

14/09/2023

Dear Families,

Firstly, thank you so much for the brilliant return we have had to school. Our children have been fabulous and we are so proud of all the hard work and dedication they put into each day's learning.

I wanted to also thank you all for being so honest and open about your concerns around BigTalk. We have had so many positive conversations with you all and are so proud that you feel comfortable to come and speak to us about your thoughts and concerns. As stated in the sessions, we legally need to cover Sex Education and how the human reproduction system works. Every school in England is legally required to cover this and we do this as we want to keep our children safe.

We have been working with families and BigTalk over the past 24 hours around the Y4 content of the sessions. We understand that families have reservations around the Y4 Sex Education content. We always want to work with families and have therefore made the decision that the Y4 children will just be taught the Y3 content that they received last year. The Y5/6 children will continue with the content we have discussed.

Finally, I just want to thank you all for trusting us with your children and for us to deliver this message sensitively. I am so pleased you all felt comfortable sharing your concerns and we will continue to work with you to ensure our children get the very best education.

If you have any questions - please come and see myself, Mrs Shaw or Mr Matterson on the playground at the start and end of the day

Thank you



Mr Tankard