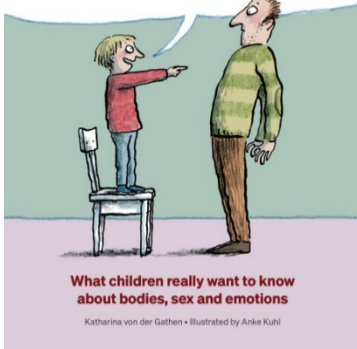


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BOOK RESUME: TELL ME

Tell Me: What Children Really Want to Know about Bodies, Sex, and Emotions
by Katharina von der Gathen and illustrated by Anke Kuhl

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BOOK SYNOPSIS

How much sex education do children need? As much as they ask for, says leading sex educationist Katharina von der Gathen in this book about navigating puberty. And exactly what do children want to know? Ask them!

What is so important about the body? Why do bodies grow hair? Why do people kiss? Is it embarrassing to have sex? Why do breasts hang down? What does it feel like to be in love? Can a grandmother have children? What is a hormone? Can a child fart when it's inside a mother's body? What is sexy?

Expert Katharina von der Gathen collects 99 questions asked anonymously by children in the classroom about the human body, love and sexuality – the questions are real and the answers are both inclusive, respectful and direct. Funny images help give children the information they really want to know in a form they can relate to without feeling embarrassed, making this a perfect sex education book for children and teenagers, parents and teachers.

REVIEWS AND PRAISE

“Funny and frank, this will be an important resource for many kids.”—*Kirkus Reviews*

“One of the best books on the topics of bodies, sex, and emotions that I've encountered.”—100 Scope Notes

*A NOTE ON AGE RANGES

A publisher-suggested age range covers the gamut of readers that publishers envision using the book, whether for independent reading, family sharing, group study, or in other ways. Educators have the best sense of the appropriate age range for the diverse learners they work with and understand these ranges vary depending on a book's intended use.

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