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Pupil Parliament elections

Dear Families,

We are thrilled to announce the relaunch of our **Pupil Parliament** this year, opening up the opportunity for all **children in Years 1 to 5** to apply! This is an exciting chance for our students to take an active role in shaping school events and changes, giving them a voice in decisions that impact their day-to-day school life.

So, what does being part of the Pupil Parliament involve?

- **Regular Meetings:** Pupil Parliament members will meet with Miss Dale and Mrs Van Straaten **half-termly**, or sometimes more frequently, to discuss ideas and suggestions.
- **Gathering Class Feedback:** Members will gather their classmates' thoughts and opinions on events, changes or initiatives the school is planning.
- **Event Planning and Leadership:** The group will take on the responsibility of planning and running events across the school. In the past, this has included activities such as a politeness campaign and a healthy eating focus week.
- **Sharing Updates:** Members will also be expected to report back to their class after each meeting, keeping everyone in the loop.

To be part of this exciting opportunity, applicants should be confident speaking in front of groups, trustworthy, a good listener, and a positive role model. Most importantly, they should be passionate about making a real difference in our school community.

How can your child apply?

To apply for this role, **children** will need to **write a short speech** explaining why they would be a great Member of Parliament for their class. The speeches will be presented during the week of **22nd September** and each teacher will inform their class of the specific date to bring in their speech. After all speeches have been made, children will vote for their class representative and the person with the most votes will be elected as their class's **Pupil Parliament MP**. They will play an important role in leading their year group's discussions and contributing to the overall direction of the Pupil Parliament.

We are looking forward to seeing who our next **MPs** will be and are excited to see the amazing ideas and energy they bring to the Pupil Parliament!

Thank you for your support in encouraging your child to get involved.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Dale
Deputy Headteacher

