



## ***Nutfield Church (C of E) Primary School***

### **Minutes of Pupil Parliament**

**Present:** Miss Woods, Miles and Evie R (Y1) , Edith and Raye (Y2), Phoebe and Amy (Y3), Jamie and Rosaleen (Y4), Evie and Harry H (Y5) and Leo and Lennon (Y6)

**Minutes taken by:** Miss Woods (with support notes from Charlotte and Phoebe)

**Date of Meeting:** Friday 30th November

Welcome and introductions were made.

### **Item 1: Large Wooden Play Equipment**

We talked about what we want to do in Pupil Parliament.

We shared our ideas and Miss Woods wrote them down.

We thought about:

The play equipment that is old in the playground (the big slide and the trim trail).

Can we raise money to get new ones?

Does everyone in school want to raise money for this?

How can we find out?

### **Action:**

We decided to create a questionnaire to ask questions about this at our next Phase Collective Worship (Thursday 6th October) Lennon and Leo (Y6) will make this with their teacher's help.

## **Item 2: Equality**

Miss Woods explained the Equality plan that the Governors are supporting. She also told Pupil Parliament about Year 5's Equality Ambassadors' Research and termly Equality Summits to be held this year.

Pupil Parliament discussed how people feel when they come to the school.

We thought about:

How people from all religious faith backgrounds and who belong to no faith in particular feel

How people from all cultures and races feel

How disabled people might feel - there was an extended discussion about wheel chairs and how children in wheelchairs would be able to join in everything

How people from different family structures may feel - there was an extended discussion amongst the older members about making sure everyone knew it was good to be different.

Lennon suggested we did a poster competition - 'Equal but Different' to represent different people 'to make sure everyone felt welcomed and safe' when they join the school. Miss Woods and the rest of the Parliament thought this was a really good idea. Miss Woods suggested she could advertise it in her Head teacher's newsletter and give a deadline for after half term with posters to be judged by the Parliament and prizes to be given out in Collective worship. The Parliament agreed.

Miss Woods reminded everyone about the Pupils' Peacemakers' Charter. She will check teachers have shared with their classes.

### **Actions:**

Pupil Parliament will read and check the Peacemakers' Charter at the next meeting.

Miss Woods to tell parents and carers about the Pupil Parliament Poster Competition (to include information about

1 - The reason for the poster competition

2- The deadline for posters to be handed in

3-When the competition will be judged

4-When the winners will be announced.

5- Miss Woods will think about suitable prizes for winning children.

6-Equality posters to be judged in the next meeting (3<sup>rd</sup> November 2022)

**Item 3: Where will we share our ideas/photos?**

Pupil Parliament went to look at the Pupil Parliament Board to see what they would like displayed.

They agreed to display:

Their photos (Miss Woods will share these on the website and will check photo permissions first)

The Peacemakers' Charter

Any minutes from meetings

**Action:** Miss Woods will arrange for Tony to take photos on Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October at 10.45am.

Date of next meeting: Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2pm – Southwark Room