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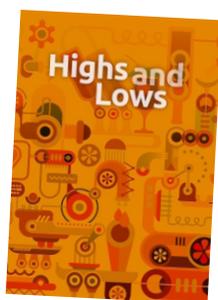
“ Welcome to the May edition of the **VSH Update**. At this time of year many pupils will be preparing for their GCSEs, and we want to remind you of the resources in *MyLibrary* designed to help them reach their full potential. This month's edition also takes a closer at *Highs and Lows*, a new *MyLife* publication, and how it can help children in care and care leavers feel safe and confident. ”

Rachel Maton, Editor

Highs and Lows: Understanding drugs and alcohol

Highs and Lows is a new PSHE resource available in *MyLife* that gives students honest information about drugs and alcohol to help them make choices that make them feel in control. It explores important issues such as peer pressure, dependency, supporting others and the law. It also provides a comprehensive guide to each drug, ensuring students are informed and can avoid the dangers. This resource is an important way of helping students learn about key issues that they may feel uncomfortable asking their teachers, foster carers or peers about.

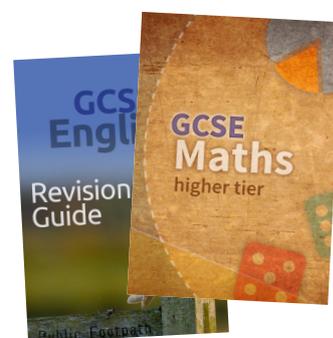
For more information, go to:
www.pearson.co.uk/highs-lows [Link](#)



Get ready for GCSEs

With GCSEs approaching, young people in care can benefit from self-directed revision with our GCSE resources for English, Maths and Science. The self-marking tests, writing activities, audio-visual explanations and links to past papers allow students to practice their skills, identify problem areas and feel confident in their upcoming exams.

For more information about the resources available, visit:
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