

We know that some of our pupils will need extra help after the COVID lockdown break, so we'll be giving them the support they need so that they don't fall behind any further.

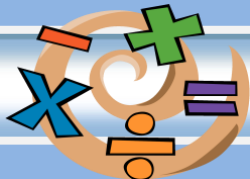


All the teaching staff at Mellers will be deepening their understanding of how children learn using Rosenshine's Principles in Action to make sure that all our lessons are as great as possible!

Everyone is a leader at Mellers, and we want staff, pupils and parents to feel like leaders. We want you all to feel confident to suggest changes, and to be 'at your best' and 'up to something' for Mellers and beyond!



We want to make sure that everyone is clever or skilled at something, and that you all know what you're really good at.



We want to make sure that we are all resilient and happy with a positive self-image; our whole community will be included in our work on PSHE and wellbeing, which is so important all the time and even more so during these times of COVID uncertainty. There will be support for pupils, staff and parents, making sure that everyone feels happy and safe.

What are we doing to improve our school this year?



Our excellent school governors will continue to make sure that everyone is striving to be 'the best that they can be' at Mellers through regular visits and checks. They'll meet regularly through the year to keep an eye on things at Mellers and support us all.



We're working on pupils' oracy skills: making sure that all our children, including those who are still learning English, become confident speakers and readers as this will help with all areas of their learning.



We're focusing on making sure that teachers' knowledge of art, DT and geography is even better than before, so that those lessons are really inspiring. We want our pupils to have excellent knowledge in all subjects so that they are well-equipped to get places at the best colleges and universities, and the best jobs available.

We want to make sure that all our children and families are safe, and that our safeguarding work is rigorous. Your happiness and safety are our main priorities.



It's really important that we carry on our work to make sure that everyone at Mellers loves reading, as this is the key to all knowledge. All the teachers and TAs have also had Letters and Sounds training and we'll make sure our new teachers are trained by us to deliver good guided reading practice.

