

School Council Minutes 2023-2024

Date: 01.05.24

Present:

Sparrow (trip)	Kingfisher	Eagle	Starling
Osprey (PGL)	Mallard	Kestrel	Hawk

Item	Discussion
Summer 1 Feedback	<p><i>What is going well in the term so far?</i></p> <p>Year 3 – There has been improvement in the spelling test scores because we have all be practising them in class.</p> <p>Year 4 – Year 4 are making good progress in lessons. We are enjoying the learning, particularly in History and Literacy.</p> <p>Year 6 – Since the kindness agenda, I have seen this in action in the playground. Children are being more considerate of others.</p> <p>Year 6 – Year 6 are doing lots of hard work and preparation for SATS. Everyone is doing really well with the practise papers.</p> <p>Year 6 – The Eid Festival organised by FOS was great fun with lots of families participating.</p> <p><i>How are the class council sessions being run in class?</i></p> <p>Year 4 – Children are becoming more comfortable with sharing their ideas in class council. There's more participation.</p> <p>Year 4 – We use sticky notes for children that feel less comfortable sharing in class.</p> <p>Year 5 – Everyone has been respectful during class council sessions. Children have been listening well to each other and putting their hands up.</p> <p>Year 6 – Children are engaged with the class council sessions. The wellbeing exercises are helping children with their concentration during these sessions.</p>
Feedback from class council	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Home reading diaries</u></p> <p><i>How has your reading diary improved since Autumn Term?</i></p> <p>Year 4 – Lots of children in Year 4 are making sure that their reading diaries are signed every day.</p> <p>Year 6 – If children forget to complete their diary, they ensure that they have it completed the next day. I have noticed that more children are signing their reading diaries.</p> <p><i>What part of your reading diary are you most proud of?</i></p> <p>Year 5 – I am proud of how effectively I write when I make comments in my diary about what I'm reading.</p> <p>Year 4 – I am proud because I have been working hard on signing my reading diary more regularly.</p> <p>Year 3 – I am proud because I read with my parents every week and they sign my diary.</p> <p>Year 6 - I have been making sure that I have been writing in full sentences, using vocabulary from the text and referencing page numbers when signing my diary.</p> <p>Year 6 – I am proud because I can select quotes from the text and evidence this in my reading diary.</p> <p><i>What tips can you share with your classmates?</i></p> <p>Year 4 – Try and sign the diary every day at home or in school. You should spend 15 minutes reading every day.</p> <p>Year 6 – Before signing your diary, read for at least 15 minutes to increase your interest in the text. This will also help support with other subjects such as Literacy.</p> <p>Year 4 – Read at home as often as you can, this can then be recorded in your diary.</p> <p>Year 5 – You can use the DR stems to help with writing sentences (such as predicting and summarising).</p> <p>Year 3 – Make sure you know what day your home reading is being changed in class so you can ensure your diary is ready for this.</p>

<p>Class council competition</p>	<p><u>Creative writing competition</u></p> <p>Year 3 – Year 3 children are very excited for the competition. Lots of children have entered already, especially after we had a discussion about it.</p> <p>Year 6 – Lots of children are interested in writing with many liking the theme. Some children worried that they may go over the word limit (can have an extra 50 words in needed!).</p> <p><i>How can we raise the profile of this competition?</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Discuss in assembly. - School council to speak to entire class at the end of the day. - Posters to go on classroom doors. <p>Prizes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Gift card. - Book marks.
<p>Fundraiser</p>	<p>Cake sale in Summer 2 – Miss Lodge to confirm dates.</p>
<p>Future agendas</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Families week. - Saving water (links with the saving water poster competition). - Summer activities.