Dear Parents and Guardians,

I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to address an important aspect of our curriculum that relates to Relationships, and Health Education, particularly regarding the Safety and the Changing Body lessons scheduled for Year Six students.

As you may be aware, since September 2020 Relationships and Health Education is compulsory for all primary-aged children. This ensures that our students receive the educational foundation they need to navigate social and emotional relationships effectively. However, it is important for you to know that parents have the right to withdraw their children from the specific lessons related to units within the Year Six curriculum.

In Year Six, the curriculum includes a unit that covers conception, the biology of conception and pregnancy, as well as childbirth. We understand these topics can be sensitive, and it is essential for you to feel comfortable with the content being taught.

We encourage open communication (through a yearly meeting) and are more than happy to discuss any concerns or questions you might have. Should you require further information or wish to talk about the curriculum in more detail, please feel free to speak with either Mrs Kirchin or Mrs Williams.

If you feel that you would like to withdraw your child from these particular lessons, after viewing the materials and resources which are to be shared please do not hesitate to let Mrs Kirchin know in writing.

Thank you for your attention to this significant aspect of your child's education. We appreciate your ongoing support and partnership in helping our students grow and learn.

Warm regards,

Mrs Kirchin