



St George's Central CE Primary School and Nursery

Monday 18th November 2019

Dear Parent/Carer,

Re: Year 6 Sex and Relationships Education (SRE)

We will shortly be commencing some work in Year 6 as part of our ongoing Sex and Relationships Education programme, which we deliver progressively throughout the school. The lessons will cover some elements of Science and some Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE).

Your child will take part in a series of three puberty lessons delivered by experienced staff from an outside agency, HH Kids. The staff who deliver the lessons have worked within the field for many years and are highly skilled in their delivery. If you wish to find out more information about this agency, please view their website at www.hhkids.co.uk

School will review the lesson content and resources to ensure they are age appropriate and meet the needs of our pupils.

Lesson content will include:

26/11/19 – Joint session	Physical and emotional changes during puberty and how the male and female reproductive systems work
27/11/19 – Girls only	The menstrual cycle, sanitary products and breast development
27/11/19 – Boys only	Male body functions, testicular awareness and personal hygiene
28/11/19 – Joint session	Conception and pregnancy

You have the right to withdraw your child from non-statutory elements of SRE, which are not included in the National Curriculum for Science. However, we would encourage you to allow your child to receive these lessons, as should they be withdrawn, they may be subjected to receiving inaccurate information from their peers following the lessons.

If you would like to withdraw your child from the non-statutory elements of the programme, please contact me to discuss this further.

We do hope you will support us in this work. If you do not request that your child is withdrawn from non-statutory elements of the programme, we will assume that you are happy for them to take part.

Yours faithfully,

Headteacher

'Never settle for less than your best'

Jesus said, 'I am the light of the world. Whoever follows Me will not walk in darkness, but will have the light of life.' John 8:12