

SEX EDUCATION

The County High School, Leftwich will offer all students a balanced programme of sex education to enable students to make thoughtful, well-informed and mature decisions.

The Sex Education programme will be delivered via the Science curriculum in Year 7 and in Year 8 which will also include CEOP (Child Exploitation and Online Protection) education. In the lower school, all students will receive a programme covering related moral, social, health and sex education issues via the EfL curriculum with more specific sex education topics being addressed through EfL lessons in Year 9. This programme will be supported by the expertise of qualified outside speakers or agencies delivering elements of the education and guidance.

Sex education topics will be revisited in KS4 as part of the EfL curriculum.

Sex Education will be approached through EfL within a framework of moral values, emphasising self respect and consideration for others, responsible, caring parenthood and the promotion of the aims 'Be Healthy' and 'Staying Safe'.

Parents/carers have the right to withdraw students from sessions within the EfL curriculum, providing the request is made in writing in advance.

To facilitate the successful delivery of sex education, the Academy will provide the opportunity for appropriate CPD.

The Academy will also include opportunities to promote diversity, including LGBT.

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This document is part of the group which include Additional & Special Educational Needs, Literacy and Learning Policies.

This document is also part of the group which includes the Drug Policy.

This document is also part of the group which includes Education for Life and Information Advice & Guidance, Provider Access Policies.