

7th June 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of the school's Personal, Social and Health Education programme, your child will soon receive a unit of lessons on relationships, sexual health and personal safety.

The purpose of the upcoming unit is to provide knowledge and understanding of safe and healthy relationships based on love and respect. This is to encourage the eventual development of safe and healthy relationships in later life. We will also be covering topics such as 'How to live in the wider world' in order to aid the pupils transition to secondary school.

As part of this programme we will be having an e-safety, sexting and cyberbullying workshop which will take place on Monday 17th June. This is being delivered by infobuzz, a registered charity which provides a range of sessions designed to support the personal, social and health education of young people in schools. The workshop we are taking part in is designed to support young people to explore the increasing number of social media applications both on-line and across mobile networks that present high risk behaviours. These would include the sharing of sexual images, sexually explicit texts and the sharing of personal information. Further information is available on the *infobuzz* website: <https://www.infobuzz.co.uk/>

Parents can withdraw their children from all or part of our teaching programme that does not form part of the statutory National Curriculum. If you wish to withdraw your child from the lessons on sexual health and safe relationships would you please return to us the-opt out slip below by Friday 14th June.

You are welcome to contact us to discuss the programme further.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Hillman/ Mr Halsey / Mrs Marchant
Y6 Teachers

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I would like to opt my child out of the sexual health and safe relationships lessons.

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Name of child

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Signature of parent