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"When children move on into the wider society and become a global citizen we want them to do this with the confidence, knowledge and understanding to clearly express themselves, have high aspirations and a belief in their own abilities and self worth."



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Dear Parents/Carers of Year 2,

At Castilion, we use JIGSAW to support our teaching of PSHE. Please see below for the year's subject content.

We want our children to benefit from a full and diverse curriculum but understand that some of the topics covered are sensitive and you may have concerns. If you have any queries or questions please don't hesitate to ask. We are happy to discuss any areas and share resources with you prior to lessons so that you feel comfortable and prepared for any questions your children may have. Please note that any topics in red are non-statutory and you have the right to opt your child out of these lessons. We will be in touch nearer the time that these topics will be taught to discuss this further with you so you can make the best decision for yourself and your child.

Many of these topics are statutory and are covered not only in PSHE but also in Science. Whilst we understand that you may feel that some of the subject matter is sensitive we do have to teach it to meet curriculum and other requirements. Please, rest assured that we will teach the content with a professional and respectful manner and remain unbiased in our teaching.

Some of these statutory lessons may raise questions that would require teachers to then discuss non statutory subject matter. We want the children to feel comfortable to ask questions so in this instance all classes will have a questions box where children can put questions for teachers to come back to at a later date. Teachers will answer any questions that do not require parental consent. Any questions that do require parents to be informed or give consent will be discussed with you first and children will be informed of this procedure.

Yours sincerely

Mr J Allen
PSHE Subject Lead

Mrs Yvonne Bishop
Principal



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Year Group: 2

Autumn 1-	Hopes and fears for the year Feeling worried Rights and responsibilities Rewards and consequences Safe and fair learning environment Valuing contributions Choices- Justify choices, consider impact on others and consequences Recognising feelings
Autumn 2	Assumptions and stereotypes about gender Understanding bullying Standing up for self and others Making new friends Gender diversity and stereotypes. Celebrating difference and remaining friends Identify similarities and differences.
Spring 1	Achieving realistic goals Perseverance through difficulty Learning strengths Learning with others Group cooperation Contributing to and sharing success
Spring 2	Motivation Relaxation Healthier choices Healthy eating and nutrition- food groups Healthier snacks and sharing food Safe medicines
Summer 1 - Relationships	Different types of family. Physical contact boundaries. Friendship and conflict. Secrets. Trust. Appreciation.
Summer 2 – Changing me	Life cycles in nature. Growing from young to old. Increasing independence. Differences in female and male bodies (scientific pictures and terminology used). Discuss privacy. Assertiveness. Different types of touch.