

**Whitefish Bay School District Human Growth and
Development Education 3rd Grade Curriculum Outline**
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Whitefish Bay
SCHOOL DISTRICT
An Exceptional Place to Learn

- I. With the classroom teacher and/or the school counselor(s)
The child will recognize their own social and emotional development by:
 - A. Understanding and appreciating that each person is unique and special.
 - B. Assessing his or her own strengths and weaknesses.
 - C. Developing an awareness and understanding of feelings.
 - D. Understanding the need for respect of self and others.
 - E. Understanding and appreciating that different groups and cultures have similar wants and needs.
 - F. Demonstrating responsibility for one's actions.
 - G. Describing different kinds of families in our society.
 - H. Examining the roles, responsibilities and needs of a family.
 - I. Applying a decision-making model to situations.

- II. With the District Medical Provider
The child will demonstrate an understanding of physical growth and development by:
 - A. Recognizing that living things reproduce their own kind.
 - B. Explaining that living things reproduce in different ways (seeds, eggs, born alive).
 - C. Comparing and contrasting similarities and differences of living things.
 - D. Discussing physical self development and body awareness. (ie. each part of the body has a specific name and use, need for personal hygiene, importance of proper nutrition.)
 - E. Identify human external male and female body parts (ie. penis, breasts, vulva, buttocks)

- III. With the school counselor(s)
The child will extend their knowledge of preventative safety behaviors by:
 - A. Discussing preventative behavior and caution with strangers.
 - B. Recognizing that child abuse can be committed by someone you know.
 - C. Distinguishing between appropriate and inappropriate actions and touch.
 - D. Recognizing that there are different types of abuse; physical, emotional, sexual
 - E. Recognizing the differences between abuse and discipline.
 - F. Identifying supportive help in the home, school and community.
 - G. Recognizing that certain rights are protected by law.