

Date: 20th July 2022

Apologies: n/a



MEETING 4:

ITEMS for discussion:

- 1. Review of the school year
 - a) What has gone well?
 - b) What do we need to improve?
- 2. Resourcing Playtimes
- 3. A.O.B

1. Review of the school year

What has gone well?

Arthur - lessons have gone well, learning in class is very good.

Camille - Consistency in teaching. Year 5/6 are happy that as this has helped with everyone's learning.

Art - more variety and breadth. The new curriculum has made learning more enjoyable.

What do we need to do to improve?

Sam - more Golden Time - as we spend the week hard at work doing loads of learning. I think on a Friday we should have more time to kick back & relax.

Camille - fix issues with the playground (Mr. Paton informed School Council members that this would be taking place over the summer months so that the playground is a more welcoming place for all).

Sam - more playground equipment so that all children have something to do.

Rowan - Hop Scotch or similar like we have in the front yard.

Art - snack stall at playtime for the older kids, the infants have their fruit.

Camille & Art - a board over the hole in the wall leading to the river at the far right of the yard. Balls get lost all the time as they go through the hole.

2. Resourcing

School Council were asked about improvements they felt were needed at playtimes, so that all children were able to engage in purposeful activities; we spoke about the need to make sure that all children were catered for, some enjoy physical activity every play, others sometimes want a quiet area to read, play board games or cards.

The School plan to purchase two, sturdy, storage boxes for the backyard (similar to the one in the front yard) in which all outdoor resources can be housed. School Council members were asked to feedback to their respective classes and compile a wish-list of items that we can purchase for the next academic year.

3. A.O.B

None

The next meeting will be held at the beginning of October, once School Council Elections have taken place.