Dear users of Wonderfully Made,

With Wonderfully Made, you have decided to use a comprehensive curriculum for relationships and sex education. In order for it to be effective, we would like to give you the following instructions on how to use it.

Preparatory work in the classroom

Make sure that the entire team is familiar with the material and that your school has a clear idea of how you want to implement relationships and sex education. This also includes a biblical-theological discussion of the topic.

Familiarise yourselves with all the materials (teacher and parent materials). The discussion questions in the PowerPoints for the parents information sessions will need to be adapted to make them relevant to your setting. Think about how openly you can talk about the topic at the parents information session and in which context you can and should talk.

Training

If your school chooses Wonderfully Made, you are also committing to receiving training from Driestar Christian University for Teacher Education (online). We will contact you after you have registered with us. Please also read our terms and conditions.

Working with parents

As the most important educational partners, parents must be fully involved.

Wonderfully Made relies on close cooperation with parents and the children's family homes. To this end, there is various information and a support booklet for parents as well as a PowerPoint presentations for the parents information session. Teachers should be familiar with these materials.



Communication and implementation

It is advisable to communicate to parents clearly, BEFORE the start of the school year, which concept is used at your school; that relationships and sex education is taught in a spiral curriculum and that the Wonderfully Made concept is based on biblical beliefs.

It is recommended to invite both parents to the first parents' information session.

The topics of Wonderfully Made are presented to the parents according to their child's school year and can be discussed at the parents' session. The general information booklet provides a good overview of all the topics that will be dealt with during the primary school years.

Reflection

Involve the parents or parent representatives closely in the implementation of the curriculum, especially at the beginning. Wonderfully Made will change and influence the way colleagues and parents use language at school and at home, it will change the way you work in the school and make the children more open and attentive. All of this requires joint reflection with colleagues and parents.

We wish you God's blessing, much joy and positive curiosity in your entire school family in the use of Wonderfully Made!

The Wonderfully Made team

