



Wednesday, 18th March 2026

Dear Parents,

As part of our statutory requirements, we teach PSHE (Personal, Social, Health and Economic education) and RSE (Relationships and Sex Education) at Ripley Court. This is an extremely important part of our well-rounded education.

To support us in this we follow a scheme called Jigsaw PSHE. Please find attached a leaflet all about PSHE and the Jigsaw scheme. This leaflet and our PSHE policy can also be found on our website. As you know, at Ripley our Assemblies and Celebration Assemblies are unique and tailor made. As such, the Assemblies paragraph in this leaflet is not relevant to Ripley Court.

The 'Changing Me' puzzle piece is covered in the second part of the summer term across the whole school. We will write to you again before then to outline the topics we will cover with your child, and the age-appropriate terminology used in each year group.

Sex education for primary school age children is not compulsory therefore you have the right to withdraw your child from these lessons. We will be covering sex education in the second part of the summer term in Year 6. If you would like to exercise your right to withdraw your child there is a form to complete, which we will send to you on request. This is also available on our website.

All other parts of the PSHE and RSE curriculums are statutory and therefore there is no right to withdraw from those lessons, however, please do let me know if you have any questions at all and I would be very pleased to answer them.

Kind regards

Pippa Moody
SENCO, Wellbeing co-Ordinator and Head of PSHE.