

**Broad Heath Primary School
School Council Agenda**



School Council Meeting:

Date: Tuesday 4th February 2020 at 12.30pm

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Years 5 and 6 – All children present but all of year 5 did not go through their agenda with classes.

Minutes:

1. Did the visitors from the Poverty Action Group speak to your class and what did you learn from them?

- They shared that many children and parents cannot afford trips. As Councillors, we discussed how BH supports all children and parents and all trips are subsidised. Councillors agreed this was good.
- A lot of people are different and may not afford things – children appreciated this.
- Yes everyone was spoken too. There are many people living in poverty in the UK. Poverty is not only measured by money but by lack of food and lack of clothes.
- We discussed that we would treat people the same despite differences.

2. We will be having a have Music week. What learning activities would you like to see happening?

- Playing musical instruments. (Shared this should be happening)
- Can we focus on musical genres such as rap and hip hop.
- Write our own songs with music. (Shared this should be happening)
- Make our own musical instruments. (Shared this should be happening)
- Create some art work linked to music week. (Shared this should be happening)
- More use of ICT would be good e.g. Ipads, VR headsets. (Shared this should be happening)

3. We will be having a have Science week. What learning activities would you like to see happening?

- Make our own volcano linked to our topic work.

- Have a variety of scientific experiments. Children to have more 'hands on' experiences. (Shared this should be happening)
- Create our own scientific experiment e.g. based on forces
- Can we have scientists talk to us and/or carryout experiments?
- Children to carryout more investigations from start to the beginning. (Shared this should be happening)

4. Discuss class Councillor roles. How are these going? Any problems? Next steps?

MP to meet councilor individually to discuss. Will start meeting everyone from the end of week 5.

5. How does BH give you the opportunities to succeed in life? An Ofsted question!

- Learning new skills and knowledge to help in secondary schools/jobs.
- Help us become resilient by completing challenges and pushing ourselves.
- Understanding what is right and wrong.
- Help us to persevere in difficult situations.
- Aspire to have a good job by working hard in our education.
- Being able to work in a team.
- Project weeks and clubs helps us to learn more skills e.g. sport, reading etc.

6. AOB:

Teachers to support Councillors to ensure agendas are being discussed with classes.
All Councillors to ensure minutes are shared with their classes.

These minutes to be shared with the school's music and science leaders to ensure 'practical' learning is happening.