



## Kirkwall Grammar School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Welcome back to Term 2, I do hope that you and your children have had an enjoyable October break.

I am writing to let you know that as part of our Health and Well Being curriculum at Kirkwall Grammar School, Guidance staff are about to deliver materials related to relationships, sexual health and parenthood. This is part of our Personal and Social Education programme and builds on learning that has been done in previous years.

The key resource that we will be using in S1 - S4 to deliver this aspect of our Health Education programme is called SHARE, a highly respected educational programme that is used in schools throughout Scotland. The SHARE materials reflect the full range of teaching and learning information that is nationally recognised as being beneficial to our young people. The full teaching programme can be found on the KGS Website. To access this, please follow these instructions:

1. Visit the KGS website
2. Click on Departments
3. Hover over 'Guidance' and then click on ' Our partners and Links'
4. Click on the NHS logo where you should now be able to access the full teaching programme.

The learning experiences that our pupils will have in class will help our young people to build up knowledge, as well as offer an opportunity to explore and develop life skills which will support them in decisions that they may make in the future.

If you wish to discuss any part of this, please feel free to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Marlyn Firth  
Guidance Manager