

**School Council Constitution**

**Objectives**

* To give pupils the opportunity to be involved in improving school life for everyone.
* For pupils to work as partners with staff, developing a caring school community.
* To involve pupils in solving problems and resolving conflicts.
* Each class will elect a girl and boy to be their representatives. They will serve one year.
* The School Council will be made up of two representatives from each class in
years 1 - 6.
* The School Council will have a chairperson and a vice chairperson, a treasurer and a secretary.
* The School Council will meet regularly, at least every half term for a formal meeting with informal meetings in between.
* The minutes of the meetings will be distributed to classes to make sure everyone knows about the activities of the Council.
* The School Council will make a termly newsletter so parents know about the activities of the Council.

**Responsibilities of Pupil Councillors**

* Class representatives will report back to their class after every school council meeting.
* Class representatives will take issues brought by their class through the suggestions box to the school council.
* They should put across the views of their class, not their own views.
* If a representative misses school council meetings twice in a row without a good reason, the class can choose to elect a new representative.

Signed:

Head of School

Teacher Councillor

School Councillors