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'Learning Together For The Future'

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Dear Parent / Carer,

Just Like Us - Virtual Presentation

As part of your child's statutory PSHE education we are looking forward to welcoming the charity Just Like Us to speak to the year group on the 10th June 2025. This will be a virtual presentation during the scheduled PDC lesson.

Just Like Us are a charity which aim to promote understanding of the LGBTQ+ community. They seek to educate students on the benefits of developing and demonstrating an inclusive, tolerant attitude towards others. More information about the charity can be found here: Who we are - Just Like Us

The forthcoming talk will cover:

- What it is like growing up LGBT+ and allyship
- Age-appropriate explanations of key terms and concepts
- Supportive, positive messaging, which has found is linked to all pupils having improved wellbeing (regardless of whether the pupil is LGBT+ or not)
- How young people can tackle anti-LGBT+ attitudes
- Myth-busting and breaking down stereotypes
- Examples of positive and diverse LGBT+ representation, including LGBT+ people of faith

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Best wishes,

Annie Bell

English Teacher / Head of PDC.

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