Garlinge Primary School and Nursery



Year 5 – Lessons about puberty.

Monday 2nd May 2022

Dear Parents and Carers of pupils in Year 5,

During Term 6, Year 5 will be learning about the differences between boys and girls and how their bodies change when they enter puberty. They will consider and discuss the changes boys and girls go through, physically and emotionally, including physical changes such as the menstrual cycle. These lessons will be taught as a whole class and as single-sex classes (at the teacher discretion), through both Science and PSHE. Prior to these lessons, you may want to discuss with your child some of the topics that will be taught.

If you would like to discuss any concerns or important questions with me before the lessons take place, then please feel free to contact the school office to make an appointment, or email me at <u>6A@garlinge.kent.sch.uk.</u> Alternatively, please email your child's class teacher. There will also be a meeting in 5D at 3.20pm on Tuesday 17th May, to share an overview of the curriculum and resources should you wish to attend.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs D Pegden AHT UKS2