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Dear Parent/ Carers

As a part of your child's education at Stanground Academy, we promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education programme. PSHE education 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. We teach this in every year group during tutor time, assemblies and PSHE drop down days and it is monitored and reviewed regularly by staff and the Academy Council. All PSHE teaching takes place in a safe learning environment and is underpinned by our school mission and values.

I am writing to inform you that in September 2020 the government made Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) statutory. This will be a significant part of our PSHE programme. For more detail about our PSHE curriculum, please visit our PSHE page on the Academy website (<u>click here</u>).

On the main website PSHE page, I would like to highlight these key documents to you:

- Our new draft RSHE policy
- The curriculum mapping documents for each term and examples of teaching resources

We are committed to working in partnership with the parents and carers, therefore, we have put together a **questionnaire** (click here) for you to have your say and to let us know about your understanding of PSHE at our Academy and the recent government changes. It is important that our new Year 7 parents and carers take part in this process too. All of this information is essential to ensure that our curriculum meets the needs of our pupils, so the consultation with all stakeholders is important. So that we can review all questionnaires, analyse the feedback and make any required changes, we would like all responses **to be completed by 15 October 2021.**

Please read the information readily available on the website page to inform you and contact us with any key concerns; we are all more than welcome to help.

Yours faithfully

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Mr G Carlile Principal