Unit summaries: RSE & PSHE (KS1)

Year 1

Introductory Jesson: A stand-alone Jesson outlining RSE & PSHE as a subject and exploring how to create a successful Jearning environment for these Jessons.

Families and relationships

Exploring how families can be different, the characteristics and impact of positive friendships; learning that issues can be overcome, that people show feelings differently and that stereotyping is unfair.

Health and wellbeing

Exploring personal qualities, strategies to manage feelings, the impact of sleep and relaxation on wellbeing, the importance of hand washing and sun protection, dealing with allergic reactions and people in the community who keep us healthy.

Safety and the changing body

Learning how to respond to adults in different situations; distinguishing appropriate and inappropriate physical contact; understanding what to do if lost and how to call the emergency services; identifying: hazards in the home and people in the community who keep us safe.

Citizenship

Learning about: the importance of rules and consequences of not following them; caring for the needs of babies, young children and animals, exploring our similarities and differences and an introduction to democracy.

Economic wellbeing

Learning about what money is and where it comes from, how to keep cash safe, the function of banks and building societies, spending and saving and some of the jobs roles in schools.

Transition lesson: Helping Year 1 pupils with the transition to a new year and the changes that come with it.

Year 2

Introductory lesson: A stand-alone lesson outlining RSE & PSHE as a subject and exploring how to create a successful learning environment for these lessons.

Families and relationships

Learning: that families are composed of different people who offer each other care and support; how other people show their feelings and how to respond. Looking at conventions of manners and developing an understanding of self-respect.

Health and wellbeing

Learning about the benefits of exercise and relaxation on physical health and wellbeing; strategies to manage different emotions, setting goals, developing a growth mindset and understanding dental hygiene.

Safety and the changing body

Developing understanding of safety: roads and medicines and an introduction to online safety; distinguishing secrets from surprises; naming body parts and looking at the concept of privacy.

Citizenship

Learning about rules outside school; caring for the school and local environment; exploring the roles people have within the local community; learning how school councils work and voicing an opinion.

Economic wellbeing

Learning about where money comes from, how to look after money and why we use banks and building societies

Transition lesson: A lesson for Year 2 pupils to help them with their transition to Year 3, and the changes that may come with this move.