts develop and grow and hips become wider.
- Hair grows under arms and between legs.
- Greasy hair and skin.
- Periods start.

Life cycle	The different stages of life for a living thing
Reproduction	The production of offspring by a sexual or asexual process.
Fertilisation	When the egg and the sperm meet to begin the development of a foetus
Foetus	An unborn or unhatched offspring of a mammal. Whilst in the womb, it gets its nutrition from its mother.
Gestation period	Fetal development period from the time of conception until birth.