



The School Council



Date : 10th January 2024

Council members present:- Tillie-Mae, Thomas, Katie, Havva, Esmae, Chance, Blossom

Apologies : Maddison, Summer, Hope

Agenda :

1. **Minutes from last meeting** The minutes were accepted as a true record and Havva signed them.
2. **Matters arising** The badges are ready! Councillors were given their new Council Badge and asked to wear it with pride.
3. **Issues on our mind – in school, in the local community or worldwide. Make a mind map on a big piece of paper** Issues included ...
 - Litter
 - The wars in Gaza and Ukraine
 - Dog fouling
 - Healthy Snacks in school
 - The Vending Machine
 - Vaping and smoking
 - Climate change
 - Devastation caused by earthquakes
 - The school library
 - Foster Care
4. **ICT Suite – research** We went to the ICT suite and researched facts about our identified issue. We were able to report back to Miss Adams about what we had found out.
5. **So what can be done?** We didn't get much time, but Mrs Mills was clear that there are lots of worrying things happening in the world and we can't necessarily stop them from happening, but we can care and we can try to support. We looked at the possibility of starting ***The Archbishops Young Leaders Award***. The Church of England believes that children who care and want to help people, will grow up into adults who care and want to make the world a better place. Councillors voted that Mrs Mills should speak to Mrs Page to see if school can pay for us to do the award.
6. **Any other business** There was no AOB today
7. **Closing Prayer** Esmae closed the meeting with a prayer.