



Dear Parents / Carers,

During the Summer term we cover Relationships and Changing Me with the children as part of their Personal, Social, Health Education (PSHE) – this includes Sex and Relationships Education. From September 2020, the Government have issued new guidelines making Relationship, Health and Sex Education (RHSE) compulsory in primary schools. This means that as parents and carers, you will not have the right to withdraw your child from this subject. We are planning to teach the missed units of work as soon as pupils return to school.

Understandably, you may have some thoughts on this. Each year we usually invite you to come into school and look at the resources and talk to us about any worries, concerns or questions you might have. Obviously that will not be possible at this time. However, for more information please go to the Great Heath Academy website. Under the Curriculum tag, in the PSHE section, you will find an overview of how and what is taught during the Relationships and Changing Me puzzles, including the vocabulary that we will use. There is also a more detailed information for parents and carers booklet which may answer any questions you might have.

We had planned to run a consultation with parents this term and would have liked to have shared the above resources with you in person. In place we are running a virtual consultation and welcome any comments on the information which can be done via our new email address.

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If you have any questions please also use this email address. We will post any frequently asked questions on the website so please do keep checking this as your question may have already been answered.

Kind Regards

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