

Dear Parents/ Carers,

RSE Curriculum Delivery - Junior School - 2025

PSHE at Farnham Common Village Schools focuses on healthy relationships and keeping children safe in the modern world. It also covers a range of topics relating to physical and mental health, wellbeing, safeguarding and healthy relationships. This content starts in Reception and the course will be completed by the end of Year 6. By learning about the emotional, social and physical aspects of growing up, the aim is to give children and young people the information, skills and positive values to have safe, fulfilling relationships and to help them take responsibility for their own well-being.

This Relationships Education, along with Health Education and the Science Programme of Study, is a statutory part of the national curriculum. Parents are unable to withdraw their child from this. Your child will be taught the Relationships Education content for their year group this term.

Sex Education is statutory in secondary schools at this time and the DfE continue to recommend that primary schools deliver a sex education programme tailored to the age, physical and emotional maturity of its pupils. At Farnham Common Village Schools, this forms three lessons in Year 6. Parents have the right to excuse their child from the three Sex Education lessons in Year 6.

Year 6 parents and carers will be informed when these will be.

Please find the relevant documents and information here:

<https://www.farnhamcommonvillageschools.co.uk/page/?title=Relationships+and+Sex+Education&pid=76>

We wish to work in partnership with parents to ensure that parents are ready and prepared to support children at home with this important subject and appreciate your continued support in this area.

Kind regards,

Mr Masters

Headteacher

Farnham Common Junior School