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Dear Parents and Carers

Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) at Busbridge CofE Junior School – Parent Consultation

As part of your child's education at Busbridge CofE Junior School, we aim to promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive programme of Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education that gives children the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and practical skills to live healthy, safe, productive and fulfilled lives, both now and in the future.

As you may be aware, from September 2020 the Department for Education is making Relationships and Health Education compulsory in all primary schools. Whilst we already cover most of the requirements, we are preparing for the additional and compulsory changes during this academic year to ensure provision is in place for September.

The new guidance focuses on healthy relationships and keeping children safe in the modern world. It also covers a wide range of topics relating to physical and mental health, wellbeing, safeguarding and healthy relationships.

In line with these new statutory requirements, staff and governors have drafted an updated Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) policy for our school. It has been written incorporating guidance from the Diocesan Board of Education. We acknowledge the role of parents in helping to shape our RSE policy and provision, so we value your feedback on it.

You are invited to read the attached draft RSE policy, and to also attend a 30 minute parent information meeting **on Wednesday 4th March at 3:35pm** in the school hall. At the meeting you will find out more on the compulsory requirements of RSE, have the opportunity to provide feedback on the draft policy and share your views on the content of our RSE provision. To help parents attend the meeting on Wednesday 4th March supervision will be provided for your BJS and infant school child. If you plan to attend the meeting please indicate on the return slip below.

A second parent meeting will be held in the summer term for parents to provide feedback on the resources to support your child's RSE learning.

Feedback on the draft RSE policy can be shared either at the meeting, via email to the School Office admin@busbridge-junior.surrey.sch.uk, or via the return slip below.

Yours sincerely

Richard Catchpole (Headteacher)





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Name of child:..... Class.....

Name of parent(s)/carer(s):.....

I/We am/are able to attend the information meeting on Wednesday 4th March YES / NO

(If attending) I/we will need supervision for child(ren)

Feedback on the draft RSE policy:

(or feedback at the meeting or via email to the school office admin@busbridge-junior.surrey.sch.uk)

