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## It's all about relationships

Use Pacific constructs to engage and collaborate with Pacific learners and their families to empower them.

Thinking about success and some key factors for our Pacific learners here in this school is relationships. The relationships between certain students and teachers, especially their subject teachers, is always going to result in some sort of really positive outcome. Whether it's an academic outcome or a sporting outcome or even just a social/wellbeing outcome for our young people.

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