

SB/JC/GW

September 2024

Dear Parent/Guardian

As part of the new curriculum for PSHRE (personal, social, health, religious education), introduced in September 2020 by the government, students in Year 9 will be studying lessons around the topic of Relationships and Sex Education.

This will involve the following lessons:

- What myths and misconceptions relating to consent?
- What are the laws relating to consent?
- STI's, effective use of condoms and negotiating safer sex
- What about the consequences of unprotected sex?
- How does the portrayal of relationships in the media and pornography affect expectations?
- How do you distinguish between healthy and unhealthy friendships?

If you would not wish your child to take part in these lessons, please complete the form provided below and return to your child's tutor.

Yours sincerely



Mrs S Bennett
Head Teacher

Students Name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

I wish to withdraw my child from the Relationships and Sex Education lessons from 10th September to 22nd October 2024.

Signed: _____ (Parent/Guardian) Date: _____