

**Broad Heath Primary School
School Council Agenda**



School Council Meeting:

Date: 21st September 2021@12.30

Years 2, 3 and 4 Meeting

Present:

Staff-Mrs Raja-Khan

Year 2- Hamza, Havin, Adrian, Raesa, Emil and Toleen

Year 3-Bethany, Rehyan, Yoshita, Ahmed, Hamsia and Aaron

Year 4-Awais, Hanfaa, Kamil, Zahra, Kitan and Sania

Agenda:

1. How was your first week back at school been? How do you feel at school after the lockdown? Do you feel safe?

Year 2

2R- Were all a bit nervous but we had good week. Most of the children really enjoyed swimming. Hamza was happy to come back to school and see his friends. All the other children agreed.

2W- Almost all children said that they were pleased to be back. A couple of children said they wanted to sleep and not come to school. We talked about how they should have a growth mindset.

One child shared that she doesn't feel safe because she and her friends fight and we will be addressing that!

2B-Children shared it is good to be back and school and see our friends and do good work. It is fun! Everyone showed a thumbs up to say they feel safe.

Year 3

3R-Children are happy to be back.

3W-It was good.

3B-We all enjoyed our first week at school. We liked getting to know the new adults. As the week developed more felt happy about being at school after lockdown. Most of the children feel safe a couple of children were worried about getting sick.

Year 4

4R-Brilliant because it was good fun. They enjoyed working in teams within the first week. The children feel happy to not be in a lockdown. One child expressed a concern at not feeling safe because people in the school might have Covid – one expressed a like for remaining in bubbles. On the whole, the children said that they feel safe.

4W-Children shared they feel confident and safe because all classmates were around. They feel happy coming back to school. They also shared that they feel excited because “School is my favourite place.”

4B-First week back was great. They feel happy to be back and feel very excited. 27/29 present felt safe (Mrs Latham will speak to the 2 who are not feeling the safe).

My response: We are so glad to see you all back and happy.

JF's response: Great- we want a happy, safe school.

2. What did you enjoy about Project Week?

Year 2

2R-Enjoyed learning about each other and helping each other. The children enjoyed making their self-portraits and talking about helping friends. Mya particularly enjoyed this.

2W-The project week was a success. Yasmin loved the art work and lots agreed. Ebnezer loved the maths challenges. Adrian liked the new songs we learnt.

2B- The art, painting their portraits and making rainbow portraits. Using the magnetic letters. Listening to music and making flags.

Year 3

3R-Fun, happy and excited with the learning.

3W-Enjoyed it we liked singing we liked doing art work

3B-Enjoyed covering lots of different lessons, really enjoyed art especially drawing the dragon's eye.

Year 4

4R-Learning about how we are unique. Loved this is me project week because it showed 'me' that you can be confident with the person that you are.

4W-Children shared they had something new to do which was fun to learn about. They enjoyed project week because they did new and exciting things and it had lots of different activities.

4B-Children shared that they liked painting, doing art and the maths aspect of the week.

My response: It sounds (and looked) as though this was another successful project week!

JF's response: I saw some quality work which made me smile. Some children need to remember that handwriting and presentation are VERY IMPORTANT.

- 3. Broad Heath Buddies.** Each week you need to choose someone in your class who has given lots to your class team- make sure you choose people who follow the rules and our school values.

My response: The buddies should always wear their special hi-vis vests and be available for those who need a friend to talk to or play a game with.

JF's response: Great to see so many great BH citizens

- 4. Have you responded to the BV blog by Mrs Frankish?**

Year 2

2R-Will start this.

2W- We have done the first week on respect but this Friday was a bit strange because of members of staff being out.

2B-Yes

Year 3

3R-Yes, we aim to complete this blog weekly either as a class or in our table groups.

3W-We have been doing this.

3B-Respond as a class each Friday.

Year 4

4R- Most children have responded in week one and some have done week two this morning.

4W-Not everyone has for the most recent blog. Everyone did the first one.

4B-Yes they did it as a class. They even visited the values wall in year 6!

My response: These are thought provoking blogs and help us to develop our values and sense of community both local and wider.

JF's response: Well done to all those that do the blogs.

- 5. Discuss there are no handshakes but 'thumbs up'. Remember we can still welcome visitors.**

Year 2

2R-Shared and discussed as a class.

2W-Do an elbow touch at the end of the day. The majority of children want that to continue.

2B-Think it is a good idea to do thumbs up for visitors.

Year 3

3R-Like the thumbs up.

3W-We discussed smiling, waving and thumbs up.

3B-3 Blue school council have worked really hard to welcome visitors when they come into the classroom.

Year 4

4R- We like the elbow pump and thumbs up is always positive.

4W-All happy with thumbs up.

4B-Shared and discussed as a class.

My response: It is sad that our handshakes are not possible at the moment but we can still show respect and acknowledge anyone who enters our school.

JF's response: Can't wait until we can shake hands again but a thumbs up and a smile is nice too!

AOB:

A child asked why there are visitors going around the school looking at the various structures.

My response: We are extremely lucky to be having some more new equipment in our school. Keep an eye open for updates!

JF's response: Work starts on the 30th September and Year 1 and 2 will have new climbing frames/play equipment.