



# Barley Lane Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers,

## RHE Parent Consultation

We are writing to update you on the RHE (Relationships and Health Education) parent consultation process.

As a Local Authority (LA) maintained school, we have been following the LA suggested consultation timeline. We adapted the LA materials for Barley Lane Primary School. Our own school-based consultation began on the 14<sup>th</sup> of May when parents were able to comment on our draft policy and syllabus using an online feedback form. Your feedback helped us to shape our Draft Syllabus v2 and policy. There were opportunities last week for parents to come into school to view some resource examples and to raise questions with members of the Senior Leadership Team. Thank you to parents who spoke to us, shared their concerns and raised questions at the drop-ins and through subsequent emails and discussions. We have uploaded an 'RHE Survey Response' document to our [website](#) which provides an overview of all issues raised by parents on both drafts.

This week we have collated your feedback and have made further amendments to the syllabus and policy to address concerns raised. We feel that Draft Syllabus v3, available on our [website](#), is suited to our local community. The amendments in yellow are from the initial feedback received and the amendments in green identify where statements have been altered or moved to older year groups as a result of the most recent survey. The changes have been highlighted so that you can easily see them. We have also removed some statements completely from the syllabus.

We will be taking the final version to the Governing Body for approval on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> July. In the meantime, please do not hesitate to contact the leadership team via [admin@barleylane.redbridge.sch.uk](mailto:admin@barleylane.redbridge.sch.uk) should you have any further feedback regarding RHE which we can bring to our Governing Body discussion.

Yours sincerely

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