

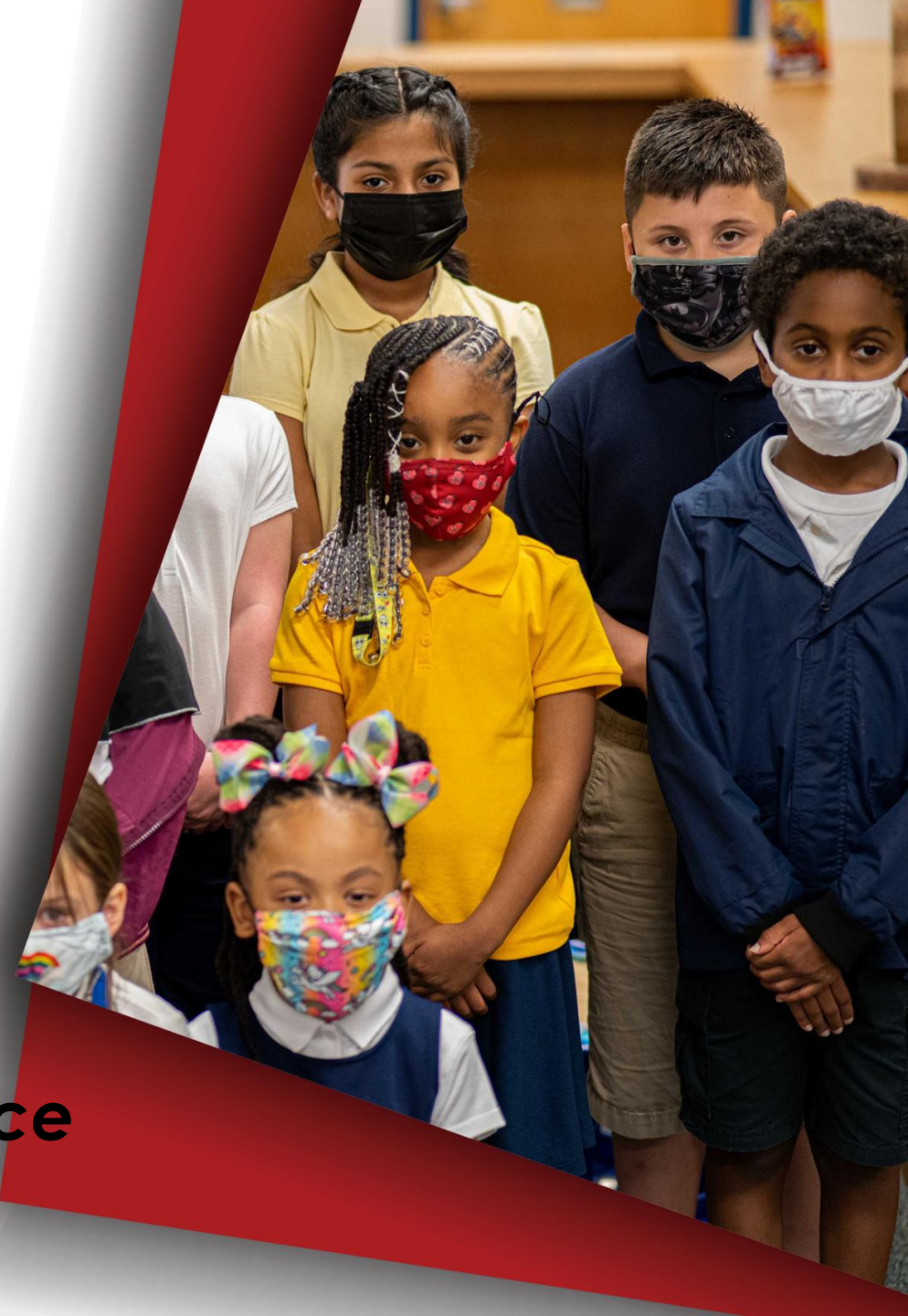


# **ReTHINK 901!**

## **Building School Capacity**

**Council of the Great City Schools Conference**

Orlando, FL  
October 21, 2022



# Unprecedented Times...

Many adults and students were struggling with their emotion health and well-being



## ReSET

- Builds student relationships
- Creates supportive school culture
- Embeds student voice and choice
- Promotes restorative practices
- Provides students with an advocate
- Proactive approach to supporting at-risk students

## ReThink

- Encourages equity and kindness
- Affirms ALL students.
- Promotes productive problem solving
- Helps students develop a sense of community
- Investment of developing SEL for adults and students

## ReStore

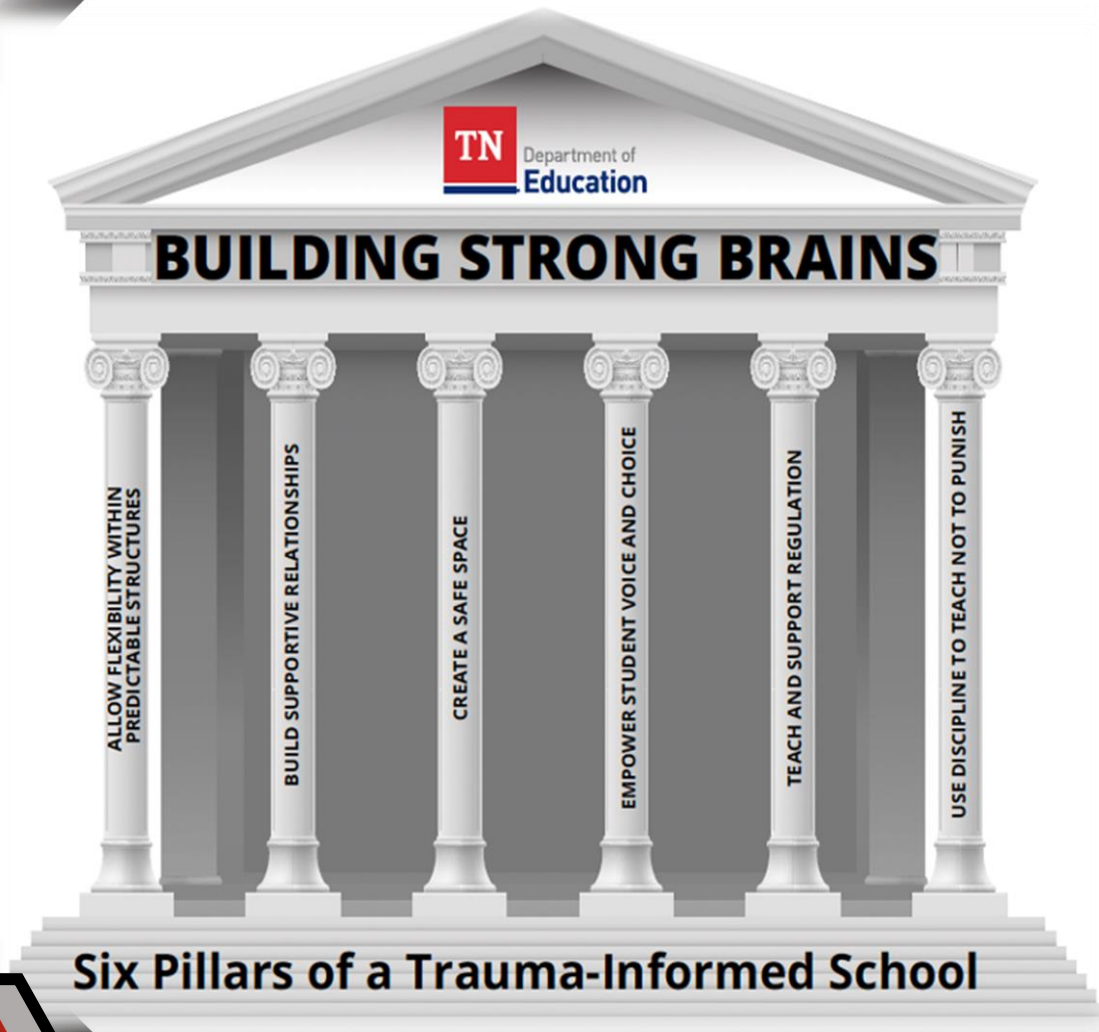
- Accelerates student re-entry after suspension
- Provide families access to professional services and counselors
- Provides students with mentoring opportunities
- Engages students in sessions which promote responsible decisions making , self- management and social awareness



# Begin with the End in Mind...

“Creating a trauma-informed school isn’t about teachers becoming therapists. It’s about creating an environment that focuses on relationships, trust, and emotional safety.”

*-Heather T. Forbes, LCSW*



# Building Capacity Through SEL Supports



## ReSET Room Schools

- Non-punitive program expanding to 127 schools in SCS. A therapeutic space designed to monitor and provide de-escalation strategies, interventions, and supports to students experiencing emotional difficulty during school hours
- Schools without space for a ReSET Room will receive additional behavioral supports from RTIB specialists.



## Tele-Health Support Line

- 24hr pre-recorded support line addressing trauma, anxiety, suicidal thoughts, depression, etc.
- M-F, 9am – 5pm Live SEL supports provided by social workers, psychologists, and school counselors



## Professional Development

- S.E.E.D. teams provide Professional Learning sessions focused on building skills and knowledge in SEL effective practices, trauma-informed care, researched-based strategies, and strengthening wellness for all SCS adults to include parent workshops.

## SEL Curriculum

- K-12 student curriculum for all tiers of learners.
- Program and assessment aligned with CASEL.
- Supports district initiatives for SEL, Mental Health, Trauma, and Equity



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## Forum for Student Voice & Engagement

- Invited students and student leaders to participate in student-led discussions based on relevant issues and current events. School counselors and mental health staff were available to help monitor and support events.
- Circle Talk with Empathy and Social Behaviors, Peer mediation, and Love & Logic series.
- College and Career Transitioning while maintaining good social emotional health and well-being, Persevering through challenges, Stress Management, ACEs Awareness, Body Language and Conflict are a some of the topics students were able to engage in.



# Family Wellness Centers

## Restorative Routes to Wellness

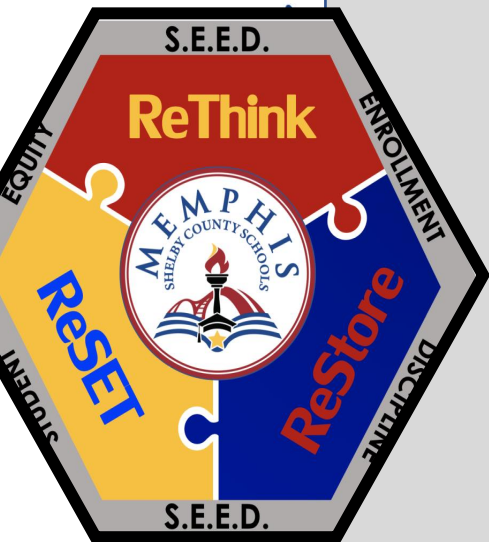
*Discipline Referral Processes for Utilizing Wellness Center Supports*  
Office of Student Equity, Enrollment & Discipline (SEED) 901-416-6007

### Three Operating Center Locations

- *Booker T. Washington MH (SY hrs: 10am – 6pm)*
- *Cordova Middle School (SY hours: 12pm – 8pm)*
- *Manassas High School (SY hours: 10am – 6pm)*

- Accelerates student re-entry after suspension
- On-site social works, advisors, counselors, and trauma coaches
- Free services for any MSCS student and families
- Services include family counseling, parent workshops, yoga, A&D, ReSTORE programs, registration, and more.
- Expanded services to students and families experiencing homelessness and/or unaccompanied youths.
- Support services and interventions are year-round for families based on student needs.
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Parent  
Workshops



**Connecting**  
**SCHOOLS. FAMILIES. COMMUNITIES.**  
Re-Imagining Wellness Together

Student Equity Enrollment & Discipline,  
**S.E.E.D.**  
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**YOGA** at **MSCS Family Wellness Centers**

All sessions and services are FREE for MSCS students and families.

**Cordova Middle School**  
900 N. Sanga Road, Center Hours 12- 8pm  
Yoga: Mondays @ 4:00pm

**Manassas High School**  
1111 N. Manassas, Center Hours 10- 6pm  
Yoga: Tuesdays @ 4:00pm

**Booker T Washington**  
715 S. Lauderdale, Center Hours 10- 6pm  
Yoga: Tuesdays @ 4:00pm

Enter Doors through secure entrance near Wellness flags

Call 901.416.1631 for more information

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FAMILY WELLNESS CENTER

# Contact our SEL Leadership Team

# Q&A

Together, we **MUST BELIEVE!**

Together, we **WILL ACHIEVE!**

Together, are **REIMAGINING 901!**

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