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Dear Parent/Carer

As part of the Welsh Government's new Curriculum for Wales there is now a requirement for schools to deliver Relationships and Sexuality (RSE) lessons to the children across the whole school. We would like to provide you with some further information with regards to this before we begin.

The statutory guidance relating to this can be found here:

<https://hwb.gov.wales/curriculum-for-wales/designing-your-curriculum/cross-cutting-themes-for-designing-your-curriculum/#relationships-and-sexuality-education>

[curriculum-for-wales-relationships-sexuality-education-code.pdf \(gov.wales\)](https://curriculum-for-wales-relationships-sexuality-education-code.pdf)

As the guidance and code are both statutory, you do not have the right to withdraw your child from these elements of the curriculum. However, we want to make sure that you are aware of what we will be teaching and discussing so you have a clear understanding of what your child is learning and may come home and talk to you about.

To help us to cover this appropriately and sensitively we are considering using a scheme from September 2022 designed specifically to address issues in an age-appropriate and relevant way, also ensuring any pupil misconceptions are addressed. The scheme is called 'Jigsaw' and you can find more detail about it here:

[Jigsaw-Curriculum-for-Wales.pdf \(jigsawpshe.com\)](https://jigsaw-curriculum-for-wales.pdf)

Yours sincerely

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