

The Implementation of the 5 Levers

Lever 2 Community

This lever aims to understand the needs of our community and help to transition learning back into school. We aim to develop and regrow the sense of our school community, including our school house system. It centres on fostering strong links with parents as part of our school community. Re-establishing links with our Christian community is also necessary.

To strengthen the sense of community before returning to the classroom, we will -

- Encourage families to engage with the resources of the school website and also Twitter.
- Ensure parents are kept up to date with returning to school information during the summer
- Send out a wellbeing questionnaire to parents to gain insights into those children who may need immediate pastoral support.

To strengthen the sense of community on returning to school -

- Re-launch our school vision statement: Let Your Light Shine.
- Each child will contribute to a reflective pebble mosaic to mark their experience of the pandemic.
- Plant a special tree as a symbol of hope and regrowth.
- Hold an inter-house sports event in the autumn term.
- House points to still be shared despite no whole school assembly.
- Strengthen links with the diocese and Christian community.
- Re-establish community links with Thurmaston and Leicester by writing thank you letters to local front line workers.
- Host a welcome to the year group meeting for parents. The manner of delivery to be determined by the local situation in September.
- Year group emails to be set up so children can share their contributions of the 5Rs which can be used as a celebration assembly in class bubbles with children from the whole year group.

Our school community will work collectively towards a celebration of the school's Diamond Anniversary in June 2021.

