PHSE /RSE curriculum: Brompton and Sawdon Primary School – April 2021 onwards

- Updated November 2021 to include Suicide Ideation, Peer on Peer abuse, and Self Harm.
- Increased focus on Wellbeing and Safeguarding following return to school from Lockdown 2.



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ar	relationships	after me, my networks and	after me, my networks and	after me, my networks and	after me, my networks and who to go to if I am worried	after me, my networks an
	I can name people	who to go to if I am worried about anything on and	who to go to if I am worried about anything on and offline	who to go to if I am worried about anything on and offline	about anything on and offline	who to go to if I am worri about anything on and of
	who look after me,	offline and how to attract	and how to attract their	and how to attract their	and how to attract their	and how to attract their
	my networks and	their attention	attention	attention	attention	attention
	who to go to if I am	Keeping myself	Keeping myself safe	My healthy lifestyle I know the	Me and my	Me and my futur
	worried about	safe	I know the internet		relationships	I can recognise t
	anything on and	I know the role of	has many benefits	importance of	I know that there	coins and notes
	offline and how to	medicines in	but I know I need to	personal hygiene	are different types	use
	attract their attention	promoting health,	balance my time	and I am able to	of relationships	I can choose the
	I know what being a	the reasons why	spent on and offline	wash my hands	including families,	correct value of
	good friend means	people use them	I know that people	properly, regularly	friends and others	coins and calcula
	both on and offline	and the rules on	you don't know are	wash my body and	(this includes same	change
	and how they should	safe use of	strangers and this	clean my teeth	sex families) and I	I know that we h
	make us feel happy	medicines	applies online as	twice a day	respect those	to pay for what v
	and secure	I know that some	well as well as off	I understand what	differences	buy
	I can play and work	substances can	line	physical and mental	I know that family	I know how to ke
	cooperatively I can	help or harm the	I know that when	health means and	and friends should	money safe
		body including	people I don't know	that all humans	care for each other	I know that I don
	listen to other people	household	ask me for private	have it	and families can	have to spend m
	and show them	substances like	information I don't	I know how to keep	give love, security	money but can sa
	respect	dishwasher tablets	share it online or in	my body healthy	and stability	it to use later
	I can share	I recognise the	person	through being	I know when	I can set myself
	appropriately I can	_	Lunderstand that		relationships both	
	recognise that my	need for safety		active, healthy	· •	simple goals I car
	behaviour affects	rules –road, fire,	some websites,	eating, getting	on and offline make	identify positive
	others both on and	water, rail, farm,	games and social	enough rest, dental	me feel unhappy or	things about mys
	offline	school 	media sites have	health, sun	unsafe and I am	and recognise an
	I know the difference	environment,	age restrictions and	protection and	able to ask for help I	celebrate my
	between right and	playground, online	I know where to get	looking after my	know the names for	strengths and say
	wrong, fair and unfair	and home and I	help if I see	emotional wellbeing	the main body parts	what I enjoy abo
	and kind and unkind	can follow the	something I am	I can recognise	(including external	school and thing:
	both on and offline	rules	unhappy with	what I like and	genitalia) and why it	do outside of sch
	I can recognise there	I can name an	online	dislike, how to	is important to keep	I can describe the
	are different types of	adult in school	I can talk about my	make real, informed	them private	work that people
	teasing both on and	who can help me	emotions and	choices that	I understand what is	in my family, my
	offline	and I know there	recognise them in	improves my	meant by 'privacy';	school and wher
	I know about change	are people and	others	physical and	my right to keep	live.
		services who can	I know what makes	emotional health	things 'private' and	I can identify
	and loss and the	help us including	me happy	and to recognise	the importance of	positive
	associated feelings	how to call 999 in	I understand what	that choices can	respecting others'	achievements
	(including moving	an emergency	being resilient	have good and not	privacy both on and	during my time in
	home, losing toys,	I know I have a	means to me and I	so good	offline and between	Year 1 I can iden
	pets or friends)	responsibility to	have strategies I can	consequences	friends	my strengths, are
	I know how to be nice			consequences	irielius	for improvement
	to people both on	keep myself and	use			· ·
	and off line	others safe, when	I know some of the			and set myself so
		to say, 'yes', 'no',	reasons why change			goals for Year 2
		'I'll ask' and 'I'll	can feel			
		tell' including	uncomfortable and I			
		knowing that they	know some of the			
		do not need to	ways of dealing			
		keep secrets both	with the feelings			
		on and offline	that sometimes			
		- · · -	arise from changes			

I can express a simple opinion, agreement and disagreement

I can respectfully ask questions and listen to the answers

I play a full part in the life of my classroom

I can agree and follow rules for my group and classroom

I understand the role of the school council and I am able to vote for the members and if chosen to be on the school council I can represent the views of others

Brompton and Sawdon	Primary School: PHSE / S	SRE Long term plan – Class 2 (Y2, 3)	TAUGHT EVERY YEAR		
SPRI	NG 1	SPRING	i 2		
Keeping n	nyself safe	My healthy lifestyle			
Y2	Y3	Y2	Y3		
I can name people wh	o look after me, my	I can name people who look after me, my networks and who to			
networks and who to	go to if I am worried	go to if I am worried about anythin	g on and offline and how to		
about anything on and	d offline and how to	attract their attention			
attract their attention	l				
I know the internet	I know the internet	I know that a healthy lifestyle	I can make choices about		
has many benefits	has many benefits	includes being physically active,	my lifestyle to improve my		
but I know I need to	but I know I need to	rest , healthy eating, dental	health and well-being and		
balance my time	balance my time	health, sun protection and	recognise that choices can		
spent on and offline	spent on and offline	emotional health and I can give	have good and not so good		
and I adhere to the	and adhere to the	examples of what I do on a daily	consequences		
age rating of	age rating of	and on a regular basis to keep	I know what are the good		
computer games I	computer games I	myself healthy	habits for looking after my		
have an	have a growing	I can make simple choices to	growing body both		
understanding of a	understanding of a	improve my physical and	physically and emotionally		
range of risks when	range of risks when	emotional health	on a daily and regular basis I		
communicating	communicating	I know how diseases are spread	know the benefits of		
online and I can	online and I can	and how they can be controlled	physical exercise and time		
demonstrate ways	demonstrate ways	and my responsibilities for my	outdoors		
of reducing the risk	of reducing the risk	own and others health,	I know how to look after my		
to ensure I am safe	to ensure myself and	I am able to wash my hands	mental wellbeing through		
online	my friends are safe	properly	some self-care techniques		
I know that people	online I know how to	I can recognise and name a range	e.g relaxation, benefits of		
sometimes behave	report concerns and	of feelings and understand that	hobbies and interests etc I		
differently online,	get support with	we all experience emotions in	can communicate my		
including friends or	issues online	relation to different experiences	feelings to others, recognise		
by pretending to be		and situations	how others show feelings		
someone they are		I have simple strategies to	and know to respond		
not I have an		manage my feelings I understand	appropriately I understand		
understanding of		what being resilient means to me	what being resilient means		
what a healthy		and I have strategies I can use	to me and I have strategies I		
online friendship is		I know that even changes we	can use I can understand		
and awareness of		want to happen can sometimes	why other people are		
the risks associated		feel uncomfortable but I have	behaving as they are when		
with people I have		identified ways I manage those	they are finding change		
never met		feelings	difficult		

Becoming an active citizen: Y2

I can take part in discussions/simple debate with others about topical issues

I know that people and other living things have needs and recognise my own responsibility to meet those needs I can contribute positively to the life of the class and the school

I understand the role of the school council, am able to vote for the members and have contributed an idea to the school

I know that I belong to different groups and communities ie school, family

I know what improves and harms the environment and about some of the ways people look after them

I know some ways to look after my environment

Becoming an active citizen: Y3

I can participate in making and changing rules

I know why different rules are needed in different situations

I know that choices we make can impact on the local, national and global communities

I know where to find impartial advice to inform my decision making

I understand the media can be biased I can empathise with other people and situations through topical issues, problems and local and global events

Brompton and Sawdon P	rimary School: PHSE / SRE	Long term plan – Class 2 (Y2, 3)	TAUGHT EVERY YEAR		
SUMI	MER 1	SUMMER :	2		
Me and r	my future	Me and my relationships			
Y2	Y3	Y2	Y3		
I can name people who look after me, my		I can name people who look after n			
networks and who to go	o to if I am worried	to go to if I am worried about anyth	ning on and offline and		
about anything on and	offline and how to	how to attract their attention			
attract their attention					
I know that we can	I know how to look	I know the characteristics of a	I can identify different		
pay for things in a	after and handle	healthy family life and the	types of relationships		
range of ways and	money in everyday	importance of caring	and show ways to		
that even when not	situations	for each other and spending time	maintain positive and		
using cash, money is	I can make simple	together	healthy relationships		
being used	financial decisions	I know when relationships both	(this includes same sex		
I understand that the	and consider how to	on and offline make me feel	relationships) both on		
choices we make	spend money,	unhappy or unsafe and I am able	and offline I understand		
affect ourselves and	including pocket	to ask for help	that relationships both		
others	money and	I know about the changes that	on and offline may		
I can explain the	contributions to	have happened to my body since	change over time and		
difference between	charity	birth and the process of growing	how to ask for help if the		
needs and wants	I know there are	from young to old and how	make me unhappy I can		
I understand	different ways to gain	people's needs change	judge what kind of		
individuals and	money, including	I have an understanding of	physical contact is		
families have to find	earning it through	stereotypes and how these can	acceptable or		
ways to balance	work	have a negative impact (e.g	unacceptable and how t		
wants and needs	I understand that	gender, age)	respond -including who		
I understand that it	money is a finite	I understand the importance of	should tell and how to		
may not be possible	resource for	valuing of one's own body and	tell them I understand		
to have everything	individuals,	recognising its uniqueness	the difference between		
you want, straight	institutions and the	I know the names for the main	secrets and surprises an		
away, if at all	community	body parts (including external	understand not to keep		
I can describe why	I begin to understand	genitalia) and the similarities/	adult secrets both on		
learning is important	why we have charities	differences between most boys	and offline and when to		
I am positive about	I can explain why	and girls	support a friend to tell a		
who I am, what I have	people work and the	I know that individuals have rights	trusted adult		
achieved and take	different jobs that	over their own bodies, and that			
into account what	people do and can	there are differences between	I can identify positive		
other people say	challenge some of the	good and bad touching (this	achievements during my		
about me	work stereotypes	includes between peers)	time in Year 2		
I am aware of	I am aware that the	l and the set of the	I can identify my		
stereotypes and that	learning choices I	I can identify positive	strengths, areas for		
everyone does have	make will affect my	achievements during my time in	improvement and set		
the same choices and	future options.	Year 2	myself some goals for		
opportunities in	I can talk positively	I can identify my strengths, areas	next year		
learning, careers and	about what I like to	for improvement and set myself			
work (genders,	do and what I would	some goals for next year			
different ethnicities,	like to do in the future				
different backgrounds, etc)					
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ALL YEAR

Becoming an active citizen Y5

I can acknowledge that others have different points of view both on and offline

Υ4

I know why and how rules and laws are made and enforced, why different rules are needed in different situations and how to take part in making and changing rules in school I can recognise aggressive and antisocial behaviours both on and offline such as bullying and discrimination and their effects on individuals and communities, such as travellers, migrants and asylum seekers I can begin to respond to, or challenge, negative behaviours both on and offline such as stereotyping, homophobia, transphobia and biphobia and racism I understand that to resolve differences I need to respect other people's point of view and respect their decisions but be able to explain my choices and viewpoints I understand how my choices may impact on the environment I can describe the values of the school and know why they are important I can describe the 'British Values' and give examples of what they mean in school and in society

I can demonstrate respect and

tolerance both on and offline towards

people different from my themselves

I know what democracy is and how a democratic government works
I have taken part in democratic events in school (eg: voting for school council, mock election)
I understand the consequences of breaking the law and how the criminal justice system works in the UK
I know how to access local and national support groups both on and offline

I know that circumstances in other countries and cultures may be different from our own I understand why some people have chosen to leave their country and

migrate to the UK I understand the difference between economic migrant, asylum seeker and refugee

I know about Fair Trade and what it means

I know that individual and community rights and responsibilities need to taken into account when making decisions (eg: public enquiries, planning decisions for new roads/housing, etc)

I understand that choices we make as individuals, a community and a nation impact internationally

I am beginning to understand that 'poverty' might have different meanings to different people in different circumstances

I can recognise and challenge

I can recognise and challenge stereotypes

I know where to find impartial advice to inform my decision making and understand about media bias
I can express my views confidently and listen to and show respect for the views of others
I can talk and write about my opinions

I can talk and write about my opinions confidently and listen to and show respect for the opinions of others I can resolve differences, looking at alternatives, making decisions and explaining choices I understand how democracy works in the UK at a local, regional and national scale

Y6

I understand that there are other forms of government that are not democratic and can give some examples of these

I understand what being part of a community means and I can take part more fully in school and community activities

I understand the mental health benefits of community participation and volunteering

I can demonstrate a sense of social justice and moral responsibility at school, in the community and towards the environment

I understand that everyone has human rights and that children have their own special rights set out in the United Nations Declarations of the Rights of the Child

I understand that resources can be allocated in different ways and that economic choices affect individuals, communities and the environment I can research, discuss and debate topical issues, problems and events I appreciate the range of national, regional, religious and ethnic identities in the United Kingdom and the benefits of being a multi-cultural nation

I am aware of how the media present information and that the media can be both a positive and negative influence I can critique how the media present information

I can discuss controversial issues in a sensitive manner, such as terrorism, migration and racism.

Me a	AUTUMN 1 and my relations	hins		AUTUMN 2		
	and my relations	hine				
Y4		iiips	Keeping myself safe			
	Y5	Y6	Y4	Y5	Y6	
different forms d in which peer on peer abuse can manifest can	recognise the different forms n which peer on peer abuse can manifest tself.	I recognise the different forms in which peer on peer abuse can manifest itself. I can suggest how	worried about anythin I recognise different ri how to behave respon acceptable or unaccep	o look after me, my network gon and offline and how to sks in different situations bo sibly, including judging what stable (this could include bet project — online safe I can identify	attract their attention th on and offline and then decide kind of physical contact is ween peers)	
can manifest itself. I can suggest how to help prevent this. I understand how to ask for help should I experience or see this. I feel good about myself and my body and having an understanding of how the media presents 'body image' in the suggest that it is seen that it	•		Barney and Echo	project – online saf	ety	

	SUMMER 1			SUMMER 2	
Me and my relationships			Me and My future		
Y4	Y5	Y6	Y4	Y5	Y6
can demonstrate	I am aware of	I know that		e who look after me, my networks	
ne features of	different types of	relationships change		ything on and offline and how to a	
ood healthy	relationships and	over time and the	•	ent risks in different situations both	
iendship both on	what makes them a	features of a positive		have responsibly, including judging	
nd offline and	positive, healthy	healthy relationship		able or unacceptable (this could inc	
ave the skills to	relationships both on	both on and offline	l can	I am able to make considered	I know that people buy
nanage a falling	and offline and I have	(including friendships) I	demonstrate	decisions about saving, spending and giving	things online and have online bank accounts a
ut	the skills to form and	know how to ask for	how to look	I can differentiate between	passwords to keep mor
can name people	maintain a healthy	help and have a range	after and save	essentials and desires – needs	safe
ho look after me,	relationship	of strategies to resist	money	and wants	I can describe how
ny networks and	I can name people	pressure to do	I can begin to	I understand 'value for money'	people's careers are
ho to go to if I am	who look after me,	something dangerous,	develop an	and can make informed	different and how they
orried about	1	unhealthy, that makes	understandin	choices to get 'value for	develop in different wa
	my networks and who	me feel uncomfortable,	g that people	money'	and I am aware that
nything on or	to go to if I am		have different	I am able to assess 'best buys'	people feel differently
ffline and how to	worried about	anxious or that I believe	financial	in a range of circumstances	about the different typ
ttract their	anything on or offline	is wrong including when	circumstances	I am able to understand and	of work they do I can
ttention	and my health and	to share a confidential	I can begin to	manage feelings about money,	reflect on what I have
can respond	how to attract their	secret all of which can	understand	my own and others I know about the range of jobs	learnt about careers, employability and
ppropriately to	attention	happen both on and	the different	carried out by people and	employability and enterprise activities an
other people's	I know how to	offline	values and	some of the stereotypes	experiences and how t
eelings	respond safely and	I can name people who	attitudes that	surrounding some career	learning relates to my
can recognise my	appropriately to	look after me, my	people have	choices and I am aware of	choices
vorth as an	adults I meet	networks and who to	with regard to	some of the rights and	I can describe a range of
ndividual and the	(including online)	go to if I am worried	money	responsibilities when it comes	local businesses and ho
vorth of other	whom I do not know	about anything on or	Trecognise	to treating people fairly	they are run and the
eople	I know where	offline and my health	_	I know and understand how I	products and / or servi
understand a	individuals, families	and how to attract their	the range of	can develop skills to make a	they provide
ange of feelings	and groups can get	attention	jobs carried	contribution in the future	I understand that
and how these	help and support	I can recognise the	out by people	I am starting to consider what I	employers must treat a
make me feel both	I know how to be a	difference between	they know	like, what I am good at and what I enjoy doing and can talk	employees equally and there are certain
emotionally and	good friend both on	aggressive and assertive	I can explain	positively about my strengths	protected characteristi
ohysically ,	and offline and how	behaviour both on and	how I will	I know the importance of	under the Equalities Ac
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	to manage a fall out	offline and developed	develop skills	making a good impression	I know how to keep my
	with a friend without	some strategies to	for work in	when going through a selection	safe when working and
	a physical reaction e.g	resolve disputes and	the future	process and I can demonstrate	what the law says to
	not violent	conflict	I am aware	some of the skills required to	protect workers
	I understand what	I realise the	that the	do this	I can recognise and sta
	boundaries are	consequences of anti-	learning	I know that there are a range	demonstrate some of t
		•	choices I	of earnings for different jobs	key qualities and skills
	appropriate in	social and aggressive	make will	I understand that there are a	employers are looking
	friendships with peers	behaviours, such as	affect my	range of benefits from	and to be enterprising
	and others both on	bullying, cyber-bullying,	future	employment, not just financial (making a difference, caring for	I understand that mone we earn also supports t
	and offline	homophobia,	options.	others, etc)	community
	I understand the	transphobia and	I can identify	I can identify positive	I can identify positive
	importance of being	biphobia and racism	my strengths,	achievements during my time	achievements during m
	respectful to	which can happen both	areas for	in Year 5 I can identify my	time in Primary School
	everyone and to	on and offline on	improvement	strengths, areas for	explain what I am worr
	recognise and care	individuals and	and set high	improvement and set myself	about and what I am
	about others people's	communities	aspirations	some goals for Year 6	looking forward to in Yo
	feelings both on and	I can recognise and	and goals		7
	offline but if	challenge	I can identify	RSE	RSE
	appropriate I feel able	discrimination and	*	I know the ways in which	I understand the physic
	to confidentially	stereotyping which can	positive	children grow and develop in	and emotional changes
	challenge their view	happen both on and	achievements	puberty – physically and	will go through at pube
	point	offline (including	during my	emotionally	Lean look often multi-
		cultural, ethnic,	time in Year 4	I can manage my periods	I can look after my bod and health as I go throu
		religious diversity,	I can identify	I can manage my periods (menstruation) or I understand	puberty
		sexuality, gender and	my strengths,	how girls manage their periods	publicy
		disability)	areas for	and I am respectful of this	I can manage my perio
		I understand the	improvement	and the state of this	(menstruation) or I
			and set	I recognise, as I approach	understand how girls
		nature, causes and	myself some	puberty, how people's	manage their periods a
		consequences of hate	goals for Year	emotions change at that time	am respectful of this
		crime which can	5	and how to deal with my	
		happen both on and		feelings towards myself, my	I know about human
		offline and I know I		family and others in a positive	reproduction including
		need to tell a trusted		way	conception
	I	adult			

2021-22 Plan for 'The Street'						
	Class 1	Class 2	Class 3			
Sum 2	Single mum	Female same sex couple	Middle eastern immigrant			
2021	Captain Tom	Single dad	Same sex couple – male			
Aut 1	Traditional nuclear family	Step brothers	Transgender (boy who likes to			
2021	Blind person	Elderly person on own	dress as a girl)			
	Elderly person		Mixed Race couple			
Aut 2	Dad stays at home	Boy who dresses like a girl	Girl who dresses like a boy			
2021	British, Indian origin	Looked after / fostered	Refugee			
Spr 1	Girl who dresses like a boy	Eastern European immigrant	Nuclear – dad stays at home			
2022	Muslim	Single dad	Muslim			
Spr 2	Single dad	Girl who dresses like a boy	Elderly person – with carers			
2022	South American	British, Indian origin	British, Pakistani origin			
Sum 1	Step family	Buddhist	Disabled: hearing impairment			
2022	2 mums	Disabled member of family	Same sex couple - female			
Sum 2	Mixed Race couple	Brought up by grandparents	Sikh			
2022	Boy who dresses as a girl	Forces Family	British, Chinese origin			

phones: safe keeping (looking after it) and safe user habits (time limits, use of passcode, turning it off at night etc.) I know how to report concerns and get support with

issues online

I can identify positive things about myself, recognise some of my

and easily but also understand that

some changes are hard and can

take a long time

mistakes and learn from them I can make some changes quickly

support them I understand that the

media can have a positive and negative effect on mental health,

I understand what being resilient

means to me and I have strategies I

I know how change can impact with

our feelings of belonging

e.g.body image

can use

offline but if appropriate I feel able

to confidentially challenge their

view point

discrimination and stereotyping

which can happen both on and

and disability)

offline (including cultural, ethnic, religious diversity, sexuality, gender

I understand the nature, causes and consequences of hate crime which can happen both on and offline and I know I need to tell a trusted adult

SUMMER 2

Me and My future

I can name people who look after me, my networks and who to go to if I am worried about anything on and offline and how to attract their attention I recognise different risks in different situations both on and offline and then decide how to behave responsibly, including judging what kind of physical contact is acceptable or unacceptable (this could include between peers)

I can demonstrate how to look after and save money
I can begin to develop an understanding that people have different financial circumstances
I can begin to understand the different values and attitudes that people have with regard to money
I recognise the range of jobs carried out by people they know
I can explain how I will develop skills for work in the future
I am aware that the learning choices I make will affect my future options.

Υ4

I can identify my strengths, areas for improvement and set high aspirations and goals
I can identify positive achievements during my time in Year 4 I can identify my strengths, areas for improvement and set myself some goals for Year 5

I am able to make considered decisions about saving, spending and giving

I can differentiate between essentials and desires – needs and wants

I understand 'value for money' and can make informed choices to get 'value for money'

I am able to assess 'best buys' in a range of circumstances I am able to understand and manage feelings about money, my own and others

I know about the range of jobs carried out by people and some of the stereotypes surrounding some career choices and I am aware of some of the rights and responsibilities when it comes to treating people fairly I know and understand how I can

develop skills to make a contribution in the future I am starting to consider what I like , what I am good at and what I enjoy doing and can talk positively about my strengths

I know the importance of making a good impression when going through a selection process and I can demonstrate some of the skills required to do this

I know that there are a range of earnings for different jobs I understand that there are a range of benefits from employment, not just financial (making a difference, caring for others, etc)

I can identify positive achievements during my time in Year 5 I can identify my strengths, areas for improvement and set myself some goals for Year 6 I know that people buy things online and have online bank accounts and passwords to keep money safe

Y6

I can describe how people's careers are different and how they develop in different ways and I am aware that people feel differently about the different types of work they do I can reflect on what I have learnt about careers, employability and enterprise activities and experiences and how the learning relates to my choices I can describe a range of local businesses and how they are run and the products and / or services they provide

I understand that employers must treat all employees equally and there are certain protected characteristics under the Equalities Act

I know how to keep myself safe when working and what the law says to protect workers
I can recognise and start to demonstrate some of the key qualities and skills that employers are looking for and to be enterprising
I understand that money we earn

also supports the community
I can identify positive
achievements during my time in
Primary School

I can explain what I am worried about and what I am looking forward to in Year 7

RSE

RSE

For Sex Education, the school uses the Busy Bodies scheme, as it has done successfully since 2015. See here for more information: https://www.healthpromotion.ie/health/inner/busy bodies

Delivery of RSE

RSE is taught within the personal, social, health and economic (PSHE) education curriculum. Biological aspects of RSE are taught within the science curriculum, and other aspects are included in religious education (RE). Pupils also receive stand-alone sex education sessions delivered by a trained health professional.

Relationships education focuses on teaching the fundamental building blocks and characteristics of positive relationships including: Families and people who care for me, Caring friendships, Respectful relationships, Online relationships, Being safe

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These areas of learning are taught within the context of family life taking care to ensure that there is no stigmatisation of children based on their home circumstances (families can include; father & mother, single parent families, LGBT parents, families headed by grandparents, adoptive parents, foster parents/carers amongst other structures) along with reflecting sensitively that some children may have a different structure of support around them (for example: looked after children or young carers). However, teaching will not prescribe, endorse or affirm any particular lifestyle choice or belief. It will also not directly conflict with the religious or philosophical convictions of individual students or staff members. The purpose of the teaching will be to increase students' awareness and understanding of relationships (especially those with which they are less familiar) in today's 'modern society'. Brompton & Sawdon CP School's vision of 'modern society' is one which recognises both the traditional views that some people and school users may have alongside more recently developed viewpoints.

Brompton & Sawdon CP School will not, to the best of its endeavours, promote, celebrate or diminish any one particular ideology over another, nor does it believe that traditional values have any less regard in society and in education than those more recently formed. The teaching of RSE and PSHE at Brompton & Sawdon CP School promotes the idea that people with different viewpoints can live in harmony, disagreeing with one another amicably and respectfully but also understanding, where possible, one another's viewpoints. Teachers are very careful to ensure that school users' views are held in the same regard, unless they contradict the PREVENT duty. Teachers, where appropriate, will hold meaningful class discussions with children if they have conflicting views, ensuring that the value of each viewpoint is not diminished or not enhanced over another.

To ensure a consistency of approach and to avoid confusing subject matter, any element of our PSHE/RSE curriculum will ONLY be taught in specific PSHE sessions and not appear in any other subject area. This is to ensure that any unfair bias to one particular element of the curriculum or over referencing one subject area. The only exception to this is where subject matter may spontaneously come up in conversation in class, where it is good practice for teachers to address this with students, if age-appropriate.

Similarly, any aspect of the RSE curriculum which explores the non-statutory elements of sex education will be taught in specific lessons named Sex and Relationships Education. This is in order that parents/carers understand that clear definition of what is being taught and their right to withdraw. Any resources that are designed for use in PSHE and RSE will also ONLY be used in these sessions and only where they have a true value for learning in relation to the given objective. These resources will not be used in other curriculum subjects where the learning in those sessions is not explicitly and solely covered by the resource.

The delivery of RSE sessions, especially elements relating to Sex Education, will be taught in an age-appropriate, respectful, engaging and informative manner. Where appropriate, staff members will answer all students' questions, in an age-appropriate context, in a non-judgemental, safe and open environment. In their responses and teaching, teachers will avoid any bias to a particular lifestyle choice or belief. They will, however, fulfil their duty to negate ideologies or beliefs that are radicalised, as part of their PREVENT duty. In order to maintain the age-appropriateness of sessions, teachers may decide to break-up their mixed-aged classes, so that younger students do not experience any learning which is not age-appropriate and, conversely, older students receive their full curriculum entitlement and are prepared for the next stage in their development.

Definition

RSE is about the emotional, social and cultural development of pupils, and involves learning about relationships, sexual health, sexuality, healthy lifestyles, diversity and personal identity. RSE involves a combination of sharing information, and exploring issues and values. RSE is not about the promotion of sexual activity.