

# THREE STAGES OF SEXUAL DEVELOPMENT

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<b>Pre-School 0-4 Years of Age</b>	<b>School Age 5-8 Years of Age</b>	<b>Latency/Preadolescence 9-12 Years of Age</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Limited peer contact</li> <li>• Self-exploration/stimulation</li> <li>• Dis-inhibition</li> <li>• Touches/rubs own genitals (random)</li> <li>• Watches, pokes</li> <li>• Shows genitals</li> <li>• Interested/Asks about bathroom functions</li> <li>• Plays house or mom/dad</li> <li>• May insert/stops with pain</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased peer contact</li> <li>• Experimental interactions</li> <li>• Inhibition</li> <li>• Touches self (specific)</li> <li>• Watches, asks</li> <li>• Inhibited (privacy)</li> <li>• Repulsed by/dawn to opposite sex</li> <li>• Tells “dirty jokes”</li> <li>• Plays “doctor”</li> <li>• Kissing, holding hands</li> <li>• May mimic/practice kissing/dating</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Increased peer contact</li> <li>• Experimental interactions</li> <li>• Dis-inhibition</li> <li>• Touches self/others</li> <li>• Mooning</li> <li>• Exhibitionistic</li> <li>• Kissing/dating</li> <li>• Petting</li> <li>• Touches others’ genitals</li> <li>• Dry humping</li> <li>• Digital or vaginal intercourse or oral sex in pre-adolescents or adolescents</li> </ul>