

FAIRLANDS PRIMARY SCHOOL & NURSERY

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 1 – Sex and Relationships Education (SRE)

Over the next few weeks, the children will be covering aspects of their Sex and Relationships Education.

Sex and Relationships Education is part of the curriculum from Year 1 to Year 6. Throughout the school, children are encouraged to develop the self-esteem and confidence that they need to respond safely and responsibly to situations as they arise, both while they are at school and in the future.

The lessons comprise of watching age-appropriate television programmes which address the main issues. The programme will then be followed up by activities and discussion, led by the class teachers.

The following is a summary of the areas that will be touched on in SRE in Year 1. Please be reassured that these topics will be dealt with appropriately for the age of the children.

Year 1 Summer 2	Differences	To introduce children to life cycles
		To explore differences between male and female
		 To enable children to reflect on differences between male and female other than physical differences

Parents have the right to withdraw their child from parts of Sex and Relationships Education, which are not covered by the National Curriculum for Science. Any parent wishing to do so should inform the headteacher in writing.

Robert Staples Headteacher