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Dear Parent/Carer,

## Relationships and Sex Education (RSE) Parent Information Evening

Date: 13/1/22 Time: 6:30pm

The role of parents in the development of their children's understanding about relationships is vital. Parents are the first teachers of their children. They have the most significant influence in enabling their children to grow and mature and to form healthy relationships. The Department for Education statutory RSE guidance states:

"All schools should work closely with parents when planning and delivering these subjects. Schools should ensure that parents know what will be taught and when, and clearly communicate the fact that parents have the right to request that their child be withdrawn from some or all of sex education delivered as part of statutory RSE."

As was advertised in the sandprint this week, we would like to invite all interested parents/careers to a virtual parent information on the topic of RSE on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> January 2022 at 6:30pm. In particular, it would be in the best interest of parents who have concerns about the RSE provision at Sandringham and/or would like their son/daughter to be withdrawn from sex education to attend the event. Please email Mark Nicholls at mark.nicholls@sandringham.herts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely,

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