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Dear Parent/Carer

As a part of your child's education at Graham, we promote personal wellbeing and development through a comprehensive Philosophy and Ethics programme. Philosophy and Ethics is the curriculum subject that gives young people the knowledge, understanding, attitudes and practical skills to live safe, healthy, productive lives and meet their full potential.

Philosophy and Ethics is taught throughout the school in every year group and is monitored and reviewed regularly by the staff and governing body. Please visit the school's website (link here) for more details about our Philosophy and Ethics curriculum. All Philosophy and Ethics teaching takes place in a safe learning environment and is underpinned by our school's ethos and values.

I would like to invite you to complete a parental consultation survey (link here) to gain your views. To support you in completing the consultation, there are 3 additional documents below:

- 1) Philosophy and Ethics scheme of learning
- 2) DfE auidance for teaching RSE and
- 3) Relationships, Sex Education and Health Education Policy.

As a school community, we are committed to working in partnership with parents; recent parental feedback has indicated that the overwhelming majority of parents continue to be highly supportive of the relationships and sex education programme. If you would like to find out more or discuss any concerns, please make an appointment with me using the email address below.

Yours faithfully,

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