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Dear Parents/Guardians,

As part of our science curriculum and the new statutory Health and Relationships education, throughout Term 6 we will be teaching the children about the changes that will occur in their bodies as they grow.

These RSHE lessons will be taking place from the week beginning Tuesday 7th June 2022. The areas to be covered in Year 3 are to:

- Understand changes that happen between conception and growing up
- Express how I feel when I see babies
- Discuss the biological differences between boys and girls i.e. females give birth
- Understand how babies grow and develop in the mother's uterus
- Understand what a baby needs to live and grow
- Express how I might feel if I had a new baby in my family
- Understand the changes that happen inside and outside my body and why they are necessary
- Recognise how I feel about these changes and how to keep myself safe (e.g. PANTS resources from the NSPCC. An overview is attached on Class Dojo).
- Recognise that others may have different families to my own
- Be supported with Transition as we move into our new year groups for September 2021.

Please be assured that this topic will be taught appropriately and sensitively and form part of both Science and RSHE. However, parents/guardians have the right to discuss and/or withdraw from specified areas of the curriculum. This must be done via consultation with one of the RSHE subject leaders (Mrs Roderick or Miss Robards). Please note this discussion must be had before Friday 27th May June.

Thank you for your support.

Mrs Roderick and Miss Robards

