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The College will ensure that RSHE is accessible to all students, including those with special educational needs and disabilities. Teaching will be appropriately differentiated to ensure all students can access the curriculum and develop the knowledge and skills needed to keep themselves safe and healthy.

PARENTAL ENGAGEMENT

Parents and carers will be informed about the content of the RSHE curriculum and the resources used to support delivery. Parents can request to view RSHE teaching materials by contacting the PSHE lead directly.

The College will:

- Publish this policy on its website;
- Consult with parents when significant changes are proposed;
- Provide opportunities for parents to view curriculum materials;
- Respond to parental questions and concerns appropriately.

RIGHT TO WITHDRAW

Parents have the right to request that their child be withdrawn from some or all of the sex education delivered as part of RSHE, other than those elements included within the statutory science curriculum.

Requests should be made in writing to the Principal. In accordance with statutory guidance, requests will normally be granted up to three terms before a student turns 16. After that point, if the student wishes to receive sex education, arrangements will be made for them to do so.

STAFF TRAINING

All staff delivering RSHE will receive appropriate training to ensure content is delivered accurately, confidently and sensitively.

Training will include:

- Safeguarding responsibilities;
- Managing sensitive discussions;
- Online safety;
- Equality and inclusion;
- Harmful sexual behaviour;
- Current statutory guidance.

MONITORING AND REVIEW

The Governing Body will monitor the effectiveness of this policy through:

- Curriculum review;
- Student voice;
- Parent feedback;
- Learning walks and lesson visits;
- Safeguarding monitoring;
- Annual reporting by the Principal and PSHE Lead.

POLICY DEVELOPMENT, APPROVAL AND REVIEW

This policy was developed by the PSHE Lead in consultation with:

- Staff;
- Students;
- Parents/carers;
- The Governing Body.

The Governing Body has approved this policy.

This policy will be reviewed annually, or sooner if statutory guidance changes.