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Dear Parents and Carers of Year 6 Children,

We wanted to reach out to you ahead of our PSHE lessons during the Summer Term. Some of our PSHE lessons will include an introduction to Sex Education, which we will handle with the utmost sensitivity and care.

We believe it is important to provide children with the right knowledge and understanding as they approach adolescence. To ensure that the children receive accurate and age-appropriate information, we will be using an animation that covers the topics in an engaging and informative way.

If you would like to see a video regarding this part of your child's learning, please contact the Class Teacher who will show it to you and answer any questions you may have.

Our aim is to make sure Year 6 are well-informed and gain an accurate and age appropriate understanding of Sex Education, in a supportive and safe environment. We will be splitting the classes into groups of boys and girls when teaching some of the lessons, to ensure that your child is in a comfortable environment and can ask any questions they may have, without feeling self-conscious. This helps to ensure that every child receives all the information and time they need to fully understand these topics.

As well as providing factual information, we believe that teaching about relationships in an age appropriate, sensitive way are key to supporting children in their transition to adolescence.

We understand that this is a sensitive issue and you may have concerns so please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher if you would like to discuss anything further.

Many thanks for your continuous support.

Yours faithfully

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