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Dear Parents and Carers,

As a part of your child's education at Holgate Primary, we promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education program. PSHE education is the curriculum subject that gives children the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and practical skills to live safe, healthy, productive lives and meet their full potential.

I am writing to let you know that, during this summer half term, your child's class will be taking part in lessons which will focus on the relationships and sex education (RSE) aspect of this program. Lessons in Year 6 will include pupils learning about: the physical and biological changes that happen during puberty; managing change and becoming more independent; positive healthy relationships and how a baby is made. Pupils will also have opportunities to ask questions.

PSHE education is taught throughout the school in every year group and is monitored and reviewed regularly by the staff and governing body.

Please visit the school's website: <u>Holgate Primary and Nursery - PSHRE</u> for more detail about our PSHE curriculum. All PSHE teaching takes place in a safe learning environment and is underpinned by our school ethos and values. If you wish to find out more about what your child will learn, view the materials and resources being used in lessons and discover how you can best support your child to discuss these topics at home please see your class teacher. All of the lessons apart from the last one are statutory in Primary Schools. The final lesson on how a baby is made is optional and parents may withdraw their child if they wish by completing the form on ParentMail. <u>If you wish to withdraw, the form needs to be completed by Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> June as the lesson will be delivered on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> June.</u>

Yours sincerely,

David Gleave (Subject lead for PSHE)









