



Nurture. Inspire. Prepare.

**Overview of Content PSHE & RSE  
Jigsaw Scheme of Learning  
Updated September 2026**

Age group	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>Ages 3-5</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Self-identity</li> <li>Understanding feelings</li> <li>Being in a classroom</li> <li>Being gentle</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifying talents</li> <li>Being special</li> <li>Families</li> <li>Where we live</li> <li>Making friends</li> <li>Standing up for yourself</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Challenges</li> <li>Perseverance</li> <li>Achieving and setting goals</li> <li>Overcoming obstacles</li> <li>Seeking help</li> <li>Jobs</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exercising bodies</li> <li>Physical activity</li> <li>Healthy food</li> <li>Sleep</li> <li>Keeping clean</li> <li>Safety</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Family life</li> <li>Friendships</li> <li>Breaking friendships</li> <li>Falling out</li> <li>Dealing with bullying</li> <li>Being a good friend</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Bodies</li> <li>Respecting my body</li> <li>Growing up</li> <li>Growth and change</li> <li>Fun and fears</li> <li>Celebrations</li> </ul>
<b>Ages 5-6</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Feeling special and safe</li> <li>Being part of a class</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Rewards and feeling proud</li> <li>Consequences</li> <li>Owning the learning charter</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Similarities and differences</li> <li>Understanding bullying and knowing how to deal with it</li> <li>Making new friends</li> <li>Celebrating the differences in everyone</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Setting goals</li> <li>Identifying successes and achievements</li> <li>Learning styles</li> <li>Working well and celebrating achievement with a partner</li> <li>Tackling new challenges</li> <li>Identifying and overcoming obstacles</li> <li>Feelings of success</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Keeping myself healthy</li> <li>Healthier lifestyle choices</li> <li>Keeping clean</li> <li>Being safe</li> <li>Medicine safety/ safety with household items</li> <li>Road safety</li> <li>Linking health and happiness</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Belonging to a family</li> <li>Making friends/being a good friend</li> <li>Physical contact preferences</li> <li>People who help us</li> <li>Qualities as a friend and person</li> <li>Self-acknowledgement</li> <li>Being a good friend to myself</li> <li>Celebrating special relationships</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life cycles – animal and human</li> <li>Changes in me</li> <li>Changes since being a baby</li> <li>Differences between female and male bodies (correct terminology)</li> <li>Linking growing and learning</li> <li>Coping with change</li> <li>Transition</li> </ul>

Age group	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>Ages 6-7</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hopes and fears for the year</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Rewards and consequences</li> <li>Safe and fair learning environment</li> <li>Valuing contributions</li> <li>Choices</li> <li>Recognising feelings</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assumptions and stereotypes about gender</li> <li>Understanding bullying</li> <li>Standing up for self and others</li> <li>Making new friends</li> <li>Celebrating difference and remaining friends</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Achieving realistic goals</li> <li>Staying healthy to achieve goals</li> <li>Perseverance and strengths</li> <li>Learning with others</li> <li>Group co-operation</li> <li>Contributing to and sharing success</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Motivation</li> <li>Healthier choices</li> <li>Healthy eating and nutrition</li> <li>Safety in the home</li> <li>Safety out and about</li> <li>Medicines</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Different types of family</li> <li>Physical contact boundaries</li> <li>Friendship and conflict</li> <li>Secrets</li> <li>Trust and appreciation</li> <li>Expressing appreciation for special relationships</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Life cycles in nature</li> <li>Growing from young to old</li> <li>Increasing independence</li> <li>Differences in female and male bodies (correct terminology)</li> <li>Assertiveness</li> <li>Preparing for transition</li> </ul>
<b>Ages 7-8</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Setting personal goals</li> <li>Self-identity and worth</li> <li>Positivity in challenges</li> <li>Rules, rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Rewards and consequences</li> <li>Responsible choices</li> <li>Seeing things from others' perspectives</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Families and their differences</li> <li>Family conflict and how to manage it (child-centred)</li> <li>Witnessing bullying and how to solve it</li> <li>Recognising how words can be hurtful</li> <li>Giving and receiving compliments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Difficult challenges and achieving success</li> <li>Dreams and ambitions</li> <li>Motivation and enthusiasm</li> <li>Recognising and trying to overcome obstacles</li> <li>Evaluating learning</li> <li>Processes</li> <li>Contributing to the community</li> <li>Managing feelings</li> <li>Simple budgeting</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Exercise</li> <li>Food labelling and healthy swaps</li> <li>Attitudes towards drugs</li> <li>Keeping safe online and off line</li> <li>Respect for myself and others</li> <li>Healthy and safe choices outdoors</li> <li>Water safety</li> <li>Asking for help</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Family roles and responsibilities</li> <li>Friendship and negotiation</li> <li>Keeping safe online and who to go to for help</li> <li>Media influence</li> <li>Being a global citizen</li> <li>How my choices affect others</li> <li>Awareness of other children's different lives</li> <li>Expressing appreciation for family and friends</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>How babies grow</li> <li>Outside body changes</li> <li>Inside body changes</li> <li>Personal hygiene</li> <li>Family stereotypes</li> <li>Challenging my ideas</li> <li>Preparing for transition</li> </ul>

Age group	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>Ages 8-9</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Being part of a class team</li> <li>Being a school citizen</li> <li>Rights, responsibilities and democracy (school council)</li> <li>Rewards and consequences</li> <li>Group decision-making</li> <li>Having a voice</li> <li>What motivates behaviour</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Challenging assumptions</li> <li>Judging by appearance</li> <li>Accepting self and others</li> <li>Understanding influences</li> <li>Understanding bullying</li> <li>Problem-solving</li> <li>Identifying how special and unique everyone is</li> <li>First impressions</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Hopes and dreams</li> <li>Overcoming disappointment</li> <li>Creating new realistic dreams</li> <li>Achieving goals</li> <li>Working in a group</li> <li>Celebrating contributions</li> <li>Resilience</li> <li>Positive attitudes</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Healthier friendships</li> <li>Peer influences</li> <li>Railway safety</li> <li>Staying safe with friends</li> <li>Smoking</li> <li>Alcohol and vaping</li> <li>Assertiveness</li> <li>Peer pressure</li> <li>Celebrating inner strength</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Jealousy</li> <li>Love and loss</li> <li>Memories of loved ones</li> <li>Getting and Falling Out</li> <li>Girlfriends and Boyfriends</li> <li>Showing appreciation to people and animals</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Being unique</li> <li>Girls and puberty</li> <li>Being part of a family</li> <li>Confidence in change</li> <li>Accepting change</li> <li>Preparing for transition</li> <li>Environmental change</li> </ul>
<b>Ages 9-10</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Planning the year ahead</li> <li>Being a citizen</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities</li> <li>Rewards and consequences</li> <li>How behaviour affects groups</li> <li>Democracy, having a voice, participating</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cultural differences and how they can cause conflict</li> <li>Racism</li> <li>Rumours and name-calling</li> <li>Types of bullying</li> <li>Materials wealth and happiness</li> <li>Enjoying and respecting other cultures</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Future dreams</li> <li>Spending, saving and value of money</li> <li>Jobs and careers</li> <li>Dream job and how to get there</li> <li>Goals in different cultures</li> <li>Supporting others (charity)</li> <li>Motivation</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Smoking including vaping</li> <li>Alcohol and vaping</li> <li>Alcohol and anti-social behaviour</li> <li>Emergency aid</li> <li>Body image</li> <li>Relationships with food</li> <li>Healthy choices</li> <li>Motivation and behaviour</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Self-recognition/ self-worth</li> <li>Building self-esteem</li> <li>Safer online communities</li> <li>Rights and responsibilities online</li> <li>Online gaming and risks</li> <li>Reducing screen time</li> <li>Dangers of online grooming</li> <li>Internet safety rules</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Self- and body image</li> <li>Influence of online and media on body image</li> <li>Puberty for girls</li> <li>Puberty for boys</li> <li><i>Conception (including IVF)</i></li> <li>Growing responsibility</li> <li>Coping with change</li> <li>Preparing for transition</li> </ul>

Age group	Being Me In My World	Celebrating Difference	Dreams and Goals	Healthy Me	Relationships	Changing Me
<b>Ages 10-11</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifying goals for the year</li> <li>Global citizenship</li> <li>Children's universal rights</li> <li>Feeling welcome and valued</li> <li>Choices, consequences and rewards</li> <li>Group dynamics</li> <li>Democracy, having a voice</li> <li>Anti-social behaviour</li> <li>Role-modelling</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Perceptions of normality</li> <li>Understanding disability</li> <li>Power struggles</li> <li>Understanding bullying</li> <li>Inclusion/exclusion</li> <li>Differences as conflict, difference as celebration</li> <li>Empathy</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal learning goals, in and out of school</li> <li>Success criteria</li> <li>Emotions in success</li> <li>Making a difference in the world</li> <li>Motivation</li> <li>Recognising achievements</li> <li>Compliments</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Taking personal responsibility</li> <li>How substances affect the body</li> <li>Exploitation including 'county lines' and gang culture</li> <li>Emotional and mental health</li> <li>Managing stress</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mental health</li> <li>Identifying mental health worries and sources of support</li> <li>Love and loss</li> <li>Managing feelings</li> <li>Power and control</li> <li>Assertiveness</li> <li>Technology safety</li> <li>Take responsibility with technology use</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Self-image</li> <li>Body-image</li> <li>Puberty and feelings</li> <li><i>Conception to birth</i></li> <li>Reflections about change</li> <li>Physical attraction</li> <li>Respect and consent</li> <li>Boyfriends/girlfriends</li> <li>Sexting</li> <li>Transition</li> </ul>
<b>Ages 11-12 (Scotland)</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Personal identity</li> <li>What influences personal identity</li> <li>Identify personal strengths</li> <li>How do others see me?</li> <li>Group identity</li> <li>My growing sense of personal identity and independence</li> <li>Online and global identity</li> <li>Expectations</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Assertiveness</li> <li>Prejudice and discrimination</li> <li>My values and those of others</li> <li>Challenging stereotypes</li> <li>Discrimination in school</li> <li>How prejudice and discrimination fuels bullying</li> <li>Being inclusive</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>What are my dreams and goals?</li> <li>Steps to success</li> <li>Coping when things don't go to plan</li> <li>Rewarding my dreams</li> <li>intrinsic and extrinsic motivation</li> <li>Keeping my dreams alive</li> <li>How dreams and goals change in response to life</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Healthy choices about my emotional health</li> <li>Managing stress</li> <li>Managing my choices around substances</li> <li>Managing my nutritional choices</li> <li>Medicines and immunisation</li> <li>Healthy choices about physical activity and rest/sleep</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>My changing web of friendships</li> <li>Support I need now and in the future</li> <li>Developing positive relationships</li> <li>What external factors affect relationships e.g. media influences?</li> <li>Assertiveness in relationships</li> <li>The changing role of families</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>My changing body and feelings</li> <li>What is self-image?</li> <li>Coping during times of change</li> <li>My changing ways of thinking</li> <li>Managing my changes in mood</li> <li>Moving forwards into my next year of education</li> </ul>