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Dear Parent/Carer,

I am writing to you with regards to a PSHE lesson that will be taking place for Year 10 students on **Tuesday** 26 November.

This lesson will be delivered by myself, as Lead for PSHE, and Mrs Sandy as, Head of Humanities.

It is part of the school's Relationship & Sex Education (RSHE) programme, where students have already had lessons regarding the concepts of consent and healthy, respectful relationships. This session aims to focus on the different types of contraception available, the characteristics of STIs and how they are transmitted and where they should go to seek help and advice in the future if needed. This session will include a demonstration on how to correctly use a condom.

This lesson will be taught in a sensitive and inclusive manner, students will have the opportunity to ask questions about anything they are unsure of. This lesson will enable students to learn invaluable information regarding the risks of unprotected sexual activity as well as the choices available to them in their long-term future.

The RSE policy is available for parents and carers on the school website. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either myself or Mr Vaughan at the Academy.

Yours Faithfully,

Mrs Tomlinson Lead for PSHE and RE

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