



Thurlstone Primary School

The Shuttle

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A BEHIND THE SCENES SPECIAL!

Much has been going on behind the scenes since the new term started! With a fresh new school year and a brand new co-headteacher, we thought it would be a great idea to explore what makes Thurlstone Primary School so special. So, in staff meeting this week, we posed the teachers the following questions... 'Why are you here? Why don't you leave and choose to work elsewhere?'

These are some responses...

A SMALL ACT
OF KINDNESS CAN
GO A LONG
WAY.

Friday's Cheesy yet WISE
WORDS OF WISDOM

A friendly, supportive,
forgiving and fun team!
Positive, supportive
parents who appreciate
you!

My colleagues have
seen me at my best
and my worst and can
pick me up when
needed.

Our environment feels
unique - there is so
much love felt from
adults to kids but also
throughout the entire
staff.

There's smiles and laughter.
Confidence to talk openly
with staff and leadership.
We're not afraid to put ideas
forward. There is acceptance
of Thurlstone's quirkiness and
it's a happy place.

Our Thurlstone team is so
special. Everyone is always so
full of love for each other.
Even through difficult times,
the joy and laughs still remain.
Support is always there for
anything we need - work
related or personal.

Staff coming together
each lunchtime and
laughing is not found
very often in schools!

We think you'll agree that
your children will be getting
the very best deal from
teachers who feel this way!



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Our New School Vision

We also discussed what qualities a 'Thurlstone child' leaving us in Y6 would have! As you can imagine many words were shared! Kind, independent, resilient, tolerant, confident...the list goes on! We then decided to reinvent our school motto to sum up the culture and aspirations of the whole school community! so now, instead of 'Putting Learning at the Heart of the Community,' we have...(drum roll!)

**GROW TOGETHER: LEARN TOGETHER:
FEEL LOVED.**

Diary Dates

18/09/25 - P4Sport - Y5/6 Girls Footy

24/09/25 - Wear What you Want Day!

25/09/25 - P4Sport - Y5/6 Boys Footy

02/10/25 - P4Sport - Y3/4 Mixed
Footy

14th and 15th Oct - PARENTS EVENING

Friendly Reminders

Please ensure school uniform is
clearly labelled.

Please ensure children do not
play on the climbing frame
before and after school.