

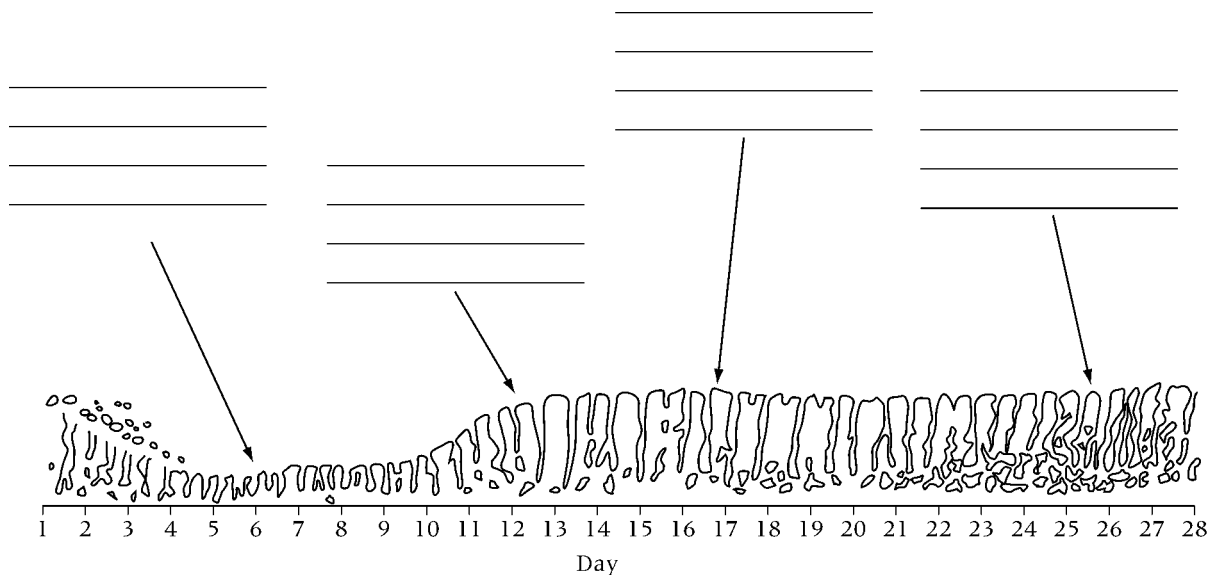
# 7Bd/3 The menstrual cycle 2

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Class \_\_\_\_\_

- 1 The diagram shows how the thickness of the lining of the uterus changes. Write these labels in the spaces above the diagram.

The lining gets thicker  
The lining breaks down

An egg is released  
The lining stays thick



- 2 Now complete these sentences using the words in the box.

blood	fertilised	menstruation	ovaries	ovulation	period	vagina
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- a Egg cells are released from the \_\_\_\_\_. The time when they are released is called \_\_\_\_\_. If the egg cell meets a sperm cell it will be \_\_\_\_\_. If it does not, it will die.
- b The time when the uterus lining breaks apart is called \_\_\_\_\_. Another name for this is 'having a \_\_\_\_\_.' During this time the uterus lining and a little \_\_\_\_\_ passes out of the \_\_\_\_\_.

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