

School Council Minutes Wednesday 21st October 2015

Staff: Miss Whiteley

Present: Lana (Y1CC), Mya (Y1EC), Faheem (Y1FA), Rhiannon (Y2MS), Kyron (Y2SB), Amber (Y3MC), Daniel (Y3PH), Cheani (Y4CN), Zain (Y4DM), Kaela (Y5AW), Zedekiah (Y5AW), Saffron (Y6MJ), Hamza (Y5/6RK)

1. Welcome

Miss Whiteley welcomed the school council representatives to the first meeting of the year.

2. The Purpose of the School Council

Miss Whiteley talked about why we have a school council and how important the role of the year representative is as the holder is not only an ambassador and a 'voice' for their year but for the whole school.

3. Council Roles

The Council discussed the roles of Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary and Treasurer. Representatives from years 5 and 6 chose to nominate themselves or others for a particular role while other representatives seconded their nomination.

It was decided that Saffron would be Chair, Zedekiah Vice-Chair, Hamza Secretary and Kaela the Treasurer.

Miss Whiteley then talked about the roles of EYFS representative (x2) and Parents/School Governors representative (x2). The council discussed whether we should offer these positions to others that submitted manifestos but were not successful at the voting stage. The Council agreed.

Action:

Miss Whiteley to approach children who were not voted to be School Council representatives and ask if they would like to accept either the role of EYFS representative or Parent/School Governor representative.

4. Fundraising

Miss Whiteley explained to the Council that this year school would be supporting four charities. Each charity would be 'championed' by one of the houses. Each year group should decide on a single charity that they would like to be considered at the next council meeting.

In addition to the four charities, school would continue to support Children in Need and Comic Relief.

Action:

Council Representatives should discuss with their year groups and feedback at the next meeting.

5. <u>AOB</u>

None

Next Meeting Wednesday 11th November