TC/CR

30th November 2021

Dear Colleague,

To help with any planning and in case there are any issues you wish to raise, I wanted to inform you of the entire Skills for Life programme for all of Years 7 to 11. The subject covers many areas important for students' health and well-being, and to help them understand and take their place in modern society. These lessons also form the core basis for statutory RSE and HSE at the college.

The schemes of work for all years are accessible via the link below:

https://sirharrysmithcommun-my.sharepoint.com/:w:/g/personal/terence_cooper_sirharrysmith_cambs_sch_uk/ETdJnpVifIlGj8BimaVjUj0BrEWPKvpB6MqdYFi2I2T9Rw?e=QSqatF

Staff are also able to view all the suggested lessons and resources available for teachers to use if they wish, via the below link, although teachers are free to adapt these or use other resources if they wish.

https://sirharrysmithcommun-my.sharepoint.com/:f:/g/personal/terence_cooper_sirharrysmith_cambs_sch_uk/Ej8VBIwB7HlKp1cWjYnwbTkBdvR1LHB3fEcgh4-IggCsSw?e=QefaMa

In addition to the timetabled lessons, we aim to use assemblies, tutor times and off timetable events to cover a wide variety of other areas, including careers and economic education, first aid training, environmental education, politics and political systems and current affairs such as the recent issues surrounding peer on peer abuse in schools nationally. One way we do this can be seen under the 'Theme for the week' folder where themed discussions are set for use by tutors.

Even though much of the content is now statutory, as in previous years, I am always happy and willing to consult and discuss with staff, so if you do have any questions or queries over the topics, or would like further details on each topic, please do feel free to contact me on the following e-mail address: rseconsultation@sirharrysmith.cambs.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully

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