

Personal Social and Health, Religious Education and Citizenship

Year 10

Although RE, PSHE or Citizenship is not yet an option at KS4, all pupils will continue to receive one lesson a week.

The IMatter programme continues and pupils will explore what can affect our mental health, how gender and sexuality is portrayed in the media, the signs of relationships abuse (in life and online), the reasons why people choose to have sex, and online grooming. Again, all topics will provide pupils with safeguarding advice and information on where else to access help.

In Citizenship, pupils will look at the reasons behind, and the impact of extremism in society, look at the short and long term effects of drug and alcohol abuse, understand the signs of an abusive relationship and know their legal and humanitarian rights, and finally look at how body image is portrayed in the media and how different cultures and faiths may interpret these images.

Religious Education will break away from the main religions of the world and focus on non-traditional faith systems and their origins, beliefs and practices, for example, Rastafarianism, Humanism and Paganism.