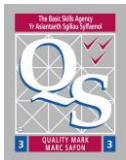


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Sex Education Policy



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SCHOOL POLICY ON SEX EDUCATION

Sex education will be provided in such a manner as to encourage pupils to have due regard for moral considerations and the value of family life. To this end, sex education will be provided within a moral framework, which promotes equal opportunities, is based on an ethos of trust, honesty and mutual respect in which sexuality is presented as positive and enriching. The framework for delivery will be designed to encourage the values of self respect, respect for others, non exploitation in sexual relationships, commitment and trust; honesty, an acknowledgement of rights, duties and responsibilities in sexual relationships and self discipline regarding sexuality.

Delivery will be through aspects of Science, PSE and Religious Education curricula. A variety of teaching and learning approaches will be utilised to ensure high quality opportunities for the acquisition of appropriate knowledge, skills and moral values. Use will be made of appropriately qualified external deliverers at opportune points in the programme. Generally, pupils will be taught in mixed ability and gender groups. Other arrangements will be implemented when deemed appropriate to pupil needs.

Parents have the right to withdraw their children from all or part of this programme. Parents wishing to exercise that right are asked to make an appointment with the Headteacher to discuss the issues. Once a child has been withdrawn they cannot take part in later sex education without parental approval.