



Life to the Full

Progression of Skills

UKS2 Year 5/Year 6

Module 1

Unit/Topic	Learning Objectives	Progress Markers	Notes
Religious Understanding	 Children will learn that that: We were created individually by God who cares for us and wants us to put our faith in Him Physically becoming an adult is a natural phase of life Lots of changes will happen during puberty and sometimes it might feel confusing, but it is all part of God's great plan and the results will be worth it! 	 All children will learn that we were created individually by God who cares for us. Most children will understand that God wants us to put our faith in Him, which means putting our confidence and hope in Him even though we can't see Him. Some children will demonstrate a more nuanced understanding of how having faith in Jesus can help them through the changes and 'storms' of life. 	
Me, My Body, My Health	 Children will learn about: How similarities and differences between people arise as they grow and mature, and that by living and working together ('teamwork') we create community How there are many different types of family set up How self-confidence arises from being loved by God (not status, etc) How human beings are different to other animals The unique growth and development of humans, and the changes that girls and boys will experience during puberty The need to respect their bodies as a gift from God to be 	 All children will understand that we are all unique, with different family set-ups, gifts and talents; will know that the body changes which occur during puberty are necessary for a girl to become an adult woman; will know that the body changes which occur during puberty are necessary for a boy to become an adult man; and will know that the choices we make regarding sleep, exercise, personal hygiene and electronic entertainment can impact on our health. Most children will demonstrate some emotional intelligence when considering the 'Paradise Street' film, and begin to infer and articulate the feelings of the characters involved; will 	





looked after well, and treated appropriately
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- The need for modesty and appropriate boundaries
- How to make good choices that have an impact on their health: rest and sleep, exercise, personal hygiene, avoiding the overuse of electronic entertainment, etc
- understand and be able to recall some of the changes which girls experience during puberty; will understand and be able to recall some of the changes which boys experience during puberty; and will be able to discern whether certain choices will have a good or bad impact on our health.
- Some children will demonstrate a personal understanding of how our value and self-confidence can arise from knowing that we are loved by God and called His children; will demonstrate prior knowledge about changes girls experience during puberty, and readily articulate respectful boundaries, e.g. privates are private; demonstrate prior knowledge about changes boys experience during puberty, and readily articulate respectful boundaries, e.g. privates are private; and will demonstrate empathy in relation to the characters in the film, and be able to articulate how choices regarding health also impact on our feeling and well-being.

Emotional Well-being

Children will learn:

- That images in the media do not always reflect reality and can affect how people feel about themselves
- That thankfulness builds resilience against feelings of envy, inadequacy, etc. and against pressure from peers or media
- A deeper understanding of the range and intensity of their feelings; that 'feelings' are not the only good guides for action
- That some behaviour is wrong, unacceptable, unhealthy or risky
- That emotions change as they grow up (including hormonal effects)
- That openness with trusted parents/carers/teachers when worried helps with healthy emotional well-being
- That beauty, art, etc. can lift the spirit and also contribute to our sense of well-being.

- All children will understand that images in the media do not always reflect reality; will understand that some behaviour is wrong, unacceptable, unhealthy or risky; and will understand that emotions change as they grow up.
- Most children will understand that the pressures we face, e.g. from the media, can affect how people feel about themselves; will understand how thoughts, feelings and actions relate to one another and that feelings are not good guides for action; and will be able to describe a variety of techniques to help them manage their thoughts, feelings and actions.
- Some children will understand the link between practising thankfulness and building resilience against pressure, and demonstrate prior experience of employing this practice themselves; will demonstrate deeper understanding of the range and intensity of their own feelings and the feelings of others, and be curious as to the causes of these; and will clearly understand the importance of openness with trusted adults when feeling worried and that beauty and art can





		contribute to our sense of emotional well-being.
	 NON-STATUTORY - if opting in to Key Decision #4, children will learn: The difference between harmful and harmless videos and images The impact that harmful videos and images can have on young minds Ways to combat and deal with viewing harmful videos and images 	 All children will understand that there are harmless and harmful videos and images online. Most children will be able to discern whether content is good or bad, and know some of the impacts that harmful content can have on young minds. Some children will demonstrate with confidence how to avoid harmful content, and how to counter negative thoughts with truths about how God made us with love and wants us to respect ourselves and others.
Life Cycles	 Children will learn: How a baby grows and develops in its mother's womb That pregnancy and childbirth are God's way of giving the gift of life: He creates new life, but entrusts parents with the job of making us. About the nature and role of menstruation in the fertility cycle, and that fertility is involved in the start of life Some practical ways to manage the onset of menstruation 	 All children will know that a baby grows and develops in its mother's womb; and will understand that girls start having periods during puberty. Most children will be able to describe how a baby grows and develops in the womb, and demonstrate some wonder and curiosity about this; and will understand some facts about periods and the menstrual cycle, including period hygiene. Some children will, with gratitude and a sense of the profound, understand that pregnancy and childbirth are God's way of giving the gift of life: He creates new life, but entrusts parents with the job of making us; and will demonstrate understanding of the role of menstruation in the fertility cycle, and that fertility is involved in the start of life.
	 NON STATUTORY - if opting in to Key Decision #5, children will learn: Basic scientific facts about sexual intercourse between a man and woman The physical, emotional, moral and spiritual implications of sexual intercourse The Christian viewpoint that sexual intercourse should be saved for marriage 	 All children will know basic facts about sexual intercourse between a man and a woman. Most children will understand something of the physical, emotional, moral and spiritual implications of sexual intercourse. Some children will understand the Christian viewpoint that sexual intercourse should be saved for marriage.





Module 2				
Religious Understanding	Children will learn: That God calls us to love others About ways in which we can participate in God's call for us to love others	 All children will learn that God calls us to love others. Most children will appreciate that we all have something we can offer in terms of loving others. Some children will demonstrate a deeper understanding and passion for participating in God's call for us to love others. 		
Personal Relationships	 Children will learn: That pressure comes in different forms, and what some of those different forms are That there are strategies that they can adopt to resist pressure What consent and bodily autonomy means About different scenarios in which it is right to say 'no' How thoughts and feelings impact actions, and develop strategies that will positively impact their actions and apply this in their relationships 	 All children will learn that pressure comes in different forms, and what some of those different forms are; will gain a basic understanding of consent and bodily autonomy; and will understand that how we think can affect our feelings and in turn our actions, and that we call this 'self-talk'. Most children will be able to describe some strategies they can adopt to resist pressure; will be able to discern situations in which it would be appropriate and right to say 'no'; and will understand how positive self-talk can impact our feelings, actions and relationships for the better. Some children will demonstrate a more nuanced and applied understanding of different pressure scenarios, including the feelings of the pressured child in the context of thoughts, feelings and actions; will demonstrate a deeper understanding and will to uphold consent as related to respecting the dignity of our precious God-given bodies; and will demonstrate a deeper understanding of both positive and negative self-talk, and how it helps us to balance our expectations so that we feel confident to try new things at the same time as assessing the consequences realistically. 		
Keeping Safe	Children will learn: That their increasing independence brings increased responsibility to keep themselves and others safe How to use technology safely That just as what we eat can make us healthy or make us ill, so what we watch, hear, say or do can be good or bad	All children will know that if they feel unsafe, they can and should seek out a trusted adult for help and support; will learn about the effect that a range of substances including drugs, tobacco and alcohol can have on the body; will understand that as they get older they may come under pressure when it comes to drugs, alcohol and tobacco; and will understand that,		





for us and others

- How to report and get help if they encounter inappropriate materials or messages
- What the term cyberbullying means and examples of it
- What cyberbullying feels like for the victim
- How to get help if they experience cyberbullying
- What kind of physical contact is acceptable or unacceptable and how to respond
- That there are different people we can trust for help, especially those closest to us who care for us, including parents, teachers and priests
- About the effect that a range of substances including drugs, tobacco and alcohol can have on the body
- How to make good choices about substances that will have a positive impact on their health
- That our bodies are created by God, so we should take care of them and be careful about what we consume
- About how they may come under pressure when it comes to drugs, alcohol and tobacco
- That they are entitled to say "no" for all sorts of reasons, but not least in order to protect their God-given bodies
- That the recovery position can be used when a person is unconscious but breathing
- That DR ABC is a primary survey to find out how to treat life-threatening conditions in order of importance

- amongst other things, the job of a First Aider is to keep themselves and the casualty safe.
- Most children will understand that some physical contact is appropriate and some is inappropriate, and be able to describe some examples of these; will understand the impact that these substances can have on people's lifestyles, and how we can all make better choices to benefit our health and well-being; will be able to come up with 'for' and 'against' arguments for giving into pressure, and practise making good choices; and will, with prompts, have a degree of confidence in performing the DR ABC primary survey, as well putting someone in the recovery position.
- Some children will demonstrate greater empathy throughout the activities and a deeper understanding that because God made us to love and be loved, we should respect one another's bodily privacy and autonomy; will understand that our bodies are created by God, and we can honour Him by taking care of them and being careful about what we consume; demonstrate understanding that they are entitled to say "no" for all sorts of reasons, but not least in order to protect their God-given bodies; and will confidently demonstrate the DR ABC primary survey and understand the importance of following this in order to prioritise potentially lifethreatening conditions.

Module 3

Religious Understanding

Children will learn:

- That God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit are the three persons of the Holy Trinity.
- That the Holy Spirit works through us to bring God's love and goodness to others
- The principles of Catholic Social Teaching
- That God formed them out of love, to know and share His
- All children will understand that God the Father, God the Son and God the Holy Spirit are the three persons of the Holy Trinity; and will learn what the seven principles of Catholic Social Teaching are.
- Most children will understand that the Holy Spirit works through us to share God's love and goodness with others; and will know that God loves them and wants them to love others,

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	love with others	 and be able to come up with examples of how Catholic Social Teaching principles can be practised. Some children will demonstrate a more nuanced and personal understanding of what it means for the Holy Spirit to live inside us and how this helps us to share God's love in the world; and will demonstrate a greater sense of conviction and motivation to incorporate Catholic Social Teaching principles in their daily lives and will be able to identify injustices in the world where change could be affected. 	
Living in the Wider World	 Children will learn: How to apply the principles of Catholic Social Teaching to current issues About ways in which they can spread God's love in their community 	 All children will have a basic understanding of how to apply the principles of Catholic Social Teaching to current issues. Most children will understand how Catholic Social Teaching principles can help them to judge not only whether something is wrong, but why it is wrong. Some children will show great aptitude when categorising articles, and demonstrate compassion and motivation to challenge issues of injustice. 	