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Stage 5 PD/H/PE

Dear Parent/Guardian

This term, students in Stage 5 PDHPE will be learning about sexual health within the topic, *"Sexual Health Matters"*. Some of the content of the program deals with sensitive issues. The school recognises this by teaching about these issues within the context of a developmentally appropriate program and by providing information to you about the program.

This unit will focus on developing the skills required to form equal and respectful relationships. Specifically, lessons will include content based around qualities valued in a partner, appropriate ways to express and explore sexual feelings, sexual choices and their consequences (including sexually transmitted infections), and strategies to maintain positive health and wellbeing.

The school program will be implemented in a manner that supports the role of parents and caregivers, and reflects the ethos of the school community. These lessons are based on the learning outcomes of the NSW Syllabus. The material presented to students as part of the teaching and learning process is age appropriate, relevant to curriculum aims and objectives and consistent with the values of Public Education.

For more information on PDHPE curriculum content, go to the NSW Education Standards Authority (NESA) website.

https://www.boardofstudies.nsw.edu.au/syllabus_sc/pdf_doc/pdhpe-7-10-syllabus.pdf

If you have any concerns about the content covered, please contact the PDHPE faculty at Junee High School.

Yours sincerely

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