

## St. Marie's Catholic Primary School

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Dear Parent and Carers,

At St Marie's Catholic Primary School, we promote personal wellbeing and development of Personal, Social and Health Education (PSHE) which gives children the knowledge, and practical skills to live healthy, safe, productive and fulfilled lives, both now and in the future.

Since 2018, we have been teaching our children about relationships through our Journey in Love programme. We will continue to use this programme which has been recently been updated to reflect the changes in the new DfE statutory guidance alongside our PHSE lessons. RSHE (Relationships, sex and health education) now has to be taught to our children.

As a Catholic school, we are required to ensure that our teaching reflects our Catholic identity and mission and to be both age and stage appropriate for our pupils.

We know our children love to talk about what they have been doing in school and so we want to share with you, what our lessons in Relationships, Sex and Health Education will be look like, what we will be talking to children about as the lessons will be from Reception – Y6.

We will be sending out a questionnaire via our parent app and it will also be on our Parent's Page on the school website. This will be live from 10<sup>th</sup> May, and you will be able to put forward your own opinion through this. It will also help us in school to support how we develop our RHSE curriculum.

If you are interested in being part of the virtual meeting, please return the slip below and we will contact you with dates and times of the meeting.

Thank you for your continued support, Miss O'Keeffe and Mrs Harkin

I/We are interested	in being	involved in	the	Virtual	meeting	on F	Relationship/	Sex and	Health	Education
consultation.										

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