

Biology Bricks Keywords

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Menstrual Cycle

A cycle that occurs in women and that is a constant cycle of 28 days, with ovulation and menstruation included.



Menstruation

Menstruation happens when there is no pregnancy occurring, and the uterus lining has reached a thickness that is too much, which is then released.



Period

A period happens roughly every 28 days, and is when the uterus lining is released due to a non-pregnancy.



Ovulation

Ovulation happens roughly two weeks after a period happens. It is when an egg is released by the ovaries.



Reproduction System

The reproduction system includes the male and female systems that interact to create a baby through sexual intercourse.



Uterus Lining

When a woman has had her period, the process of thickening the lining of the uterus happens again. This is then released again during a period if there is no baby present.



Follicle Stimulating Hormone (FSH)

FSH helps with the maturing of the egg in the ovary.



Lutenising Hormone (LH)

This is a female hormone that stimulates the release of the egg.



Oestrogen

Oestrogen, a female hormone, repairs and thickens the uterus lining. It also stops the production of FSH (Follicle Stimulating Hormone).



Progesterone

A female hormone, progesterone helps maintain the uterus during the middle and late stages of pregnancy.



Pituitary Gland

Descriptive Text



Ovaries

Ovaries are a small sac that store the eggs, which are released once a month during ovulation.

