



Personal, Social and Health Education Policy

2011-12

This policy applies to Early Years Foundation Stage, Junior School and Senior School.

Statement

Personal, Social and Health Education at Hollygirt is an integral part of the Issues course and the general pastoral framework.

All girls are recognised as individuals and we aim to identify and satisfy the physical, social, mental, moral and spiritual needs of each pupil.

Throughout the Personal, Social and Health Education course, girls are helped to understand their own needs and are encouraged to understand the needs of others, so that they can evaluate opinions and lifestyles different from their own, being confident of their own role and position in society.

The Personal, Social and Health Education course therefore aims to provide the framework for girls to develop their personal and social skills, so that they emerge as confident members of society.

Aims

- To encourage the intellectual and moral growth of each girl in all aspects of school life.
- To provide girls with the help to gain the knowledge necessary to make informed choices later in life, on personal and moral issues.
- To encourage a sense of self-respect, self-responsibility and self-discipline.
- To equip each girl with the skills and abilities needed in adult life, particularly in the areas of work, leisure and general relationships.
- To develop a sense of community and their role in it, through the world of work and work experience.
- To develop the potential of each pupil.

The implementation of these aims can be seen in the Issues Scheme of Work and across the curriculum.

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