

30th January 2018

Dear Parent/Guardian

As part of the statutory Personal, Social and Health Education programme which Stanwell delivers to all pupils we have booked an innovative session with a company who aim to provide young people with information about personal relationships using a fresh and exciting multi-media format.

Your son/daughter, along with all the students in year 9 will have the opportunity to be involved in one of the sessions called "In Search of a Happy Ending" on Tuesday 13th February. This will involve watching a presentation followed by a discussion about the issues covered. It is described as *highly engaging and interactive 'Theatre in Education'*. The information which has been forwarded to us is included overleaf.

We hope that all of the members of the year group will enjoy the workshop and gain knowledge related to areas under discussion. Should you not wish your child to be involved please inform me first thing in the morning.

Yours sincerely



Mr C Ashton
Head of Year 9



Mr A Chambers
Head of Year 9

In Search of a Happy Ending

In Search of a Happy Ending follows the relationship between two 16 year olds: Jack and Charley. In three takes we discover how their relationship unfolds 4 weeks later, 4 months later and 4 years later. At the end of each take or time frame the couple rewind and choose to address their sexual and relationship choices again and differently. The couple are 'in search of a happy ending' and discover that only in making informed choices does their relationship work.

This presentation has a strong emphasis on healthy relationships; exploring issues such as: self-confidence, decision making, peer pressure, influence of media and pornography, safe sex and STIs.

- 50 minute live theatre piece
- 1 hour workshop
- Targeted at year 9
- Suitable for a whole year group at a time

