



27th February 2019

RE: Year 9 PSHE EVENT on Wednesday 6th March 2019

Dear Parent / Carer,

On Wednesday 6th March, your child will take part in a drugs and alcohol awareness session which forms part of their PSHE education at Emmbrook.

Your child will participate in a 1 hour presentation by an organisation called ARCADE (Amethyst Resource Centre for Drug and Alcohol Education). The aim of this presentation is for pupils to understand the issues and dangers surrounding drugs and alcohol, including the legal framework, enabling them to make more informed decisions and healthy choices in their life.

We have worked with ARCADE for a number of years, and they perform to a large number of schools in the local area.

The presentation will use a combination of activities including interactive games, group work, card sorts and discussion opportunities.

Pupils will take part in this experience in class size groups in the library, and details of the day and the time of your child's performance will be communicated over the next week to your child via their form tutor.

I am sure that this will prove to be a really worthwhile and informative experience.

Yours sincerely,

Mr. S. Baker

(Pastoral Director)