Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of your child’s education at Oasis Academy Warndon, we promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education programme. PSHE is the curriculum subject that gives children the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and practical skills to live safe, healthy, productive lives and meet their full potential.

I am writing to let you know that this half term, starting 23rd May your child’s class will be taking part in lessons which will focus on the relationships and sex education (RSE) aspect of this programme.

**Lessons in Year 4 will include pupils learning about:**

* What is diversity?
* Do boys and girls have different roles?
* What changes happen to my body? (personal hygiene).

PSHE education is taught throughout the school in every year group and it is monitored and reviewed regularly by the staff and senior leadership team. All PSHE teaching will take place in a safe learning environment and is underpinned by our school’s ethos and values. Please visit our school’s website <https://www.oasisacademywarndon.org/> for more details about our PSHE curriculum, including an overview of our RSE curriculum. If you would like a copy of the overview, please asked your child’s class teacher.

As a school community, we are committed to working in partnership with parents; parental feedback has indicated that the overwhelming majority of parents continue to be highly supportive of our RSE programme.

If you would like to find out more about what your child will be learning, we will be holding an informal workshop for parents on Thursday 5th May from 9.00-9.30am or 2.30-3.00pm. The workshop will cover what children will be learning in class, what materials and resources are used and how you can best support your child when discussing these topics at home. If you are unable to attend either of these workshops but would like to discuss the RSE curriculum, please get in touch with the office at admin@oasiswarndon.org.

Yours sincerely

Miss Jauncey and Miss Davies