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Dear Parents/Carers

As a part of your child's education at Morton Academy, we aim to promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Personal, Social, Health and Economic (PSHE) education programme (referred to as Personal Development). 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.

I am writing this letter as a reminder to let you know that, from September 2020 Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) became a statutory part of this programme. Lessons from Year 7-11 will include pupils learning about: healthy relationships, including friendships; families; growing and changing, including puberty; changing feelings; keeping safe on and offline; intimate and sexual relationships including sexual health. All lessons will be taught at an age appropriate level.

PSHE education is taught throughout the school in every year group and is monitored and reviewed regularly by the staff and Local Governing Body. Please visit the school's website: [Relationships Sex Education Policy February 2025.pdf](#) for more detail about our RSE policy. All PSHE teaching will take place in a safe learning environment and is underpinned by our school ethos and values. Further details about the PSHE curriculum can also be found on the school website.

We would like to give you the opportunity to find out more about what your child will learn, view the materials and resources being used in lessons to allow you to support your child to discuss these topics at home. A PSHE display will be shown at Parents' Evenings and other school events to facilitate this. As a school community, we are committed to working in partnership with parents; the majority of parents are highly supportive of schools delivering a programme of RSE. If you would like to find out more about your rights as a parent or carer, you may wish to visit the attached government website:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/relationships-education-relationships-and-sex-education-rse-and-health-education-faqs>. If you wish to discuss any concerns further please complete the following form: [RSE Consultation Questions](#).

Yours sincerely

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