

School Council Minutes
27.01.2020

Items discussed:

- Mrs Gathercole would like to know what new equipment the children would like for the school playground.
- Whether we felt the topic per half term implemented this year was working. Children felt that they would rather do a topic a term as it is too rushed and you don't get to learn as much as you would like.
- Lots of children have told the school councillors that they would like to do Burnham's Got Talent again this year.
- Year 6 would like a Nerf Gun fight instead of a water fight at the end of the year.
- School council would like to do another fundraising event and suggested a pyjama day or a crazy hair day.
- We discussed the noise level in the hall and how to reduce it. The children thought that maybe there could be a reward or a trophy for the quietest table in the hall each day.
- We discussed ways to improve attendance at school. The children suggested a raffle system, so for every week you get 100% attendance your name goes in the pot. At the end of the year, the ten names pulled out get a trip. They also thought you could do more in class e.g. the children with 100% attendance for the term get a treat afternoon such as watching a movie or playing games.
- The children said there is an issue on the top playground with children kicking balls.
- MJ suggested there could be ballot for good behaviour/work where your name goes in a hat and each week a name gets drawn out for a prize.

Actions:

- School councillors to discuss equipment in a class meeting and feed back at the next meeting.
- JC to feed back to teachers and Mrs Stroulger about the termly topic idea.
- JC to speak to teachers and Mrs Gathercole about Burnham's Got Talent.
- JC to talk to Mrs Stroulger about the Nerf Gun fight idea.
- JC to discuss the fundraising with FOBs and Mrs Stroulger to choose a day.
- Feed back to Ms Davidson and Mrs Stroulger about the lunch hall ideas.
- Discuss the attendance ideas with Mrs Stroulger.
- JC to go round each class and remind the children about not kicking balls.
- Discuss the ballot for good behaviour/work with Mrs Stroulger.