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Dear Parents/Carers,

This half term, we will be introducing the Christopher Winter Sex and Relationships scheme of work which is widely used by schools in the Nottinghamshire area. It is a scheme which has been specifically developed to support the teaching of SRE for primary children. All lesson plans and units are age appropriate and focus around keeping healthy and positive relationships.

The units of work that are being taught are listed below for each year group.

F2 – Our lives

Yr 1 – Growing and caring for ourselves

Yr 2 – Differences

Yr 3 – Valuing differences and keeping safe

Yr 4 – Growing up

Yr 5 – Puberty

Yr 6 – Puberty, relationships and reproduction

Due to this new scheme of work being started this year, only the current year group's unit will be taught to their current year group.

Sex and Relationships Education is an important part of the primary school curriculum and there are aspects of this which must be taught as statutory components of the National Curriculum for Science. However, we acknowledge that you may wish to teach your child the other aspects of SRE at home and therefore choose for your child not to access this learning in school (opt out). If this is the case, we would ask you to contact school by phone by 20th November 2020 so that you can discuss this with your child's class teacher.

More information can be found on the school website in the policies section titled Sex and Relationships Education Policy.

Best wishes

Mrs Heathcote

