

CASE STUDY - TO IMPLEMENT A QUALITY SRE PROGRAMME

NAME OF SCHOOL

PINHOE CE VOLUNTARY AIDED SCHOOL, EXETER

HEALTH THEME

PREVENTING TEENAGE PREGNANCIES



SUMMARY OF HEALTHY SCHOOLS PLUS ACTIONS

- Review and update of existing SRE Policy
- Whole staff consultation re: changes to the existing SRE programme
- Support for delivery of new programme given by SEN Co-ordinator and Pastoral Care Teacher
- Feedback from children informing the development of the programme
- New SRE Programme taught across KS2 and not just at end of Year 6
- Parental awareness raised of health focus
- Audit and purchase of new resources to support delivery of new programme
- Life Education Wessex Bus was used to reinforce key health messages
- A series of sessions relating to SEAL activities and increasing self esteem complemented the development of the SRE programme

EVIDENCE OF IMPACT

- Analysis of the children's questionnaires showed that over 85% of the children in Years 5 and 6 rated their SRE learning sessions as either Good or Excellent

- 90% of the children surveyed said that the new interactive video clips were helpful
- In discussion time, the children spoke of the importance of being able to talk about relationships, self-esteem and puberty, not just sexual matters
- Children in Year 6 also said that they liked the way that the lessons felt personalised because the teachers they know taught them

REFLECTIONS FROM THE SCHOOL

Very impressed with the data and the attitudes of the children. The other interesting aspect was that a number of the more immature boys [many of whom have IEPs for behaviour] were very sensible and played a full part in the lessons, especially discussion time whereas in previous years they had really struggled.

For further information regarding this intervention, please contact -

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