



Sex, Relationships and Emotions Education

Friday 16th September 2022

Dear Families

For the last few years we have completed our Sex, Relationships and Emotions (SRE) curriculum at the beginning of the school year. We find this to be an appropriate time to complete this as it allows children to be informed throughout the year. This year we have planned it to coincide with National Biology Week which is week five of our curriculum learning on week commencing Monday 3rd October 2022.

SRE is a requirement of the National Curriculum and can cause concern. However, we are a caring school and we believe we have a responsibility to provide our children with the knowledge, skills and understanding they need to lead a confident, happy lifestyle now and in the future.

Also, being emailed is our policy regarding the delivery of the Sex, Relationships and Emotions curriculum. It also contains the recommended content considered appropriate for your child's age. We are happy to talk through any questions or concerns you may have.

Section 406 of the Education Act enables families to withdraw their children from sex education lessons if they choose. Please read the policy which also contains the objectives covered for each year group so you can make an informed decision. If you are happy for your child to attend then no further action is necessary. If, however you wish your child not to participate then please write to me requesting withdrawal. Please feel free to ask your child's teacher for any further information as well.

Kind regards

Mrs. Napier

Assistant Head