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Dear Parent / Carer

Relationships and Sex Education – RSE

I am pleased to forward you the detailed content of the Personal, Social, Health and Education (PSHE) lessons, which shows how the teaching of Relationships Education, and specifically the aspects of Sex Education are to be taught in the Year 6 classes this term.

As with all statutory subjects within the National Curriculum, parents and carers are not able to withdraw their children from the Relationships Education or Health Education delivered in primary schools. Also, parents are not able to withdraw their child from any content within the Science curriculum. The Science curriculum in all maintained schools includes content on human development, including reproduction and the human life cycle.

However, parents / carers are able to decide whether or not they want their child to participate in the Sex Education lessons offered within the Year 6 curriculum. These four lessons will include watching a DVD called 'Growing up – A Guide to Puberty' published by Bounty UK Ltd, alongside discussions around Puberty and the physical and emotional changes that happen, positive and healthy relationships, and how a baby is made.

You are very welcome to contact Mrs Faulkner, Mrs Thompson or myself to discuss the programme or the content of the RSE lessons. We would welcome your views and look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely

Mrs I Williams
Assistant Headteacher

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Please tick as applicable:

☐ I give permission for my child to watch the DVD entitled 'Growing up – A Guide to Puberty' and the follow up lessons.

☐ I do not give permission for my child to watch the DVD entitled 'Growing up – A Guide to Puberty' and the follow up lessons.

Child's Name _____

Signed _____ Parent / Carer

Date ____/____/____