

# Relationship and Health Education

## **Primary Phase**

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#### 1. Rationale

#### **Definition:**

The following policy refers to Relationships Education at Alec Reed Academy Primary School.

We define Relationships Education as learning about families, caring friendships and people who care for me, respectful relationships, online relationships, being safe, growing up and puberty. In Relationships Education, Sex Education is also covered and well as aspects of sex education being covered in the National Science Curriculum (see appendix 1). Sex education is defined in this policy preparing boys and girls for the changes that adolescence brings and the scientific process of how a baby is conceived and born.

Relationships Education is a tool in which to safeguard children as it aims to provide an excellent forum to provide pupils with life-skills that will enable them to make informed decisions and protect themselves against harmful and exploitative situations.

Relationships Education explores social and human diversity and respect for differences. It contributes to the foundation of PSHE and Spiritual, Moral, Social and Cultural (SMSC) development and offers a valuable vehicle for promoting equality between individuals and groups.

Aspects of Relationships Education are taught as an integral part of the school's PSHE provision throughout the primary school from Nursery to Year 6. In this way, children are able to develop their ideas, knowledge and skills gradually and appropriately in a non-threatening environment.

#### Relationships Education and Ofsted:

The 2019 Ofsted framework states that pupils should be able to recognise online and offline risks to their well-being – for example, risks from criminal and sexual exploitation, domestic abuse, female genital mutilation, forced marriage, substance misuse, gang activity, radicalisation and extremism – and making them aware of the support available to them. It also states that schools should ensure they are developing pupils' age-appropriate understanding of healthy relationships through appropriate relationship and sex education.

The 2019 Ofsted framework also states:

'From September 2019, schools are able to follow a new relationships and sex education and health education curriculum. From September 2020, they will be required by law to follow it. Primary-age children must be taught about positive relationships and respect for others, and how these are linked to promoting good mental health and well-being. In addition, sex education will become mandatory at secondary level. If a school is failing to meet its obligations, inspectors will consider this when reaching the personal development judgement.

#### **Moral and Values Framework:**

The Relationships Education Policy will be complimentary with the Religious Education Policy of our school. The Relationships Education Policy will be sensitive towards the established morals and values framework of all the major world religions and philosophies. In its implementation, it will draw from the practical experiences of those who represent the various religious and philosophical groups within the local community.

#### 2. Statutory requirements

Schools are required to comply with relevant requirements of the Equality Act 2010. Further guidance is available for schools in The Equality Act 2010 and school's advice. The DfE guidance states that schools should pay particular attention to the Public sector equality duty (PSED)

Under the provisions of the Equality Act, schools must not unlawfully discriminate against pupils because of their age, sex, race, disability, religion or belief, gender reassignment, pregnancy or maternity, marriage or civil partnership, or sexual orientation (collectively known as the protected characteristics). Schools must also make reasonable adjustments to alleviate disadvantage and be mindful of the SEND Code of Practice when planning for these subjects.

As a primary academy school, we must provide Relationships Education to all pupils as per section 34 of the Children and Social work act 2017.

We do not have to follow the National Curriculum, but we are expected to offer all pupils a curriculum that is similar to the National Curriculum including requirements to teach science which would include the elements of sex education contained in the science curriculum. Our school also delivers sex education as part of Relationships Education. Parents can withdraw from sex education lessons (see section8).

In teaching Relationships Education, we are required by our funding agreements to have regard to guidance issued by the secretary of state as outlined in section 403 of the Education Act 1996.

At Alec Reed Academy we teach Relationships Education as set out in this policy.

#### 3. Policy development

This policy has been developed in consultation with staff, pupils and parents. The steps taken to review the policy are as follows.

The Department for Education and Ofsted have clearly outlined aspects of Relationships Education that are statutory in all primary schools, therefore some recommendations or comments made during the consultation process may not be reflected in the final policy as our school has to ensure we are meeting statutory guidelines.

- 1. **Review** a member of school staff/members of the Relationships Education working party looked through the existing Relationships Education policy as well as local and national guidance for Relationships Education. The working party then reviewed the Relationships Education policy reflecting any advice and changes at local and national level.
- 2. **Staff consultation** Staff were consulted via an online RSE staff survey. The results of this survey informed the policy development and also informed additional support needed to enhance the delivery of RSE. All staff were sent the draft policy by email and were then invited to comment on the policy and make suggestions/amendments.
- 3. **Parent consultation** All parents were sent the draft policy by email and were then invited to comment on the policy.
- 4. **Pupil consultation** We consulted with pupil via the 2019 Health Related Behaviour Survey. The results of this survey were then used to inform the policy and inform the delivery of RSE in our school.

- 5. **Governor consultation** Governors were consulted on this policy via a governor meeting. All governors were sent the draft policy in advance of the staff meeting and were then invited to comment on the policy and make suggestions/amendments.
- 6. **Ratification** once amendments were made, the policy was shared with governors and ratified. The policy was then ratified by the governing body in September 2020.

This policy will be reviewed every two years. This policy will next reviewed in September 2021

#### 4. Aim and objectives

The aim of this policy is to enable the effective planning, delivery and assessment of Relationships Education.

The aims of Relationships Education at our school is to:

- Develop confidence in talking, listening and thinking about feelings and relationships;
- Teach pupils the correct vocabulary to describe themselves and their bodies;
- o Be prepared for puberty and understand the basic changes that happen during puberty;
- Understand how to keep their bodies healthy and clean;
- Understand how to keep themselves and their bodies safe;
- Help pupils develop feeling of self-respect, confidence and empathy;
- Help pupils recognise healthy friendships;
- o Provide a framework in which sensitive discussions can take place;
- o Foster respect for the views of other people

#### 5. Equal Opportunities

Alec Reed Academy Policy believes that Relationships Education should meet the needs of all pupils. Our school is committed to the provision of Relationships Education to all pupils and the differing needs of boys and girls. All staff are expected to give every pupil the chance to experience, participate and achieve the understanding of Relationships Education. Equal time and provision will be allocated for all groups but there may be occasions where children with special educational needs (SEN) are given extra support.

The planning and organising of teaching strategies will be consistently reviewed e.g. through lesson observations to ensure that no pupil is disadvantaged. At Alec Reed Academy we are aware that certain topics may need to be taught in split gender classes such as menstruation.

#### 6. Delivery of RSE: Content, delivery and training

Relationships Education is taught within the personal, social, health and economic (PSHE) education curriculum. Our school uses the Ealing PSHE scheme of work to deliver PSHE and Relationships Education. Biological aspects of Relationships Education are taught within the science curriculum, and other aspects are also included in health education. A breakdown of what is covered in Science, Health Education and Relationships Education can be found in appendix 1.

Relationships Education will take place on a 'PSHE day' which happens once every half term. The main aspects of Relationships Education are covered in the Summer Term as part of PSHE (See appendix 2) however many aspects of keeping safe, good and bad touch, healthy friendships, online safety, peer

pressure, saying no, the PANTS rule, families and people who care for me are taught throughout the school year to ensure a consistent spiraling approach to keeping safe.

Relationships Education focuses on teaching the fundamental building blocks and characteristics of positive relationships including:

- Families and people who care for me
- Caring friendships
- Respectful relationships
- Online relationships
- o Being safe

The above points are covered in an age appropriate way from EYFS to Year 6 (see appendix 2 for more detail). These areas of learning are taught within the context of family life taking care to ensure that there is no stigmatisation of children based on their home circumstances (families can include single parent families, LGBT parents, families headed by grandparents, adoptive parents, foster parents/carers amongst other structures) along with reflecting sensitively that some children may have a different structure of support around them (for example: looked after children or young carers).

In year 4, 5 & 6 the changing adolescent body (puberty) is covered. It is covered at this age to ensure that children are prepared for the physical and emotional changes that will happen to their body throughout puberty, Puberty is part of the statutory Health Education curriculum (see appendix 1).

Sex education is covered in year 6 only. In these lessons will focus on preparing boys and girls for the changes that adolescence brings and the scientific process of how a baby is conceived and born.

For more information about our Relationships Education curriculum, see appendix 2 and 3. Appendix 2 outlines the learning objectives for Relationships Education and appendix 3 outlines the vocabulary our school uses during these lessons.

#### Delivery:

Relationships Education will usually be delivered by a member of school staff, usually the child's class teacher. If an external visitor is delivering all or aspects of Relationships Education, parents will be informed.

Relationships Education is usually delivered in mixed gender groups other than when it is deemed more appropriate for topics to be covered in single sex groups.

Relationships Education will be assessed as part of the wider PSHE curriculum.

Staff are aware that views around RSE related issues are varied. However, while personal views are respected, all RSE issues are taught without bias. Topics are presented using a variety of views and beliefs so that pupils are able to form their own, informed opinions but also respect others that may have a different opinion.

Both formal and informal RSE questions arising from pupils are answered according to the age and maturity of the pupil(s) concerned. Questions do not have to be answered directly and can be addressed individually later. The school believes that individual teachers must use their skill and discretion in this area and refer to the Child Protection Lead if they are concerned.

The following are protocols teachers follow for discussion ('Ground Rules')

o No one (teacher or pupil) will have to answer a personal question

- O No one will be forced to take part in a discussion
- Only correct/agreed names for body parts will be used
- Meanings of words will be explained in a sensible and factual way
- o The use of a question box may help to lessen embarrassment of asking questions
- Teachers may use their discretion in responding to questions and may say (for example):
  - The appropriate person to answer that question is your parent
  - The question can be discussed one to one after class
  - The topic will be covered at a later stage in their Relationships Education

Katie Smith is the member of staff who monitors the implementation of Relationships Education, this monitoring is done through book scrutiny, lesson observations, pupil conferencing sessions and staff focus groups.

Relationships Education is assessed and evaluated by using the Ealing PSHE scheme of work.

#### **Training:**

Staff are trained on the delivery of RSE as part of their induction and it is included in our continuing professional development calendar.

The headteacher may also invite visitors from outside the school, such as school nurses or the health improvement team, to provide support and training to staff teaching RSE.

#### 7. Child protection

There may be rare occasions when a teacher is directly approached by a primary aged child who is sexually active, contemplating sexual activity and/or is being sexually abused. With respect to child abuse and protection procedures, staff will follow the school's child protection policy.

Staff will also be referred to the:

DfE's 2019 document on 'Keeping children safe in education'- statutory guidance for schools and colleges https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/keeping-children-safe-in-education--2

Working together to safeguard children 2018

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#### 8. Partnership with Parents

The school views parents as partners in the delivery of Relationships Education. Parents will be informed about the Relationships Education programme at the beginning of the Summer term, as part of information provided on what their children will be learning.

The school will liaise with parents through:

- RSE workshops
- Letter (Appendix 4)

The school encourages parents to discuss Relationships Education with their the headteacher, PSHE lead or the child's class teacher and are invited to view materials. This policy will be available on the school website for parents.

#### Right to withdraw

Parents do not have the right to withdraw their children from statutory Relationships and Health Education lessons (see outline of Relationships and Health education in appendix 1). Parents also cannot withdraw their children from the statutory National Science Curriculum (see appendix 1)

Parents have the right to withdraw their children from the non-statutory components of sex education (taught in year 6 only) within Relationships Education (see appendix 1). Requests for withdrawal from these lessons should be put in writing and addressed to the headteacher. In the event of a child being withdrawn from a lesson, that child must stay in school and will be assigned to another class until that specific lesson is over.

If you withdraw your child from sex education lessons, the school cannot guarantee that your child will not hear about the content of lessons from other pupils e.g. on the playground, walking home from school. By withdrawing children from sex education lessons, they may seek the information from elsewhere e.g. friends, siblings, the internet. These sources of information are open incorrect and unreliable and can expose children to information which is not appropriate for their age.

#### 9. Roles and responsibilities

#### The governing board

The governing board will approve the Relationships Education policy and hold the headteacher to account for its implementation.

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#### The headteacher

The headteacher is responsible for ensuring that Relationships Education is taught consistently across the school, and for managing requests to withdraw pupils from non-statutory components of Relationships Education (see appendix 1).

#### Staff

Staff are responsible for:

- Delivering Relationships Education in a sensitive way
- Modeling positive attitudes to Relationships Education
- Monitoring progress
- Responding to the needs of individual pupils

Staff do not have the right to opt out of teaching Relationships Education. Staff who have concerns about teaching Relationships Education are encouraged to discuss this with the headteacher.

At Alec Reed Academy all teaching staff, including cover teachers, are responsible for delivering Relationships education lessons. Katie Smith is responsible for leading PSHE and RSE in this school.

#### **Pupils**

Pupils are expected to engage fully in Relationships Education and, when discussing issues related to Relationships Education, treat others with respect and sensitivity.

**APPENDIX 1:** Curriculum coverage – science, relationships education and health education

Relationships Education	Sex Education Science		Health education	
Statutory	Non statutory (year 6	Statutory	Statutory	
	only)			
Families and people who care for	<ul> <li>questions</li> </ul>	Key Stage 1:	Mental wellbeing	
me	pertaining to sex	o identify, name,	<ul> <li>that mental wellbeing is a</li> </ul>	
o that families are important for	or sexuality	draw and label	<b>normal part of daily life</b> , in the	
children growing up <b>because</b>	which go beyond	the basic parts	same way as physical health.	
they can give love, security	what is set out	of the human	o that there is a <b>normal range of</b>	
and stability.	for Relationships	body and say	emotions (e.g. happiness,	
<ul> <li>the characteristics of healthy</li> </ul>	Education.	which part of	sadness, anger, fear, surprise,	
family life, commitment to	<ul> <li>questions</li> </ul>	the body is	nervousness) and scale of	
each other, including in times	pertaining to sex	associated with	emotions that all humans	
of difficulty, protection and	or sexuality	each sense.	experience in relation to	
care for children and other	which go beyond	<ul><li>notice that</li></ul>	different experiences and	
family members, the	what is set out	animals,	situations	
importance of spending time	for Relationships	including	<ul> <li>how to recognise and talk</li> </ul>	
together and sharing each	Education.	humans, have	about their emotions,	
other's lives.	o Sexual	offspring which	including having a varied	
o that others' families, either in	reproduction in	grow into	vocabulary of words to use	
school or in the wider world,	humans	adults	when talking about their own	
sometimes look different	<ul> <li>Reproductive</li> </ul>	Key Stage 2:	and others' feelings.	
from their family, but that	cycle in humans	<ul> <li>describe the</li> </ul>	o how to judge whether what	
they should <b>respect</b> those		changes as	they are <b>feeling</b> and how they	
differences and know that		humans	are behaving is appropriate	
other children's families are		develop to old	and proportionate.	
also characterised by love and		age	o the benefits of physical	
care		<ul> <li>recognise that</li> </ul>	<b>exercise</b> , time outdoors,	
o that stable, caring		living things	community participation,	
relationships, which may be		produce	voluntary and service-based	
of different types, are at the		offspring of the	activity on mental wellbeing	
heart of happy families, and		same kind, but	and happiness.	
are important for children's		normally	o simple self-care techniques,	
security as they grow up.		offspring vary	including the importance of	
o that marriage represents a		and are not	rest, time spent with friends	
formal and legally recognised		identical to	and family and the benefits of	
commitment of two people to		their parents	hobbies and interests.	
each other which is intended			o isolation and loneliness can	
to be lifelong.			affect children and that it is	
o how to recognise if family			very important for children to	
relationships are making them			discuss their feelings with an	
feel unhappy or unsafe, and how to seek help or advice			adult and seek support.	
from others if needed.			o that <b>bullying</b> (including	
nom others if fleeded.			cyberbullying) has a <b>negative</b> and often lasting impact on	
			mental wellbeing.	
			<ul> <li>where and how to seek</li> <li>support (including recognising</li> </ul>	
			the triggers for seeking	
			support), including whom in	
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		o whore a	nd how to report
			and get support with
		issues on	
Do.	spectful relationships		Ith and fitness
	the importance of respecting	-	acteristics and mental
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	others, even when they are		sical benefits of an
	very different from them (for	active life	•
	example, physically, in		rtance of <b>building</b>
	character, personality or		exercise into daily and
	backgrounds), or make different choices or have		outines and how to
			this; for example
	different preferences or beliefs.		or cycling to school, a
		•	ve mile or other forms
0	practical steps they can take in		r, vigorous exercise.  associated with an
	a range of different contexts to		
	improve or support respectful		lifestyle (including
	relationships.	obesity).	when to seek support
0	the conventions <b>of courtesy and manners.</b>		which adults to speak
_	the importance <b>of self-respect</b>		ool if they are worried
0	and how this links to their own		eir health.
		about the	eir neaith.
	happiness. that in school and in wider		
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	society they can expect to be		
	treated with respect by		
	others, and that in turn they		
	should show due respect to		
	others, including those in		
	positions of authority		
0	about different types of		
	bullying (including		
	cyberbullying), the impact of		
	bullying, responsibilities of		
	bystanders (primarily reporting		
	bullying to an adult) and how		
_	to get help.		
0	what a <b>stereotype is</b> , and how		
	stereotypes can be unfair,		
_	negative or destructive.		
0	the importance of <b>permission</b> -		
	seeking and giving in		
	relationships with friends, peers and adults.		
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	that people sometimes <b>behave</b>	Healthy eating	ng estitutes a <b>healthy diet</b>
0	differently online, including by		g understanding
			g understanding and other nutritional
	pretending to be someone they are not.	calories a	
_	-	content).	
0	that the same principles apply		
	to online relationships as to		

	face-to-face relationships,		<u> </u>	<ul> <li>the principles of planning and</li> </ul>	
	including the importance of			<ul> <li>the principles of planning and preparing a range of healthy</li> </ul>	
	respect for others online meals.				
	including when we are			<ul><li>the characteristics of a poor</li></ul>	
	_			diet and risks associated with	
	anonymous. the rules and principles for			unhealthy eating (including, for	
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	keeping safe online, how to			example, obesity and tooth	
	recognise risks, harmful			decay) and other behaviours	
	content and contact, and how			(e.g. the impact of alcohol on	
_	to report them.			diet or health).	
0	how to <b>critically consider</b> their				
	online friendships and sources				
	of information including				
	awareness of the risks				
	associated with people they				
	have never met.				
0	how information and data is				
D.o.	shared and used online.			Drugs alsohal and tahassa	
	ing safe what sorts of boundaries are			Drugs, alcohol and tobacco	
0				o the facts about legal and	
	appropriate in friendships with			illegal harmful substances and	
	peers and others (including in			associated risks, including	
	a digital context).			smoking, alcohol use and	
0	about the concept of <b>privacy</b>			drug-taking.	
	and the implications of it for				
	both children and adults;				
	including that it is not always				
	right to keep secrets if they				
	relate to being safe.				
0	that each person's body				
	belongs to them, and the				
	differences between				
	appropriate and inappropriate				
	or unsafe physical, and other,				
	contact.				
0	how to respond safely and				
	appropriately to adults they				
	may encounter (in all contexts,				
	including online) whom they				
	do not know.				
0	how to recognise and report				
	feelings of being unsafe or				
	feeling bad about any adult.				
0	how to <b>ask for advice</b> or help				
	for themselves or others, and				
	to keep trying until they are				
	heard.				
0	how to report concerns or				
	abuse, and the vocabulary and				
	confidence needed to do so.				

o where to get advice e.g.		
family, school and/or other		
sources.		
		<ul> <li>Health and prevention</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>how to recognise early signs of</li> </ul>
		physical illness, such as weight
		loss, or unexplained changes to
		the body.
		o about safe and unsafe
		exposure to the sun, and how
		to reduce the risk of sun
		damage, including skin cancer.
		the importance of sufficient
		good quality sleep for good
		health and that a lack of sleep
		can affect weight, mood and
		ability to learn.
		o about <b>dental health</b> and the
		benefits of good oral hygiene
		and dental flossing, including
		regular check-ups at the
		dentist.
		o about personal hygiene and
		germs including bacteria,
		viruses, how they are spread
		and treated, and the
		importance of handwashing.
		o the facts and science relating
		to allergies, immunisation and
		vaccination.
		Basic first aid
		o how to make a clear and
		efficient call to emergency
		services if necessary.
		o concepts of basic <b>first-aid</b> , for
		example dealing with common
		injuries, including head
		injuries.
		Changing adolescent body
		<ul> <li>key facts about puberty and</li> </ul>
		the changing adolescent body,
		particularly from age 9 through
		to age 11, including <b>physical</b>
		and emotional changes.
		o about menstrual wellbeing
		including the key facts about
		the <b>menstrual cycle</b> .
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APPENDIX 2: Relationships Education learning objectives (taken from the wider Ealing PSHE scheme of work)

Year group	Learning objectives for Relationships Education lessons
Nursery	To consider the routines and patterns of a typical day
	To explain how to keep myself clean and healthy and explain why it is
	important  To identify the people in my family and explain where I can get help
Reception	To identify the people in my family and explain where I can get help     To consider the routines and patterns of a typical day
	To explain how to keep myself clean and healthy and explain why it is
	important
	To identify the people in my family and explain where I can get help
Year 1	To understand how to keep myself clean and healthy and explain why it is
	important  o To understand how I have grown and changed since birth
	To identify the people in my family, while recognising that not all families look
	like mine
	To explain where I can get help and support.
Year 2	To explore stereotypes
	To explain personal boundaries
	To understand how boys and girls are different and to name boy and girl body
	parts
	<ul> <li>To understand the stages in the human lifecycle</li> <li>To identify the people in my family, while recognizing that not all families look</li> </ul>
	like mine
	To explain where I can get help and support.
Year 3	<ul> <li>To understand how boys and girls are different and to name boy and girl body</li> </ul>
	parts
	To explain personal boundaries
	<ul> <li>To identify the people in my family, while recognizing that not all families look like mine</li> </ul>
	To explain where I can get help and support
	To understand good friendships
Year 4	To identify the people in my family, while recognizing that not all families look
	like mine
	To explain where I can get help and support
	To understand basic facts about puberty
	To begin to understand menstruation     To understand menstruation
Year 5	<ul> <li>To understand good friendships</li> <li>To explore the emotional and physical changes that occur during puberty</li> </ul>
i cai 5	<ul> <li>To explore the emotional and physical changes that occur during puberty</li> <li>To understand male and female puberty changes</li> </ul>
	To explore the impact of puberty on the body and the importance of physical
	hygiene
	To explore ways to get support during puberty
	To understand what makes a family and who to turn to for help and support
Year 6	To recap the male and female changes that happen during puberty
	To understand what makes a family and who to turn to for help and support     To explore positive and pogetive ways of communicating in relationships.
	<ul> <li>To explore positive and negative ways of communicating in relationships</li> <li>To understand healthy relationships</li> </ul>
	The understand the human reproductive system <i>(parents can withdraw</i> )
	children from this lesson. See section 8)

### **APPENDIX 3: Relationships Education vocabulary**

Below is a list of vocabulary from Relationships Education lessons. Vocabulary from each year group is carried forward to the next year group (e.g. year 3 vocabulary is revisited in year 4).

	forward to the next year group (e.g. year 3 vocabulary is revisited in year 4).  Vocabulary
Year group	
Nursery	o Routine
	o Clean
	Healthy     Machiner
	o Washing
	o Family
	o Help
	○ Support
Reception	Routine
	○ Clean
	○ Healthy
	○ Washing
	o Family
	o Help
	<ul><li>Support</li></ul>
Year 1	○ Clean
	o Hygiene
	o Healthy
	o Family
	o Grown
	○ Changed
Year 2	o Different
	○ Similar
	o Penis
	○ Vagina
	<ul> <li>Stereotype</li> </ul>
	o Private
	<ul> <li>Boundaries</li> </ul>
	○ Girl
	○ Boy
	○ Male
	○ Female
	○ Baby
	o Adult
	○ Toddler
	o Child
	o Elder
Year 3	Differences
	Personal space
	Personal boundaries
	<ul><li>Good friendships</li></ul>
	Peer pressure
	<ul><li>Unhealthy friendships</li></ul>

Year 4	o Body change
i cai +	Puberty
	Nipple     Dubis hair
	o Pubic hair
	o Breast
	Menstruation
	o Period
	Fallopian tube
	o Womb
	o Egg
	Sanitary products
Year 5	<ul> <li>Physical changes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Emotional changes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Body changes</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Voice deepens</li> </ul>
	o Body hair
Year 6	o Relationship
	<ul> <li>Positive and negative relationship</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Personal information</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Communication</li> </ul>
	○ Wet dream
	o Erection
	Sexual intercourse lesson (parents can withdraw from this
	lesson:
	<ul> <li>Sexual intercourse</li> </ul>
	○ Sperm
	∘ Egg
	○ Fertilized
	o Embryo
	o embedded
	o Pregnancy
	o Birth