

## **School Council Minutes**

### **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2016**

Staff: Miss Whiteley

Present: Aaya (Y2SB), Gerardas (Y2HS), Joshua (Y2MS), Eloise (Y3DC), Liam (Y3WB), Isaac (Y4DM), Alexia (Y4CC), Yjexh (Y4CC), Kacey (Y5SK), Stefan (Y5SK), Toni (Y6MJ), Deivid (Y6MJ), Abdul (Y6RK), Isobel (Y6RK).

Not present: Stella (Y5LM) and Toby (Y5LM) – project with Mrs Johnston, Lucy (Y1CC) and Declan (Y1EC).

#### **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 4, 5 and 6 chose to nominate themselves or others for a particular role while other representatives seconded their nomination.

It was decided that Abdul would be Chair, Isobel Vice-Chair, Deivid Secretary and Stefan the Treasurer.

Miss Whiteley then talked about the roles of EYFS (Early Years Foundation Stage) representative (x2) and Parents/School Governors representative (x2). The council discussed who would like to hold these positions. Toni, Yjesh and Alexia all volunteered to be EYFS representatives while Isaac and Kacey opted to take on the responsibility of being the representatives for Parents and the School Governors.

***Action: Miss Whiteley asked for all school council representatives to ask their classes if there is anything that they would like raised at the next meeting.***

#### 4. AOB

##### Leeds Youth Voice Summit

Miss Whiteley talked to the council members about the Leeds Youth Voice Summit that she had attended the day before (20<sup>th</sup> September) with four school council representatives from the previous year, Jai'von, Brikena, Simrath and Zain. The council were informed that the children that had attended the summit would be attending the next meeting to tell everyone about it.

***Next Meeting Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September***