



South Elementary School

Hudsonville Public Schools

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Reproductive Health Curriculum – Grade 4

Dear Parents of Fourth Graders,

As a component of our fourth grade health curriculum, students will be taught age-appropriate reproductive health information through a video and group discussion. This curriculum will be taught on Tuesday, March 29. The group instruction and discussion will be led by some of our fourth and fifth grade teachers. The following is a breakdown of the curriculum:

For Girls: The video to be presented is entitled [*Always Changing and Growing Up \(for girls\)*](#). This video is approximately 20 minutes long. Following the video, Mrs. Kahler, Mrs. Vermaire, and Mrs. Schut will lead a discussion with the girls.

For Boys: The video to be presented is entitled [*Always Changing and Growing Up \(for boys\)*](#). This video is approximately 20 minutes long. Following the video, Mr. Nederveld, one of our fifth grade teachers, will lead a discussion with the boys.

If you do not have internet access, please contact the school office and you can view the videos on a school computer. Parents also have the option of excluding their child from this portion of the school curriculum. If you wish to have your child excluded, please make your request in writing and send it to the school office (to the attention of Mark Heagle).

Our philosophy of reproductive health education is that parents and families are the primary teachers. We wish to support you in this endeavor by presenting this curriculum. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact your child's teacher or the school office.

Your partner in education,

Mark Heagle
South Elementary Principal