

ACADEMY COUNCIL

April 2018

Welcome to our first Academy Council Newsletter.

Meet the team:



Head Girl: Brooke



Head Boy: Denis



Maxym (Y3)



Louisa (Y4)



Kaiden (Y5)



Milly (Y5)



Thomas (Y4)



Viktorija (Y3)



Tiara-Jaid (RB)



Jacob (Y1)



Lily-Anna (Y2)



Harvey (Y2)



Maja (Y1)



Mikey (RB)

Our First Meeting – April 20th 2018.

We had a very successful first meeting together. Our first job was to get to know each other so we introduced ourselves. We had lots to talk about and we were all bursting with ideas to continue to improve our Academy for all our children.

AGENDA: IMPRESS.

1. IMPRESS - we discussed the characteristics and values for IMPRESS (integrity, manners, pride, respect, encourage, succeed and spirit). We discussed the meaning of each of the words and reminded ourselves that as Academy Council members we must ensure our class members understand the meanings as well as how we demonstrate these in all that we do.

2. Choosing Committee Members.

It was decided that we would have two committees. One committee is called the 'Impress Committee' and is responsible for behaviour and safety around the Academy. This will include e-safety and we are looking to work towards becoming e-cadets. This committee will be led by Brooke and will include Thomas, Harvey, Tiara-Jaid and Mikey.

Our other committee is called 'Outdoor Learning Committee' and will be leading the Academy to achieve the 'Outside the Classroom' Bronze Award. This committee will be led by Denis and will include Kaden, Milly, Viktorija, Maxym, Maja, Jacob, Louisa and Lily-Anna.

3. Fundraising.

The Academy Council agreed to achieve the Outside the Classroom Bronze Award that they needed to raise some money to support the actions needed. Two ideas were voted in.

1. Sunflower growing competition. £1 for each pack of sunflowers, entry to the competition and instructions on how to plant. Please send money in with your child if you would like to enter.
2. Garden mufti day—May 24th—all children to dress as something that you would find in a garden e.g. flowers, vegetables, garden gnomes - you choose!

Monday 23rd April.

The Council were keen to get started on the sunflower competition. Envelopes were quickly filled with three seeds, labels placed on the envelopes and posters placed around the school.



Sunflower seeds will go on sale from lunchtime Wednesday 25th April. They will be sold every lunchtime until Thursday 3rd May. Please support the Council. Seeds cost £1 and have full instructions of the competition rules. We look forward to seeing your sunflower grow. A prize will be awarded for the tallest sunflower - end date to be shared.