



TOGETHER WE GROW

Inclusion Newsletter - edition 4



Welcome to our fourth issue of Together We Grow!

This newsletter is our way of keeping you in the loop: celebrating all the wonderful things happening in our school. When we grow together — we all bloom!

What do we mean by Personal Development?

At our school, **Personal Development** is at the heart of everything we do. We want every child to grow into a confident, caring and capable young person. Alongside academic learning, we help children understand their emotions, build positive relationships, make good choices and develop resilience.

IN THIS EDITION....

How does our curriculum foster each child's personal development both inside and outside the classroom?



How do ensure our most vulnerable pupils are supported?

We are committed to ensuring that our most vulnerable pupils benefit fully from our Personal Development approach. **We do this by:**

- Knowing each child well and understanding what helps them feel safe and confident.
- Providing trusted adults, check-ins and nurture support for children who need extra emotional care.
- Working closely with families and professionals to create consistent, joined-up support.
- Adapting learning and routines so every child can succeed and feel proud of their progress.
- Creating calm, predictable environments where children feel included, understood and never left behind.
- Adapting activities when needed, making sure tasks, expectations and environments are accessible for all children.
- Removing practical barriers, such as cost, so that no child misses out.
- Working closely with families, sharing information about what might help their child feel confident and ready to take part.
- By surrounding our most vulnerable children with warmth, high expectations and personalised support, we help them grow, learn and feel loved every day.

How do we support Personal Development at Thurlstone Primary School?

Grow Together

Children learn how to work with others, build friendships and develop respect for different people and ideas. Through group activities, playtimes, responsibilities and pupil ambassador roles, pupils practise teamwork, leadership and problem-solving.

Learn Together

Personal Development is woven into daily school life. Children take part in PSHE lessons, circle time, assemblies, workshops and discussions that help them understand feelings, manage challenges and make thoughtful decisions. Collaborative learning and shared experiences help children develop confidence and curiosity.

Feel Loved

We create a school environment where every child feels safe, valued and cared for. Staff listen, encourage and celebrate children's efforts, helping them feel secure enough to try new things and believe in themselves.

GROW TOGETHER: LEARN TOGETHER: FEEL LOVED