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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: What Should We Tell the Children about Relationship and Sex?

Where there is good communication between young people and their parents/carers, young people are more likely to have the confidence to deal with relationships, delay sex until they are ready, and practice safer sex. All young people learn about relationships and sex somehow, if they don't learn about it from you, they are more likely to get information from their friends and the media and some of this will be wrong and/or confusing. You can help them to sort out the fact from the fiction. We are coming to a venue near you to deliver the **What Should We Tell the Children** programme where you can meet up with other parents to share ideas, learn new ways of talking openly about relationships and sex without embarrassment, how to cope with being put on the spot.

The dates, venues and times are:

25th January 2011 - The Council House, Diamond Room 1 – 5-7pm

28th January 2011 - Limbrick Wood Church, Tile Hill – 1-3pm

1st February 2011 - Bell Green Community Centre – 1-3pm

9th February 2011 - Stoke Aldermoor Community Centre – 1-3pm

14th February 2011 - NDC Leisure Centre, Wood End – 1-3pm

28th February 2011 - St Peters, Hillfields – 1-3pm

7th March 2011 - Jubilee Crescent Community Centre, Radford – 1-3pm

14th March 2011 - Caludon Castle Community Space, Wyken – 1-3pm

If you want to book a place on one of these course's please call **024 7683 3656** or email Helen.middleton@coventry.gov.uk. For more information go to www.besavvy.org.uk and search for What Should We Tell the Children.

Yours sincerely

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