



BELVOIR
A PRIORY ACADEMY

20th September 2022

Dear Parent/Carer,

As part of our school's wider Personal, Social and Health Education programme (Personal Development), your child receives lessons on relationships, sexual health and personal safety.

Schools are required to regularly consult with parents/ carers when developing and reviewing their policies for Relationships Education and RSE, which will inform academies' decisions on when and how certain content is covered.

I have uploaded our latest PSHE topics and curriculum (Personal, Social, Health and Economic education) on the [website](#) and would be grateful for any feedback using the survey [here](#). The deadline for any feedback is Friday 14th October 2022.

The purpose of the upcoming curriculum is to provide knowledge and understanding of safe and healthy relationships based on respect. This is to encourage the development of safe and healthy relationships throughout life. The subject is designed to help children from all backgrounds build positive and safe relationships, and to thrive in modern Britain.

Copies of the lesson content (Schemes of Learning) are available on via the Priory Belvoir Academy website.

You do have a right to withdraw your child from sex education delivered as part of RSE in secondary schools which, unless there are exceptional circumstances, will be granted up to three terms before your child turns 16. At this point, if the child themselves wishes to receive sex education rather than be withdrawn, the school should make arrangements for this to happen in one of the three terms before the child turns 16 - the legal age of sexual consent.

The DfE have also created short [parent guides](#) and [parent FAQs](#) which take you through statutory changes.

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

Yours sincerely,

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