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Dear Parents and Carers,

The government has introduced new relationships and sex education (RSE) and health education guidance, that we're required to follow from 1 September 2026.

Because of this, we're reviewing our curriculum and policy, so we can be sure our provision is appropriate for our pupils based on their:

- Age and development stage
- Physical and emotional maturity
- Religious and cultural background
- Special educational needs and disabilities (SEND)

We know that the teaching of key areas such as 'changing bodies' often causes some anxiety with parents and often lots of misunderstanding about what is actually taught for our young children.

We're holding a meeting on Wednesday 10th June at 9am. The aim will be to share our revised policy and provide an opportunity for you to see the materials and units taught through our Jigsaw Scheme.

In the meantime, I have attached our draft policy and overview.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rfennell', with a horizontal line underneath.

Rebecca Fennell
Headteacher

