

Year 7 Rationale:

- ✓ Broad and varied topics that allow pupils to explore relationships and use this as a way to explore different relationships that they will face as they start a new school.
- ✓ A logical progression to puberty due to pupil's age and their likely hood to experience puberty within this academic year.
- ✓ Allow pupils a chance to discuss and ask questions that they might not be able to ask at home.
- ✓ Allow pupils and staff to develop relationships that will help embed the school values and model behaviours.
- ✓ **Planned cultural capital: different family relationships in society and within our classrooms, how society's feelings towards relationships have changed, puberty, current crime in our local area and the effects on families, drugs and alcohol activity in the local area.**

Year 8 Rationale:

- ✓ As pupils get older their access and awareness of social media increases and pupils need to be made aware of how they can keep themselves safe online.
- ✓ Relationships can progress and can become more active as they get older, it is incredibly important that we make pupils aware of the pressures they may feel when they enter a relationship and the consequences of their actions.
- ✓ This might be a change for pupils to speak to an adult about problems they have they feel embarrassed to ask a family member.
- ✓ As pupil enter year 9 and their decisions change focus to options choices, the focus of lessons will change to provide the best advice possible for their future careers which may help pupils in their last year at KS3 before they enter their GCSEs
- ✓ **Planned cultural capital: online safety, cyber bullying, celebrities real life experiences, relationships and the law, human rights, pornography and revenge porn, national minimum wages and the government changes, money management and living costs within Wirral and Liverpool, where to look and access jobs and responsibilities**



PHSE Curriculum overview 2019-2020

	LP1 (10)	LP2 (16)	LP3 (13)
Year 7	Relationships How family relationships s are important, how family relationships have changed, how peers influence relationship and the importance of them. We will also look at how relationships change with boyfriends and girlfriends.	Puberty and social choices We will focus on the bodies changes and understanding how males and females bodies and hormones change in puberty. WE will also look at the choices children make and their impacts: looking at knife crime, being involved in gangs as well as drugs and smoking.	Personal choices Our students will look at the personal choices them and others makes and reflect of the importance of being different and celebration those differences.
Year 8	Keeping safe Making students aware of potential issues and risks they face as they got older. Keeping safe online, out and about and in relationships.	Relationships Building on puberty in year 7, pupils will discuss the pressures they may face in relationships, same sex relationships, pornography and revenge porn.	Careers We aim to give our students the best possible careers advice, so we will discuss personal presentation, being innovative, online presence as well as giving advice on money management based on minimum wage