The Firs Lower School School Council 2023-2024



Meeting 4- 14/3/24

Minutes

1) Minutes of previous meeting

Mr Campbell showed us the minutes from the last meeting. They have been given to the teachers and put on the website.

2) Football Code

The Football Code has been put up around the school and in the classrooms.

- 3) Healthy Eating
 - Healthy snacks at playtime we looked at the poster we are going to have in each class and in the corridors. It is like the letter that will go home to parents before Easter.
 - The posers are to remind us to have a healthy snack at playtime.
 - Birthdays update -we talked about moving away from giving out sweets when it is someone's birthday, which we had talked about last time. We had some ideas about how the birthdays could be celebrated differently - at the end of the day the person gets golden time, give a balloon, a birthday picture could go up of the person whose birthday it is, a special colouring sheet could be given to them, they could get to sit where they want to sit, they could get a special sticker, everyone could sing happy birthday to them and they could even be the TA for the day!
 - Other ideas to promote healthy eating One treat food one day one healthy one day and keep swapping was one suggestion
- 4) Class Council Meetings
 - Beech could we have lunches outside in KS1 in the summer like KS2 packed lunch children do? Coils we have an area for reading outside in KS1 in the summer?
 - Cedar could we have stress balls for people if they are feeling angry and maybe a calm place to go? Could we have a digging area or pit? Could we have a referee from KS2 to help us stick to the Football Code? Coils we have more football goals and more skipping ropes? (We discussed needing to look after them better).

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- Elm- Could we have better quality pencils please, they keep breaking when we sharpen them.
- Hazel Could we have cut up apples at lunchtime.
- Willow no meeting this time.
- Oak We want to make sure we stop clogging toilets in the girls and we think KS1 should be able to eat on the field (picnic blankets ?!)
- 5) The Firs Way
 - We did not have time to get to this and so we will need to talk about it next time.
 - We want to talk about what the Firs Way means to us and how we can we follow The Firs Way at playtime
 - We wou;d like to invite Ms Gamble to the next SC meeting to talk to us about it and what we can do to support The Firs Way.