

23rd July 2021

Relationships, Sex and Health Education

Dear Parent / Carer,

As part of your child's education at Outwood Primary Ledger Lane, we promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Personal, Social, Health Economic (PSHE) education programme. PSHE education is the curriculum subject that gives children the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and practical skills to live safe, healthy productive lives and meet their full potential.

During this half-term, we are currently focusing on Relationships, Sex and Health Education. This will provide the opportunity for children to explore issues around families, friendships, growing and changing, hygiene, and safety.

All topics covered in the sessions are specific and relevant to the age and development of children and much of the content is what is required by the National Curriculum for Science.

As we are aware that this may be a sensitive area to some of you, we are notifying you now that your child will be focusing their learning in this area over the next few weeks:

In particularly a lesson during the week commencing 28th June, where the children will learn about Puberty and Bodily Changes.

And one lesson during the week commencing the 5th of July, where the children will learn about Conception and Pregnancy.

If you do not want your child to take part in the second session, you can ask that they are withdrawn. The first lesson is mandatory.

If you have any further questions, we strongly encourage that you contact the class teacher to discuss the lessons and their content. Alternatively, you may wish to make an appointment to speak to myself.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Yours sincerely

Mr A Bower
Assistant Principal

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