



# School Council



# What Is Pupil Voice?

Pupil Voice provides an opportunity for learners to play an active role in decisions affecting them. They can plan and review the actions taken, as well as taking responsibility for how these actions will happen.



One way we are going to use Pupil Voice in our school is to appoint members of the **School Council**.



# Meadow High Appointees

- Every form usually has a School Counselor and a Sports Counselor

However, this year we are changing to every form having a;

- School Counselor
- Vice Counselor

With this new change we are hoping each meeting will be more meaningful and have a bigger impact



# School Council

We will be continuing our School Council. This group of children will meet once every half-term.

At these meetings, they will have the chance to discuss and implement ideas that could help improve the school. These might be problems that need to be solved or new ideas. Members of the School Council will be responsible for implementing ideas that have been agreed at the meetings.

To get an overview of what is going on around the school, School Council members will have the chance to ask all the children in their class their opinions about what is to be discussed at the next meeting.



# What will the School Council do?

- School tours for visitors.
- Be ambassadors for the school at important events.
- Identify what your class thinks about issues and give feedback at meetings.
- Improve parts of the school that are a priority.
- Help organise events.
- Decide on action points for improvements.



**What improvements would you like to make?**

# What Next?

If this is something you would like to be part of, let your teacher know. You may be asked to complete a manifesto and your class will have the chance to elect you.

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Use this manifesto document to detail the reasons you think you would be successful in the role and list your priorities for improvement around the school.

Remember: people will be voting for your manifesto, not for you, so keep your identity a secret!

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# What Qualities Would a School Councillor Need?

- Commitment to the school
- Approachable
- Friendly
- Able to communicate well with children and adults
- Have initiative
- Be a good listener



# How Can We Improve Our School?





# School Council in Action!

I would like to help organise events for our community.

Can we do more learning with other classes?

We should have children leading some assemblies.

I would like more equipment for PE lessons.



**School Council can help!**

**Any Questions?**





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