

# ST. LUKE'S CHURCH OF ENGLAND PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our commitment to providing a well-rounded and supportive education for all children, we are currently reviewing our **Relationships, Sex and Health Education (RSHE) policy**. It is a statutory requirement for all primary schools to have a policy for Relationships and Sex Education (RSE), as outlined in the Department for Education's statutory guidance (2025). Where schools choose to teach aspects of sex education beyond the national curriculum for science, these must be clearly set out within the policy.

Due to the close links between PSHE and RSHE, many schools—including ours—choose to combine these into a single, comprehensive policy.

Developing this policy is an important process that involves the whole school community. We value the views of **parents, carers, staff, governors and pupils**, and we would like to invite you to review our draft policy.

The draft policy outlines:

- What children will be taught and when
- How content is delivered in an age-appropriate way
- The values and ethos underpinning our approach
- Parents' rights, including information about rights to request that their child is withdrawn from sex education.

We welcome your feedback and would greatly appreciate any comments or questions you may have. Your input will help ensure our policy reflects the needs and values of our school community.

## How to take part:

- [Access the draft policy here.](#)
- Email any comments you have to [RSHE@saintlukes.wigan.sch.uk](mailto:RSHE@saintlukes.wigan.sch.uk) (please note that your email will not be responded to directly).

If you would like to discuss the policy further, please contact the school office in the first instance.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Beechey

PSHE Leader



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MEMBER

