



Monday, 20<sup>th</sup> February 2017

Dear Parents & Guardians,

### **PSHEE Lessons: Year 3 Relationship Education**

As part of our Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education, the children in Junior School will be covering a six week 'Friends & Family' topic based on a unit of work written by Wiltshire's Personal Development Education Team. In Year 3 this work will focus on relationships with friends and family. It further develops learning about sensitive issues such as personal hygiene.

The expected outcomes are:

- **I can** tell when something is my fault and something is not my fault.
- **I know** that there are different forms of families.
- **I have thought about** my skills and achievements.
- **I can** list the parts of my body that need to be kept clean.
- **I can** help people to make them feel that they belong.
- **I know** that I can say 'no' when I need to.

Key vocabulary that will be discussed includes: family names (Mum, Dad, Brother, Sister, Aunt, Uncle, Stepfather, Stepmother), valuable, adopted, extended family, special, unique, strengths, abilities, development, personal, bacteria, regularly, hygiene, infection, decay, greasy, dirty, soap/toothpaste/water, different, the same/ similar, belong, groups, in common, abilities, emotions (sad/ upset/ lonely/ isolated), friend / peer, pressure, sensible/ not sensible and risky.

The purpose of this letter is to inform you that this work will begin in the next two weeks. You may find that your child starts asking questions about the topic at home, or you might want to take the opportunity to talk to your child about issues such as those above before the work is covered in school.

If you have any queries about the content of the programme or resources used, please do not hesitate in contacting me at school. All lesson plans used are available for you to browse through should you so wish.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'H Singleton'.

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