



Excalibur Primary
School Relationships
and Health Education
Curriculum

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	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
Year 1	Making friends and getting along	Recognising strengths and respecting differences	Our special people	The importance of family	Amazing bodies	Growing and changing
Year 2	What makes a happy friendship?	Strengths, abilities and stereotypes	Special people in our communities	The diversity of families	Staying safe and healthy	Growing up and setting goals
Year 3	Being a good friend	Valuing and respecting one another	Responsibility and boundaries	Different types of committed relationships	Sleep, food and hygiene	Coping with feelings when things change
Year 4	Solving friendship difficulties	Identity and diversity	Rights and responsibilities	Families and other relationships	Influences and personal choices	Puberty and hygiene
Year 5	Changing friendships	Celebrating strengths and setting goals	Caring in the community	Healthy, committed relationships	Valuing our bodies and minds	Puberty and emotions
Year 6	Relationships and feelings		Responsible behaviour as we get older	Starting a family (sex education)	Being the best me	Coping with emotional effects of life changes

YEAR 1	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1  Making friends and getting along	<ol> <li>Forming friendships</li> <li>Kindness</li> <li>Getting along, sharing and turn taking</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>How to form friendships</li> <li>How kind and unkind behaviour impact other people</li> <li>To understand that even though we may not be friends with everyone, we can still work together and be kind to one another.</li> </ul>
Autumn 2 Recognising strengths and weaknesses	<ol> <li>I am special</li> <li>Who I am makes me unique</li> <li>We don't all feel the same way</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About what makes each of us special</li> <li>About similarities and differences between people</li> <li>How to respect and celebrate differences, including the ways people feel and respond to things.</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Our special people	<ol> <li>My special people</li> <li>How our special people care for us</li> <li>Keeping safe</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the special people in their lives and how they care for them</li> <li>How their special people set rules that keep them safe</li> <li>How their special people can help them when they are feeling worried, scared or nervous.</li> </ul>
Spring 2 The importance of family	<ol> <li>My family</li> <li>Our families</li> <li>Superhero families</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore the importance of family and the stability and love that a family brings.</li> <li>To look at similarities and differences between different family units and think about all the things that their families do to love, support and help them.</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Amazing bodies	<ol> <li>My amazing body</li> <li>Private body parts</li> <li>Looking after our bodies</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To celebrate their bodies and all the amazing things that they can do</li> <li>How to keep their bodies healthy</li> <li>How all bodies are different and that some body parts are private</li> <li>The correct names for these parts and know that we use these names at school</li> </ul>
Summer 2 Growing and changing	<ol> <li>Animal babies</li> <li>How have we changed?</li> <li>A future me</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the needsa that babies have</li> <li>Tol consider how they have changed since they were born</li> <li>To explore and celebrate their abilities</li> <li>To share ideas of what they hope to be like in the future</li> </ul>

YEAR 2	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1 What makes a happy friendship	<ol> <li>What makes a happy friendship?</li> <li>Peronsal boundaires</li> <li>Resilience</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the characteristics of a happy friendship</li> <li>To explore personal boundaries and recognise safe and unsafe situations</li> <li>To practise how to respond to unwanted touch</li> <li>To reach out to someone they can trust whenever they feel worried or unsafe</li> </ul>
Autumn 2 Strengths, abilities and stereotypes	<ol> <li>My strengths and abilities</li> <li>Stereotypes</li> <li>Whose job?</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To reflect on how different people have different strengths and abilities</li> <li>About the concept of steretypes and why these are unhelpful and unfair</li> <li>About gender stereotypes and how these can be challenged</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Special people in our communities	<ol> <li>Community helpers</li> <li>When we need help</li> <li>Our communities and groups</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the communities to which children belong and who helps them in the communities</li> <li>To reflect on their own role in the community and how they can offer help and support, as well as where to turn for help</li> </ul>
Spring 2 The diversity of families	<ol> <li>Who is in a family?</li> <li>A happy family</li> <li>Families of all kinds</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explre the diversity of families</li> <li>That other families may look different from theirs</li> <li>To respect the difference between families and to recognise that others' families are also characterised by love and care</li> <li>To investigate ways for caring for each other within a family</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Staying safe and healthy	<ol> <li>Healthy feelings</li> <li>Staying safe at home</li> <li>Feeling poorly</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To investigate different ways of staying healthy</li> <li>To explore a range of emotions,</li> <li>About the safe and unsafe use of medicines and household products</li> <li>How to help someone who is feeling physically or emotionally poorly</li> </ul>
Summer 2 Growing up and setting goals	<ol> <li>When I am older</li> <li>Looking at the changes ahead</li> <li>Goals</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About growth and change</li> <li>About celebrating achievements and setting goals</li> <li>To explore how they develop in terms of their abilities, likes and dislikes</li> <li>To discuss their future aspirations and how to achieve them</li> </ul>

YEAR 3	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1 Being a good friend	<ol> <li>What makes a good friend?</li> <li>Personal space</li> <li>Resilience</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To reflect on how they can be good friends to others, exploring the concept of personal space and what to do when someone's space is being invaded</li> <li>About the idea of resilience and develop strategies for being resilient</li> </ul>
Autumn 2  Valuing and respecting one another	<ol> <li>Different but equal</li> <li>Our school community</li> <li>Valuing one another and considering people's feelings</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore differences that can or cannot be seen and the importance of respecting and valuing these differences</li> <li>To look at the different communities they belong to in order to further understand the similarities and shared values</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Responsibilities and boundaries	<ol> <li>Being responsible</li> <li>Responsibility and personal space</li> <li>Caring and empathy</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore their own responsibilities towards others and why it important to act responsibly</li> <li>About the importance of showing empathy and recognising and respecting personal boundaries</li> </ul>
Spring 2 Different types of committed relationships	<ol> <li>Commitment and marriage</li> <li>All change</li> <li>Family changes: when parents separate</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About different kinds of committed relationships</li> <li>To explore the meaning of the word commitment and consider the characteristics of a happy relationship</li> <li>To explore feelings around changes in relationships, including the breaking-up of family structures and develop the skills to know when and how to seek support if they are feeling unhappy</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Sleep, food and hygiene	<ol> <li>The power of sleep</li> <li>Making healthy food choices</li> <li>Germs!</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About different ways of keeping healthy, including sleeping and eating well</li> <li>How to get rid of germs by washing and by brushing their teeth regularly</li> <li>How to develop good routines and habits that support their wellbeing</li> </ul>
Summer 2 Coping with feelings when things change	<ol> <li>New changes</li> <li>Feeling sad and showing empathy</li> <li>Happiness</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore feelings around the change in their lives</li> <li>To explore how changes can affect them in different ways and to different degrees</li> <li>About ways to help themselves feel happier and more positive if they are experiencing challnges</li> </ul>

YEAR 4	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1 Solving friendship difficulties	<ol> <li>Qualities of a good friend</li> <li>Solving friendship difficulties</li> <li>Personal boundaries and permission</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To build on what they already know about good friends by picking out qualities and values</li> <li>To investigate the skills needed to manage and solve issues that arise between friends and understand what to do if someone doesn't respect their privacy or personal boundaries</li> </ul>
Autumn 2 Identity and diversity	<ol> <li>Being British</li> <li>Making a judgement</li> <li>A different point of view</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To examine similarities and differences within society</li> <li>To focus on the importance of valying and respecting everybody equally and explore the dangers of making judgements based on appearance</li> <li>To see see that people have different perspectives and ways of looking at the world</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Rights and responsibilities	<ol> <li>Our rights, our responsibilities</li> <li>The UN Convention on the Rights of the Child</li> <li>Family roles and responsibilities</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the links between rights and responsibilities</li> <li>About the UN Convention on the Rights of the Child</li> <li>About the roles and responsibilities help within a family</li> </ul>
Spring 2 Families and other relationships	<ol> <li>Different relationships: boundaries and behaviour</li> <li>Belonging</li> <li>Caring families</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore what it means to belong to a family or other group, and what people in that unit have in common</li> <li>About setting boundaries for safe and appropriate behaviour and discuss the relationship between caring and rules within a family or other group</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Influences and personal choices	<ol> <li>Healthy influences</li> <li>Making healthy choices</li> <li>Dealing with feelings</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the choices they can make in relation to their health and wellbeing</li> <li>To explore the external influences that can affect their choices</li> <li>About the consequences of the choices they make and the importance of recognising and managing feelings</li> </ul>
Summer 2 Puberty and hygiene	<ol> <li>What is puberty?</li> <li>Understanding periods</li> <li>Keeping clean as we grow and change</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>How their bodies start to change as they enter puberty, including girls starting their periods</li> <li>How these changes affect their hygiene needs</li> <li>How to take responsibility for maintaining good hygiene and the products that are available</li> </ul>

YEAR 5	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1 Changing friendships	<ol> <li>Identity</li> <li>Peer pressure</li> <li>Emotional health and wellbeing</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore the concept of "identity" and how we use it to define us</li> <li>To explore how peer pressure can affect us in real life and online</li> <li>How to make informed choices</li> <li>About the importance of positive emotional health and wellbeing, including where to turn for support</li> </ul>
Autumn 2  Celebrating strengths and setting goals	<ol> <li>Strengths and abilities</li> <li>Setting goals</li> <li>Online safety</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To investigate what strengths and abilities are, appreciating how these are different for differen people</li> <li>To explore their own future goals and aspirations</li> <li>To discuss and reflect on the risks and benefits of the interenet and how they can keep themselves safe</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Caring in the community	<ol> <li>Changing needs</li> <li>Feeling lonely</li> <li>Why volunteer?</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About the way of and reasons for caring</li> <li>How our care needs change as we grow older</li> <li>About the effects of isolation and loneliness and investigate what we, as members of a community, can do to help and support others, including through volunteering</li> </ul>
Spring 2 Healthy, committed relationships	<ol> <li>Values of healthy relationships</li> <li>Diversity in relationships</li> <li>It's all about commitment</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore the characteristics of healthy, happy families and committed relationships</li> <li>About the diversity of families and to respect children who come froom family background differtent to their own</li> <li>To consider the values that make people want to commit to one another and what makes a stable, caring family life, including spending time together and giving each other support</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Valuing our bodies and minds	<ol> <li>Valuing ourselves</li> <li>Alcohol, tobacco and drugs</li> <li>Keeping well (viruses, bacteria and immunnisation)</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore ways of maintaining their mental and physical wellbeing</li> <li>To explore the connections between self-image, feelings and behaviour</li> <li>To practise describing themselves using positive attributes</li> <li>About the risks associated with legal and illegal harmful substances, and find our about viruses, bacteria, vaccinations and immunisation</li> </ul>

Summer 2	1. Puberty	About the changes that occur during puberty
Puberty and	<ul><li>2. <u>Puberty and emotions</u></li><li>3. Emotional changes: managing well</li></ul>	To explore the emotiona; impact of puberty and work out their own strategies for managing well
emotions	5. <u>Emotional changes. managing wen</u>	managing wen

YEAR 6	Lessons	In this unit of work, children will know
Autumn 1 Personal safety	<ol> <li>Emotional health and wellbeing</li> <li>Relationships and change</li> <li>Wider emotions</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To explore how relationships evolve as they grow</li> <li>How to develop skills for coping with changes and managing a wider range of emotions</li> <li>To recognise risk and stay safe</li> </ul>
Autumn 2 Respectful behaviour online and offline	<ol> <li>Identity online</li> <li>Online bullying</li> <li>Identities and belonging</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To consider their own and others' online identities and behaviour, including how to identify and respond to bullying</li> <li>To reflect on how people feel when they don't "fit in"</li> </ul>
Spring 1 Responsible behaviour as we get older	<ol> <li>Taking care of myself</li> <li>Looking after our money</li> <li>Transition to secondary</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About starting to take more responsibility for self-care, including our physical health, our mental wellbeing and our money</li> <li>To explore the people who are there to help and support us as we move on to secondary school</li> </ul>
Spring 2 Starting a family (sex education)	<ol> <li>Starting a family</li> <li>The impact of having a baby</li> <li>When is it right?</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>About human reproduction</li> <li>The facts about how human life starts and some common questions will be answered in an age-appropriate manner</li> <li>About the legal age of consent for secual intercourse and the many factors that a committed couple would have to consider before having a baby</li> <li>About consent and the importance of being ready before you make big decisions in your life</li> </ul>
Summer 1 Being the best me	<ol> <li>Being the best me</li> <li>Social media and our wellbeing</li> <li>Taking care of our mental health</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>To further explore mental wellbeing, including ways to maintain it and the factors that can affect it</li> <li>About the importance of self-respect and how social media and other online experiences can impact our personal feelings and our sense of self-worth</li> <li>That it is common for people to experience mental ill health and that there is help and support available</li> </ul>

Summer 2	1. Body image	To explore the increase in their level of responsibility and the emotional effects of life
Coping with	2. Puberty and changing relationships	changes as they grow older
emotional effects	3. Moving on	To explore things that can influence how they view themselves and how close relationships can change as they grow and go through puberty
of life changes		To look back at their time in Year 6, share their hopes and concerns and prepare to move to secondary school