Saint Joseph & Saint Teresa
CATHOLIC PRIMARY SCHOOL

'Together we live, learn, love'

Tuesday 15th July 2025

Dear Parents and carers,

RSE Consultation

As you may be are aware, The Department for Education announced changes to Relationships and Sex Education (RSE). These changes were implemented in September 2020 and all schools were obligated to comply with the updated requirements. This means schools reviewed their RSE curriculum and policy so we can be sure our provision meets the Government criteria and is appropriate for our children based on their: Age. Physical and emotional maturity. Religious and cultural backgrounds. Special educational needs and/or disabilities, and what pupils need to know to be healthy and safe in school, in their personal relationships and in the wider world.

We would very much welcome your support and comment on our current review, and am pleased to provide a Parent and Carer Consultation period. Here's how you can help: Please visit our website at: https://www.stjosephandstteresa.co.uk/re-curriculum-rse/

There you will find:

1) A presentation explaining the changes to RSE from September 2025, why we think it is important and our approach to teaching RSE at St Joseph and St Teresa's Catholic Primary School

2) Government guidance on the teaching of RSE

If you could look at the document provided and complete our online questionnaire before 18/07/2025. Any questions or comments will be kept and reviewed, with responses being sent after this date, only. We take any curriculum development very seriously and know that we must play our part in preparing our children for the wider world.

Many thanks,

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