



GOLDSBOROUGH and SICKLINGHALL School Council 2022 - 23



Welcome to our new school councillors. They have elected your class representatives as they have pledged to work hard to make the school a better place.

SICKLINGHALL

Present (Who is at the meeting?)

Y6: ✓✓✓ Y5: ✓✓ Y4: ✓✓ Y3: ✓✓ Y2: ✓✓✓

MINUTES for: 09.05.23

This is what we discussed and the decisions we made during our meeting:



1. 20's plenty



20's Plenty for Us

...making your place a better place to be

We all signed our letter and finished posters which have now gone off to Mr Paraskos, our local Councillor to ask him for support with our 20's Plenty campaign. Mr Paraskos has received our letter and we are expecting a response very soon.

Please help us by reminding your families to drive at no more than 20mph when they are driving through the village 😊

2. Green Schools

Our next project will be making school a greener place. We will be creating posters around school to remind children and staff to turn out lights, recycle and not waste paper.

- Planted more trees
- Use less plastics
- Litter picks
- Laminating – how much are we laminating
- Where is our paper coming from? Can we buy more eco-friendly paper?
- Eco afternoon – educating children and families
- Eco-monitors
- Garden monitors
- Invite in the local authority
- Wooden rulers
- No littering
- Lights off when rooms aren't in use
- Recycling paper

- Reduce waste from printing
- Tissue waste from drying hands
- Plastics recycling bin
- Eco-day

Do you have any other ideas?

Eco – monitors – 2 per class

Responsibilities:

- checking that lights are off when there is no-one in the classroom
- checking taps are off when not in use,
- reminding others not to use too many paper towels,
- check that the recycling bags have been emptied,
- check the playground after breaktime to make sure no snack wrappers have been left,
- write letters to the local council to ask for support with recycling as a school.

Who would like to be our class eco monitor?

3.

Suggestions box:

- Sicklinghall's Got Talent – Ella has suggested that Mrs Johnson-Ware could support with this and will speak to her personally.
- Raising money ideas
- Healthy Lunches – We have created a school food policy which should be followed by everyone. School Dinners are based on national guidance for healthy meals.
- Planner page for house points
- Pen Licence in Year 3 and 4 – Milo to discuss with Mrs Ellis
- Manga books – Fraser, Noah and Oscar to speak to Mrs Richards about suitable titles

Notices:

- **Staff and children spend a great deal of time and effort making the school look attractive with displays. At the moment, children are taking blu-tac from displays which is causing them to fall apart. This is very disappointing as it is making our school look untidy and waiting staff time as they are constantly having to repair displays. Please stop this and report it to an adult if you see it.**
- **Please remember that your name and class must be added to your suggestion so that we know who the super suggestions have come from and which class they belong to.**

Thank you,

