

30th January 2022

Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Relationship and Health Education (RHE) Workshop Tuesday 8th February 2022 at 9.00am in school

We are delighted to welcome *Faye Jones- Health Improvement Officer for PSHE and RSHE in the Ealing Health Improvement Team* - to deliver our annual RHE workshop for parents/carers. These were very well attended in 2019 and 2020, in 2021 they were in video format. Over the last year we have held extra Online Safety and Police Safety workshops for parents/carers too.

The parent/carer RHE workshop will provide an opportunity to understand the statutory guidance on what schools must teach in regards to relationship and health education. Parents will be informed on the purpose and value of delivering effective RHE in school and the role it plays in safeguarding their children. Details of which can be seen here: <https://www.westactonprimaryschool.org/curriculum/subjects/pshe>

Parents/carers will be able to view a sample of the resources used in lessons to see how they are planned and delivered at age appropriate levels for their children. As West Acton was part of an Ealing FGM project in 2020, we will also remind parents/carers of this. You will be invited to ask any questions relating to the planning and delivery of RHE. The workshop is an opportunity to discuss how school and parents can work together on ensuring all children develop high quality RHE knowledge and skills which helps keep them safe, healthy and build positive relationships now and in the future.

Parents/Carers of all year groups are welcome to attend this workshop on Tuesday 8th February at 9.00am. Please wear a mask. Any updates or changes will be communicated nearer the time.

As a follow up to our participation in the FGM project and so that we can support you the best as we can, we would appreciate it if you could complete the following survey:
<http://westacton.surveys.schooljotter2.com/surveys/page/X5LYJW>

We look forward to seeing you at the workshop and working together to keep your child safe.

Yours faithfully,

Karen Kondo
Head teacher