Personal, Social, Health and Economic Education (PSHE) policy Including Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE)

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Aims

At Washingborough Academy, personal, social, health and economic (PSHE) education is built into our Values Based Curriculum. We believe that all children should have an education that shapes them as a person holistically. This should include the values that they hold, as well as how they take care of themselves and stay safe. Throughout our school curriculum, we promote children’s physical and mental wellbeing as this underpins all of their learning and allows them to realise their potential.

This PSHE policy also outlines the commitment to provide effective Relationships, Sex and Health Education for all pupils in support of that offered by parents, who are the first educators of their children in this area. It has been written with regard to the DfE Relationships Education, Relationships and Sex Education (PSHE) and Health Education guidance 2019 and statutory requirements.


PSHE teaching contributes to our statutory duty to safeguard children and prepare them for the responsibilities and experiences of adult life. It will be taught in an age-appropriate manner.

What we teach

Washingborough Academy is committed to supporting all children to grow up happy, healthy and safe, and to provide them with the knowledge they need to manage the opportunities and challenges of modern Britain. Through PSHE children learn about relationships, diversity, respect, healthy lifestyles, safety, the body and how it changes, reproduction and birth in a sensitive and age-appropriate way. This is aimed at building the foundation of skills and knowledge that will be developed further at secondary school. The content of the PSHE curriculum which we deliver has been developed in line with our Values curriculum, through looking at the needs of our children and the local area, and through consultation with parents and stakeholders. Our key aim in providing PSHE is to safeguard our pupils.

Sex Education for primary age pupils is not compulsory. However, at Washingborough Academy an age appropriate sex education programme is designed and implemented. The policy will be outlined and shared with the relevant stakeholders and parents.

For details of the PSHE and RSE curriculum, please refer to the progression map for PSHE attached. This shows what we teach in each Key Stage.
Key Objectives

The statutory guidance says that the subject of Health Education includes the ability to:

- Develop knowledge and understanding of positive and healthy relationships and the importance of commitment
- Enable children to gain the skills and understanding to support the development of healthy bodies and minds
- Develop pupils’ skills around assessing risk and keeping safe
- Enable pupils to recognise and manage their emotions effectively
- Support pupils to effectively manage their health and wellbeing
- Make pupils aware of their rights especially in relation to their bodies
- Enable the development of social and relationship skills and protective behaviours
- Prepare pupils for the physical and emotional changes of puberty
- Develop understanding of reproduction and birth within the context of loving and caring relationships
- Explore a range of attitudes, values and faith perspectives around aspects of relationships and sex
- Support pupils to use the internet safely and to recognise the benefits and risks that it brings
- Provide pupils with the knowledge and skills to access appropriate support

Legal Framework


Duty to promote wellbeing (Children Act 2004)

Values

Since 2010 Values Education has been intrinsic to our teaching and learning at Washingborough Academy, enabling children to make a positive contribution to the development of a fair, just and civil society, as well as understand their own personal development.

As a whole school community, we believe that the ethos of the school should be built on a foundation of Values. The Values we focus on are:

- Quality
- Respect
- Thoughtfulness
- Peace
- Happiness
- Love
- Patience
- Simplicity
• Caring
• Tolerance
• Hope
• Cooperation
• Friendship
• Courage
• Trust
• Appreciation
• Understanding
• Honesty
• Humility
• Unity
• Responsibility
• Freedom

These are addressed on a rolling 2-year curriculum, with approximately three weeks focused on each Value. The Values are taught directly through whole school assemblies, at times through lessons and circle times, but also permeate the whole curriculum. Our Values are the basis for the social, intellectual, emotional, spiritual and moral development of the whole child. We encourage children to consider these Values and thereby to develop the knowledge, skills and attitudes that enable them to develop as reflective learners and grow to be stable, educated and civil adults.

The PSHE Curriculum

PSHE will be taught in each year group throughout the Academy. The curriculum we deliver is age-appropriate and build on children’s knowledge and understanding each year. PSHE will be delivered, and parents/carers will be informed of what will be covered annually.

The curriculum is delivered through the following three topics:

• Health and Wellbeing
• Relationships
• Living in the Wider World

The following aspects and concepts will be covered within the PSHE guidance published in June 2019:

• Mental wellbeing
• Physical health & fitness
• Sexual education
• Being safe
• Changing adolescent body
• Health & prevention
• Basic first aid
• Internet safety & harms

• Drugs, alcohol & tobacco
• Healthy eating
• Respectful relationships
• Families and people who care for me
• Online relationships
• Caring friendships
How we teach it

PSHE is not only taught within specific PSHE lessons, but also within Science, RE and Values lessons, use of values, assemblies, events and circle time. At Washingborough Academy, we also understand that a lot of PSHE learning comes through the children having chances to form meaningful relationships and build their self-esteem and identity. Therefore, we promote opportunities for the children to develop this, through their playtimes and lesson times. All staff are aware of this and use a flexible approach to teaching to allow them to respond to these situations.

Each year, the school funds a trip for each key stage to a place of religious worship to support the children’s social and cultural development.

Early Help Strategies

We understand that there are times when the use of Early Help strategies is appropriate.

Early Help provides support when need is identified at any point in a child’s life. It is not a specific service but a collaborative approach, which is used to improve the quality of a child’s home and family life, enable them to perform better at school and support their mental health. Internal Early Help strategies are broad and include class activities, 1:1 time with an LSA or teacher, counselling services, provisions for supporting with parents, but application is dependent on a child’s specific needs.

Teaching and Learning

The personal beliefs and attitudes of teachers will not influence the teaching of PSHE. The approach to the teaching of this subject matter is rooted in education, rather than beliefs or emotion. A balanced and non-judgmental approach will therefore be taken. Teachers, and all those contributing to the PSHE curriculum will work to the agreed values within this policy.

Within PSHE pupils will develop confidence in talking, listening and thinking about relationships, keeping safe, health, puberty and sex. To achieve this, a number of teaching strategies may be used, including:

- Establishing ground rules with pupils
- Dealing with children’s questions in an appropriate manner
- Using discussion and the appropriate materials
- Encouraging reflection
- Use strategies for pupils who may not wish to raise suggestions in front of others e.g.
  - a question (ballot style) box

Ground Rules

The PSHE Ground Rules have been developed based on consultation with staff, pupils and parents. They are displayed and discussed in every lesson and are as follows: ✓ We show our school values.
• We listen to others and take it in turns to talk.
• We are kind to others and respect their opinions and ideas.
• We can trust the other people in our class.
• We are sensible and use language appropriate for the classroom.
• We use the phrase ‘Someone I know…’ and don’t ask personal questions. ✓ It is our choice to join in the discussion.
• We can use the question box if we don’t want to say our question out loud.

Equality, Inclusion and Support

Relationships and PSHE should be delivered in line with the Equalities Act 2010 and Public Sector Equality Duty to ensure those with protected characteristics do not face discrimination. Positive action is taken to deal with disadvantages affecting a group because of a protected characteristic. In complying with the requirements of the Equality Act 2010, we value diversity, encourage respect for all and promote tolerance for, and celebration of, difference. We do not discriminate against pupils because of any protected characteristic (age, sex, race, disability, religion or belief, gender reassignment, pregnancy or maternity, marriage or civil partnership, or sexual orientation).

At times, when there is an identified need, we may take positive action through our planning and delivery of PSHE to deal with disadvantages facing those with a particular characteristic. PSHE will be accessible to all regardless of their gender or background. Through the delivery of PSHE, teachers will explore gender stereotypes and how they may limit a person’s potential and ensure that people of all genders receive information that is relevant to their needs.

There are many different faith and cultural perspectives on aspects of PSHE. We aim to deliver PSHE in a factual, non-judgmental way, ensuring that teachers do not promote one faith or cultural viewpoint, but rather provide a balanced approach that acknowledges the wealth of views and opinions of our community, and teaches tolerance.

Parents and carers are key partners in PSHE and are best placed to support their children to understand how their learning at the Academy fits with their family’s faith, beliefs and values. To support this process, we will ensure that parents are made aware of what will be taught and when. We will use a range of materials and resources that reflect the diversity of the Academy population and encourage acceptance and tolerance. We want every child and family to feel included, respected and valued.

A range of different families and relationships will be explored within PSHE. All children, whatever their identity, developing identity, or family background need to feel that PSHE is relevant to them and sensitive to their needs. Resources used will demonstrate awareness of both the Academy community and wider society where possible.
SEND

Teachers will plan in different ways and use a variety of teaching strategies to meet the needs of individuals. For some children, particularly those with special educational needs and disabilities, a tailored approach may be necessary to ensure learning outcomes are met. This will be discussed with parents/carers and based upon the individual needs of the pupil, prior to delivery.

Vulnerable Pupils

Some pupils may have experienced adverse childhood experiences that may impact on their ability to engage with PSHE in a variety of ways. Care will be taken to ensure that, where this is the case, parents/carers are consulted about the most appropriate way for the pupil to access the curriculum.

Safe Learning in PSHE

It is important that all pupils feel safe and able to participate in PSHE lessons. To support the involvement of all pupils, teachers will use a range of teaching strategies and ensure that pupils are aware of the expectations before beginning each session. As with any topic, pupils will be encouraged to ask questions during PSHE to further their understanding.

Due to the sensitive nature of the topic, teachers will employ strategies to ensure that questions are asked and answered in a factual, balanced and age-appropriate way. When pupils can write independently, pupils may be introduced to the ‘question box’, into which they can place their written questions. This allows the teacher the opportunity to group questions into themes and filter any that may need answering on an individual basis or, in some cases, referred to parents.

All staff will be mindful of their safeguarding role and will follow the relevant Academy procedures if a question raises concerns of this nature. Teachers will use the following strategies to deal with unexpected questions:

- If a question is personal, the teacher will remind pupils of the rules and expectations.
- If the teacher doesn’t know the answer to a question, the teacher will acknowledge this and will research the question and provide an appropriate answer later.
- If the question is too explicit, is outside set parameters, is inappropriate in a whole class setting or raises concerns about sexual abuse, the teacher will attend to it on an individual basis which may involve informing parents.
- Sometimes pupils may ask questions about issues that are not part of the planned programme, this could show that the taught curriculum is not meeting their needs. This will be fed back to the leader as part of the evaluation and monitoring process.
External speakers

External speakers may be used to enhance the delivery of PSHE. All external speakers deliver in line with our PSHE policy and safeguarding procedures. They:

- are suitably qualified to deliver PSHE sessions
- are aware of the school policies on PSHE, Values and Safeguarding and work within these
- are supervised by a member of staff at all times when on school premises
- are familiar with the Safeguarding Policy and alert the teacher to any safeguarding concerns
- understand their contribution they make to the broader PSHE programme
- be suitably vetted prior to being booked

Staff Training

All staff delivering PSHE will take part in training and be familiar with this policy. If a staff member has additional learning and development needs, these will be supported either through mentoring from a more experienced staff member in the Academy, team-teaching, observations, or attendance at an internal or external training event.

Assessment and Review

Teachers use a range of assessment strategies to track pupils’ progress towards our published learning outcomes. This may include marked books; self-assessment and peer assessment, notes written by the teacher, photos and film clips.

The Role of Parents

PSHE is a partnership between the Academy and parents/carers. We recognise that in PSHE, parents and carers play a core role and we therefore welcome their engagement with our programme. It is important that PSHE delivered within the Academy is explored in more detail within the context of individual families. We wish to build a positive and supporting relationship with the parents of children at our Academy through mutual understanding, trust and co-operation.

In promoting this objective, we:

- Inform parents routinely about the Academy’s PSHE policy and practice
  (prospectus/letters/emails/ website)
- The curriculum content and organisation is shared and explained
- Answer any questions that parents may have about the PSHE of their child
- Take seriously any issue that parents raise with teachers or governors about
  this policy or the arrangements for PSHE in the Academy
- Conduct consultation on an annual basis about any needs in relation to our
  PSHE programme and policy. Any parents wanting more information about our
  PSHE curriculum can contact the Academy directly through
  enquiries@washingboroughAcademy.org
Right to withdraw from Sex Education

Whilst we always try to work with parents to explore their views, we also accept that parents can exercise their right to withdraw their child from the sex education elements of our programme (other than that which comes within the science curriculum). These are stated in the progression document as:

- about the reproductive organs and process - how babies are conceived and born and how they need to be cared for
- that there are ways to prevent a baby being made

Any parent wishing to exercise this right should initially contact the Head teacher to discuss the matter. If a pupil is withdrawn from an aspect of Sex Education, alternative arrangements will be put in place. This provision and the nature of this learning will be negotiated on an individual basis, dependent on the needs of the pupil. There is no right to withdraw from Relationships Education or Health Education.

The Role of Pupils

Pupils are expected to engage fully in PSHE and, when discussing issues related to PSHE, treat others with respect and sensitivity, using the Academy values.

Resources

As with any other subjects, the breadth of the PSHE curriculum necessitates the use of a wide variety of age-appropriate resources. Teachers select resources that support the learning outcomes for the year group they are teaching. Parents are invited annually to review these resources, along with the policy, and familiarise themselves with anything which is used. If you would like to see these at other times of the year please speak to your child’s teacher. If you would like to discuss any of the resources in more detail please contact the PSHE leader through enquiries@washingboroughacademy.org

Confidentiality, Safeguarding and Child Protection

Everyone involved in PSHE will be clear about the boundaries of their legal and professional roles and responsibilities. Teachers will discuss confidentiality with pupils, making it clear that teachers cannot offer unconditional confidentiality. Pupils will be informed that if confidentiality has to be broken, due to safeguarding concerns, they will be informed first and then supported as appropriate.

Teachers will be aware that effective PSHE, which brings an understanding of what is and is not acceptable, can lead to disclosure of a child protection issue.

Everyone involved in PSHE will be alert to signs of abuse and report concerns or suspicions to the Designated Safeguarding Lead as outlined in the Safeguarding Policy. Any disclosure of sexual activity from a primary age child would raise
immediate child protection concerns that would be dealt with in a sensitive manner in line with local safeguarding procedures.

**Menstrual Wellbeing**

Some pupils will begin menstruation whilst in primary education. To support pupils who are menstruating, we have in place the following:

- Sanitary disposal units are available in the toilet in the Key Stage Two corridors.
- Pupils can access sanitary products when needed.
- When a pupil starts menstruating in the Academy, we will support them on-site and inform parents.

Our PSHE programme covers basic information about menstruation in Year 4 to all pupils, with more detailed input in Years 5 and 6. If your child has difficulties managing this, please contact their class teacher.

**Complaints Concerns/ Complaints**

Any concerns regarding this policy should be addressed informally in the first instance by approaching your child’s class teacher. If concerns remain, then they should be addressed via the complaints procedure which is available on the Academy website.

**Roles and responsibilities**

**The governing body**

- The governing board will approve the PSHE policy, and hold the headteacher to account for its implementation.

**The headteacher**

- The headteacher is responsible for ensuring that PSHE is taught consistently across the school and that parents and staff are informed and implement the PSHE policy.

**Monitoring Arrangements**

The delivery of PSHE and RSE is monitored by the PSHE leader through:

- Learning walks
- Planning and work scrutiny’s
- Pupil Interviews
- Consultation with parents
Links to other Policies

It is important to acknowledge that this policy does not remain in isolation and is used in conjunction with the following Policies:

- Anti-bullying
- Safeguarding
- Curriculum
- Equality
- Health and Safety
- SMSC
- Values

This policy will be reviewed by the PSHE leader annually. At every review, the policy will be approved by the governing body.
At Washingborough Academy, our 22 core values underpin everything that we do both inside and outside the classroom, and within the community. Many aspects of PSHE are covered within this work. The PSHE progression should be used in conjunction with the Values progression and Assembly rota.

### Subject: PSHE

**Objectives**

- **Washingborough Academy**
- **FS1**

#### Milestone 1

- **40 months**
  - Physical Development - Health and self-care
  - 30-50 months
  - can tell adults when hungry or tired or when they want to rest or play
  - shows some understanding of body and personal hygiene

#### Milestone 2

- **Y1 – Y2**
  - What helps us stay healthy?
  - that being healthy means and who helps
  - to stay healthy (e.g. parent, dentist, doctor)
  - people can stay healthy by doing things every day
  - people can stay healthy that some people need to take medications
  - every day to stay healthy
  - why hygiene is important and how simple hygiene routines can stop germs from being passed on
  - what they can do to keep care of themselves on a daily basis, e.g. brushing teeth and hair, hand washing

#### Milestone 3

- **Y3 – Y4**
  - What keeps us safe?
  - how to recognise hazards that may cause harm or injury and what they should do to reduce risk and keep themselves (or others)
  - safe how to help keep their body protected and safe, e.g. wearing a seatbelt, protective clothing and stabilizers
  - that their body belongs to them and should not be hurt or touched without their permission;
  - what to do and who to tell if they feel uncomfortable
  - how to recognise and respond to pressure to do something that makes them feel unsafe or
  - uncomfortable (including online)
  - how everyday health and hygiene rules and routines help people stay safe and healthy
  - including how to manage the use of medicines, such as for allergies and asthma, and other household products, responsibly
  - how to react and respond if there is an accident and how to deal with minor injuries e.g. scratches, grazes, burns
  - what to do in an emergency, including calling
  - for help and speaking to the emergency services

#### Milestone 4

- **Y5 – Y6**
  - What makes up our identity?
  - To be taught in conjunction with ‘Stand up to Racism’ materials.
  - how to recognise and respect similarities and differences between people and what they have in common with others
  - that there are a range of factors that contribute to a person’s identity (e.g. ethnicity, family, faith, culture, gender, hobbies, likes/dislikes)
  - how individuality and personal qualities make up someone’s identity (including that gender identity is part of personal identity and for some people does not correspond with their biological sex)
  - understand about stereotypes and how they are not always accurate, and can negatively influence behaviours and attitudes towards others
  - how to challenge stereotypes and assumptions about others
  - how can we help in an accident or emergency?

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**Health and Wellbeing**

- **Early Learning Goal**
  - children know the importance for good health of physical exercise, and a healthy diet, and talk about ways to keep healthy and safe
  - how to eat a healthy diet and the benefits of
  - nutritionally rich foods
  - how to maintain good oral hygiene (including
  - regular brushing and flossing) and the importance of regular visits to the dentist
  - how not eating a balanced diet can affect health, including the impact of too much sugar/acidic drinks on dental health

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**Y5 to complete First Aid training from St. John’s Ambulance**

- how to carry out basic first aid including for burns, scalds, cuts, bleeds, choking, asthma attacks or allergic reactions
  - know that if someone has experienced a head injury, they should not be moved when it is appropriate to use first aid and the importance of seeking adult help
  - the importance of remaining calm in an emergency and providing clear information about what has happened to an adult or the emergency services
  - how can drugs common to everyday life affect
### Early Learning Goal

**Personal, social and emotional development**

- they manage their own basic hygiene and personal needs successfully, including dressing and going to the toilet independently
- welcome and values praise for what they have done
- enjoys responsibility of carrying out small tasks
- is more outgoing towards unfamiliar people and more confident in new social situations
- confident to talk to other children when playing, and will communicate freely about own home and community
- shows confidence in asking adults for help

### What helps us to stay safe?

- how rules and restrictions help them to keep safe (e.g. basic road, fire, cycle, water safety; relation to medicines/ household products and online)
- how to identify risky and potentially unsafe situations (in familiar and unfamiliar environments, including online) and take steps to avoid or remove themselves from them
- how to resist pressure to do something that makes them feel unsafe or uncomfortable, including keeping secrets
- how not everything they see online is true or trustworthy and that people can pretend to be someone they are not
- how to tell a trusted adult if they are worried for themselves or others, worried that something is unsafe or if they come across something that scares or concerns them

### What strengths, skills and interests do we have?

- how people make choices about what to eat and drink, including who or what influences these
- how, when and where to ask for advice and help about healthy eating and dental care
- how to manage when there are set-backs, learn from mistakes and reframe unhelpful thinking
- how to recognise personal qualities and individuality
- to develop self-worth by identifying positive things about themselves and their achievements
- how their personal attributes, strengths, skills and interests contribute to their self-esteem
- how to set goals for themselves
- how to manage when there are set-backs, learn from mistakes and reframe unhelpful thinking

### Why should we keep active and sleep well?

- how regular physical activity benefits bodies and feelings
- how to be active on a daily and weekly basis - how to balance time online with other activities
- how to make choices about physical activity, including what and who influences decisions
- how the lack of physical activity can affect health and wellbeing
- how lack of sleep can affect the body and mood and simple routines that support good quality sleep

### 30-50 months

- can select and use activities and resources with help
- welcome and values praise for what they have done
- enjoys responsibility of carrying out small tasks
- is more outgoing towards unfamiliar people and more confident in new social situations
- confident to talk to other children when playing, and will communicate freely about own home and community
- shows confidence in asking adults for help

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### Making relationships
30-50 months
- can play in a group, extending and elaborating play ideas, e.g. building up a roleplay activity with other children
- initiates play, offering cues to peers to join them.
- keeps play going by responding to what others are saying or doing
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- **what makes them special and how everyone has different strengths**
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- **how they are similar or different to others and what they have in common**
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- **how friendships support wellbeing and the importance of seeking support if feeling lonely or excluded**
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- **To be taught in conjunction with Y6 ‘DARE’ materials.**
- **about the different types of relationships people have in their lives**
- **how friends and family communicate together; how the internet and social media can be used positively**
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### Relationships with Peers and Familiar Adults

**40-60 months**
- initiates conversations, attends to and takes account of what others say
- explains own knowledge and understanding, and asks appropriate questions of others
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### Personal, social and emotional development

#### Managing feelings and behaviour

**30-50 months**
- aware of own feelings, and knows that some actions and words can hurt others’ feelings
- begins to accept the needs of others and can take turns and share resources, sometimes with support from others
- can usually tolerate delay when needs are not immediately met, and understands wishes may not always be met
- can usually adapt behaviour to different events, social situations and changes in routine

**40-60 months**
- understands that own actions affect other people, for example, becomes upset or tries to comfort another child when they realise they have upset them
- aware of the boundaries set, and of behavioural expectations in the setting
- beginning to be able to negotiate and solve problems without aggression, e.g. when someone has taken their toy

### Early Learning Goal
- children talk about how they and others show feelings, talk about their own and others’ behaviour, and its consequences, and know that some behaviour is unacceptable
- they work as part of a group or class, and understand and follow the rules
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