THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF PHILADELPHIA

SECTION: PROGRAMS

TITLE: HUMAN GROWTH AND

DEVELOPMENT

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	120. HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT
1. Purpose	The School Reform Commission believes that human growth and development instruction should be a part of the public school program and shared by the schools, home and faith community.
	The primary purposes of human growth and development instruction are:
	1. To promote more wholesome family and interpersonal relationships.
	2. To help young people understand their sexualities at all levels of development.
	3. To develop healthy habits and moral values.
2. Authority	The SRC believes that human growth and development is a continuing process throughout life and, therefore, must be planned for the entire school experience of the student.
3. Delegation of Responsibility	The Superintendent or designee shall develop administrative procedures for the implementation of this policy.
	References:
	School Code – 24 P.S. Sec. 510, 696
	Home Rule Charter – 12-300