DOTHILL PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Head Teacher: Becca Butler



24 May 2022

Dear Parent/Carer.

As part of PSHE at Dothill, the unit of work about relationships and sex education (RSE) is taught in the summer term. We use a fabulous resource called 'Jigsaw' which supports the teaching of PSHE. The unit of work being taught in all classes this term is called 'Changing me' which has a focus on how our bodies change as we get older. The unit is teacher led and does not involve watching any videos/CDs.

The area of learning specific to the year group your child is in can be found on the school website:

Link to learning for Years 1-6: <u>Relationships and Sex Education Policy appendix 1.pdf</u>
Link to learning for EYFS: <u>relationships-and-sex-education-policy-appendix-2.pdf</u>
Link to RSE Policy: <u>RSE Policy Summer 2020-2023.pdf</u>

We understand that some parents prefer to take responsibility themselves for this element of education. As a parent/carer you have the right to withdraw your child from all or part of RSE except those parts included in the national curriculum and taught through science lessons

Please complete the reply slip and return to your class teacher to confirm participation or withdraw your child from the forthcoming RSE lessons. Please return your slip by Thursday 9th June.

In the autumn term we asked you to respond to a survey regarding RSE. Thank you to those parents who shared their opinions on this matter. The survey showed us that parents are overwhelmingly happy with the relationships and sex education taught at Dothill. More than half of the parents who responded told us that they would like a meeting to find out more. Therefore, we will be holding a short presentation on Thursday 9th June at 2.30pm. Here we will talk through some examples of the Changing Me lessons on offer for each year group and you will have opportunity to browse the resources we use and ask any questions. All are welcome, you don't need to book a place - just turn up!

Best wishes		
Mrs Becca Butler Head Teacher		
Name of child		Class
I am happy for my child to take par	rt in the RSE unit of work.	
I do not wish my child to take part	in the RSE unit of work. $\begin{tabular}{ c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c$	
Signed	name of parent	







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