

## Westbourne Academy

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WESTBOURNE  
ACADEMY

Principal - Mr Garry Trott

Our ref: PSt/EPe

28<sup>th</sup> November 2016

Dear Parent/Carer

### Personal, Social & Health Education (PSHE): Sex & Relationships Education

As part of our PSHE programme, with effect from January 2017 each student will be engaged in a module of work covering sex education and relationships. Essentially the work for each year group will be as follows:

**Years 7 & 8 - 'How our bodies change' and 'Friendships':** This year's work also covers puberty and the changes to expect. Largely the emphasis here will be on dispelling playground myths.

**Year 9:** This will mainly consider issues and attitudes about sex including sexually transmitted infections. Contraception will be introduced but will be done so in context of age and the law.

**Year 10 - Moving On:** Under a general PSHE theme of 'Moving On', students will consider sexuality and sexting, parenthood and the potential consequences of adult relationships.

**Year 11:** Students will consider sexuality and will revisit in more depth some of the issues raised in previous years.

Should you wish to know more about the sex and relationships education programme and the methods we adopt to teach it, then please do not hesitate to contact me (paul.strutt@westbourne.atrust.org.uk).

You should be aware that you are able to withdraw your child from the sex and relationship education lessons if you wish. To ease our administration, would you please only return the slip below to withdraw your child from these lessons. **Deadline: Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2016.**

Yours sincerely

Mr P Strutt  
PSHE Coordinator



*Please return to Student Services for the attention of Mr P Strutt no later than Friday 9<sup>th</sup> December 2016.*

Student's Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Form: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

Please be advised that I wish to withdraw the above-named from the PSHE Sex and Relationship Education lessons that are taking place in school from January 2017.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Carer Name: \_\_\_\_\_





## Information

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