

9th February 2021

Dear Parents / Carers

In light of changes to requirements for relationships and sex education (RSE), we have been consulting with parents, pupils and staff on how we can make sure that our updated RSE policy and curriculum meets the new requirements as well as the needs of our pupils.

We have worked hard to make sure that our new curriculum reflects:

- Our pupils' developmental age and maturity levels, as well as their cultural and religious backgrounds;
- The values of our school community;
- Every pupil's learning needs;
- What pupils need to know to be healthy and safe in school, in their personal relationships and in the wider world.

We have now updated our RSE policy to include our proposed new curriculum. You will find a copy of our new draft policy attached to this letter. We would like your feedback on the proposed curriculum and the wider policy. I have enclosed a questionnaire which we would be grateful if you could complete and return to the school office (admin@stmarysbexhill.org).

You will see from the proposed curriculum that we are planning on delivering Relationships and Sex Education in term 4. If you wish to discuss this in more detail, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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