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20th April 2026

Dear Parents/carers,

## **Relationships & Sex Education Policy - Parent Consultation Letter**

Today's children and young people are growing up in an increasingly complex world and living their lives seamlessly on and offline. This environment presents many positive and exciting opportunities, but also challenges and risks. To navigate this, our students need to know how to stay safe and healthy, and how to manage their academic, personal, and social lives in a positive way.

### **Why are we updating the policy?**

The Department for Education has released new statutory guidance which will come into effect as of September 2026. Consequently, we are currently updating our curriculum and school policy to ensure we remain compliant while providing the best possible support for our pupils.

### **We want to hear from you**

We value the partnership between home and school, and your feedback is a vital part of this review process. We invite you to view the draft policy and share your thoughts via our consultation form:

<https://forms.gle/TCTKtNqXGYex8gQ18>

On the form, you will find:

- A link to the updated [RSHE Policy](#).
- A short series of questions to help us gather your views.

The consultation and google form will close on Friday 15th May 2026 at 4pm.

### **Further information**

If you would like to read the national requirements in full, you can find the [Statutory guidance for Relationships and sex education \(RSE\) and health education](#) here.

If you have any specific questions regarding these changes or the consultation process, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.

Thank you for your continued support in helping our pupils grow into healthy, safe, and well-informed individuals.

Yours sincerely,

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