



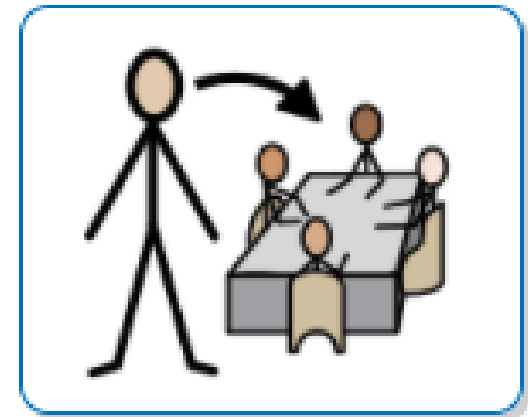
Summerhill Infant School

School Council

What is School Council?



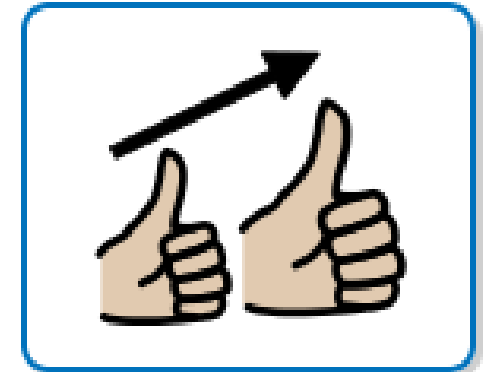
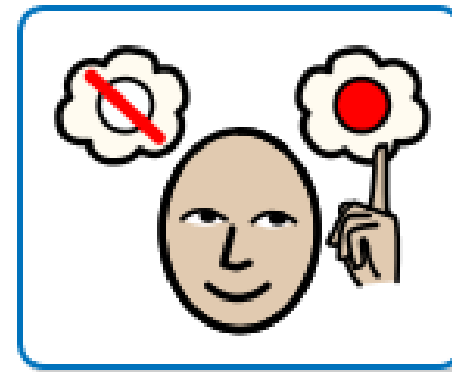
School council is a formal group of pupils who act as representatives for their class in discussing school issues.



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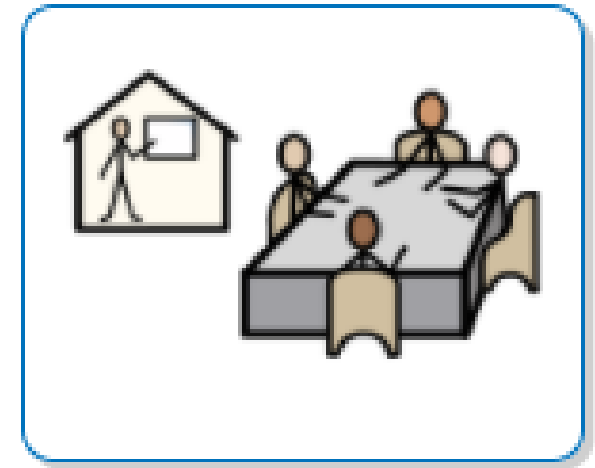
School Council help to make decisions about how school is run and take on projects that support learning and development in our school, such as helping to organise charity events, representing the school in our community or helping to ensure the school is environmentally friendly.



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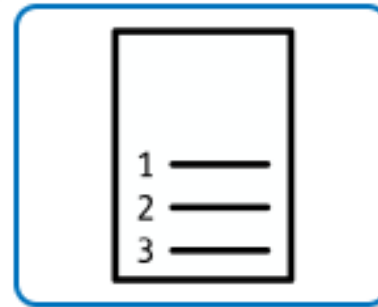
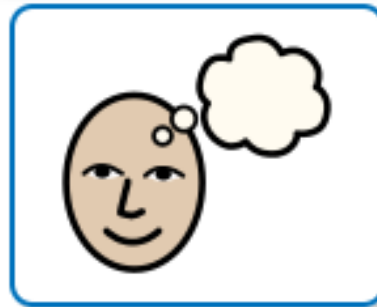
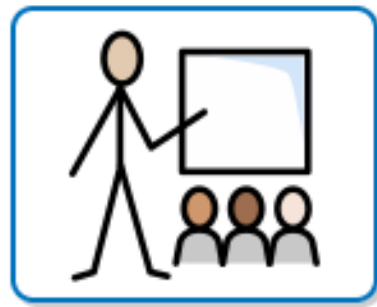
Children in school council will meet regularly with Mrs Foxfield to discuss projects that they are currently working on.



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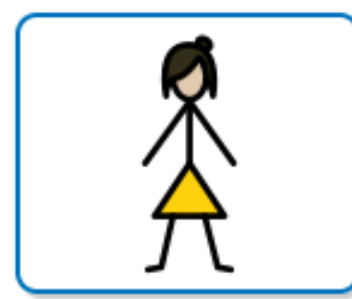
Children in School Council are responsible for getting the views of the children in their class, discussing these ideas with the rest of School Council during meetings, creating an action plan once ideas have been agreed and helping to put these agreed actions into place.



How do I become a School Councillor?



Each year, every class will elect two children to be members of the School Council. Children can choose if they would like to be considered to be a school councillor and each class will vote to decide which two children will be representing their class.

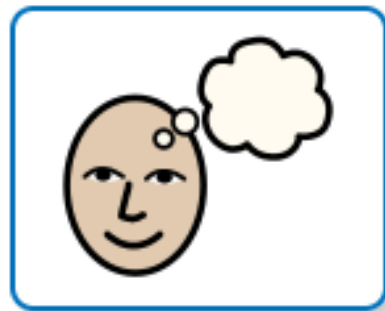


Councillors = 1 boy + 1 girl (per class)

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Over the next week, have a think about whether you are interested in becoming a School Councillor. If you have any questions, use the time you have over the next week to ask your teacher or Mrs Foxfield.



The journey to becoming a school councillor



Step one Week beginning 25/09/23

I will learn about what school council is and how I can become a school councillor.



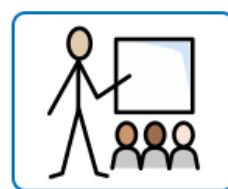
Step two Week beginning 02/10/23

I will learn about the qualities required to be a school councillor. I will let my class teacher know if I would like to be put forward as a candidate for school council.



Step three Week beginning 02/10/23

If interested in becoming a school councillor, I will complete the candidate election form.



Step four Week beginning 02/10/23

If I would like to be considered, I will be given an opportunity to share my views and ideas to my class (using my election form to support me).



Step five Week beginning 02/10/23

My class will vote for their favourite candidate.



Step six Week beginning 02/10/23

My teacher will count the votes and announce which two children are the new school councillors. This will be one boy and one girl per class.



Step seven Week beginning 02/10/23

My class will reflect on the process and we will celebrate the success of our friends as a class team.