

Friday 24 May 2024

Dear Parents/Carers of Year 5 and 6 pupils

Science Curriculum - Relationships and Sex Education

I am writing to let you know that Years 5 and 6 will be starting a short topic on bodies and relationships in the week beginning **Monday 10 June** as part of our curriculum.

It is important that all children learn about this in a safe and secure environment, which we provide at school, in an inclusive way. In RSE, we will be learning about our bodies, health and relationships; with a particular focus on puberty and growing up, dealing with emotions and managing personal relationships.

Focus in Year 5 – Puberty

Lesson 1: Talking about Puberty
Lesson 2: The Reproductive System
Lesson 3: Help and Support
Lesson 4: Respect & Equality

Focus in Year 6 – Puberty, Relationships & Reproduction

Lesson 1: Puberty & Reproduction
Lesson 2: Communication in Relationships
Lesson 3: Families, Conception & Pregnancy
Lesson 4: Online Relationships
Lesson 5: Respect & Equality

Resources have been carefully chosen to support the teaching. All staff have been trained in the delivery of the subject matter.

We would like to give you the opportunity to **view the materials we use and ask any questions on Wednesday 5 June at 9:00am.**

Please talk to your children about what they have been learning and be prepared for them to ask you questions about changes. Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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