

School Council Minutes

Wednesday 26th February 2025

Attendance					
Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Adults
Owl:	Sparrow: Reef Zion	Eagle: Aidan Ayana	Osprey: CJ Hassan	Hawk: Enzo Niah	Ms Todesco
Swift:	Kingfisher: Oscar Jerrica	Starling: Lowand Myla-Marie	Mallard: Laeth Jahlanah	Kestrel: Angelescia Taha	

Agenda Items:

Item	Discussion	Action
Actions	<p>We discussed actions from the previous week.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Year 6 had students who helped promote the enterprise fayre and sell items on stalls, for all classes from EYFS to Year 6. - Year 2 won a prize as a result of being the winners of Work and Enterprise Week. 	

<p>Internet Safety Day</p>	<p>This week, we discussed Internet Safety Day.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Year 3 use the internet to help with learning, such as Timetables Rockstars. Year 4 also use the internet for Hit the Button and Purple Mash. - Year 5 spoke about using Google and other web searches to aid in creating their holiday homework projects, such as for the Vikings and natural resources. - Students also use the internet for online games, watching shows, talking to family and friends and researching things to learn more. - Year 4 have suggested using a timer on their phone to reduce the use of screens. - Year 6 suggested going to the library in order to 'disconnect to reconnect.' Year 3 also thought about drawing, as well as arts and crafts and sports. - If something looks 'too good to be true online,' students said we should block the person, search them up to see if they've scammed others, turn the device off, tell a trusted adult, and ignore the scam. - The students discussed ways to protect themselves online: Year 6 suggested using trusted websites, to not talk to and ignore strangers. Year 5 suggested changing passwords regularly and reporting people who could be scammers or strangers. 	<p>SC to lead 'disconnect to reconnect' games during wet play.</p>
<p>Children's Mental Health Awareness Week</p>	<p>We also discussed the importance of children's mental health:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The students discussed that in order to look after your mental health, you need to drink regularly and eat well. Year 3 also suggested going out for daily walks (this will help us to disconnect). Year 5 thought about waking up early to exercise and play sports. - Students discussed the importance of physical health helping to support mental health and that you shouldn't ignore sad or negative feelings as it will affect you. - Expressing yourself is important because if you don't, it might make you depressed. It's also important to express yourself so you can gain confidence. - Year 3 would speak to their family to express themselves as they are the ones who understand them the most. Year 5 would speak to their parents or adults about any concerns because they can support you. Year 4 would also express their feelings to friends because sharing a problem makes you feel less worried. 	<p>SC to remind classes about the importance of mental health and share advice about how to improve it.</p>
<p>AOB:</p> <p>Students would like to have more clubs, including netball, rugby, film, reading, drama, etc.</p> <p>Students would also like to play a wider variety of games in afterschool club like heads down, thumbs up.</p> <p>Next Meeting: 12/03</p> <p>Focus: Friendship</p>		