

KING JAMES'S

SCHOOL KNARESBOROUGH

# CURRICULUM OVERVIEW PSHCEE 2021/22

The Personal Social Health Citizenship Economic Education programme is delivered in timetabled lesson across years 7 to 11. It seeks to address topics and issues relevant to students' moral and social development and to integrate cross-curricular themes such as Health and Environment Education. Lessons are tailored to support the needs of our students and local community. Students will study a range of topics which develop important life skills and produce active citizens that contribute positively to society.

Students are encouraged to; express their thoughts and feelings, discuss emotions, develop an awareness of right and wrong, have respect for others, understand how to keep themselves and others safe, resolve conflict through developing tolerance, participate in group and class discussions, form opinions through informed choice, consider moral challenges and plan for the future.

By using the latest resources and information gathered from the PSHE Association, Growing up in North Yorkshire Survey and partner organisation our curriculum confidently reflects the world we live in. To ensure challenge and progress students learning is mapped out through the years following a reciprocal and reflective pathway. This learning is confirmed through effective teaching practice, assessment, learning walks, internal work scrutiny and student voice. Our curriculum content is designed to build up and expand prior knowledge within PSHCEE and across departments. PSHCEE is a truly student-centred approach to learning which focuses on supporting young people and their future aspirations.

### YEAR 7

LC1 Joining a new school LC2 Contributing to society LC3 Healthy Lifestyles LC4 Risk Taking

### YEAR 8

LC1 Law & Justice LC2 Healthy living LC3 Challenging opinions LC4 Develop young adults

## YEAR 9

LC1 Health & wellbeing LC2 Careers/ employment LC3 Active Citizen LC4 Sex & relationships

# **YEAR 10**

LC1 Substance misuse LC2 First aid & mind sets LC3 Mental health LC4 Applying for a job

# YEAR 11

LC1 Modern Society LC2 Criminal justice system LC3 Coping with exams LC4 Transferable skills

Controversial and sensitive subjects are delivered at age appropriate points with the assistance of approved published materials, selected and adapted by staff with requisite expertise. Specialist subject teachers who work in other areas of the curriculum also cover several aspects of PSHCEE and there is substantial prevocational careers input.