



# Coddington C of E Primary and Nursery School

23 June 2021

Dear Parents/Carers

## **Year 6 Living and Growing Topic (Sex and Relationship Education)**

The children in Year 6 will be undertaking Unit 2 and 3 of the Living and Growing topic week commencing 28 June.

'Changes' explores the physical and emotional changes that take place at the onset of puberty. It considers some of the changes that are outside of our control and the choices we face towards others, over which we can have increasing control as we grow up.

'How babies are made', examines the whole process of life cycles and reproduction, friendships and feelings. It emphasises the importance of loving and caring relationships between couples and the value of the family and relationships within it.

'How babies are born', reviews relationships and feelings and investigates roles and responsibilities. It focuses on the development of the baby in the womb, the needs of the baby and mother before birth and inheritance of physical characteristics.

'Girl talk', reviews the physical and emotional changes that take place for girls at the onset of puberty. It deals with the information not only from the point of view of girls but also in terms of what boys need to know. Menstruation is discussed and common problems faced by girls are given consideration.

'Boy talk', reviews the physical and emotional changes that take place for boys at the onset of puberty. It deals with the information not only from the point of view of boys but also in terms of what girls need to know.

Parents/carers have the right to withdraw their child for some, or all SRE lessons, but not the aspects that are part of the statutory science curriculum. If you have concerns about the work being covered, then please contact any of the Year 6 staff.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Kind Regards

Miss Burr, Miss Stevens and Mrs Ward  
Year 6 Team