



# Eastry Church of England Primary School

Jesus says "Love one another as I love you." John 13:34

## School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: 14<sup>th</sup> January 2025

**Apologies:** Scarlett

**Extra attendee:** Mrs Moss

**Matters discussed:**

- **Welcome and feedback** - It was lovely to all be back together again and we discussed how we have been getting on with our new roles, and some of the questions we have been asked by our class mates.
- **Car parking**- Mrs Moss came to the meeting to talk about the concerns the school has about parking in the area around the school and the potential problem it may have for our safety. We thought about different ideas that we could try which would encourage our grown ups (and others) to be more mindful when parking. We discussed:
  - Using the village hall car park and walking through the alley to school.
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  - Using side streets a bit further from school so as not to cause an obstruction to others.
  - Wearing high vis-jackets at school drop off and pick up time to remind grown-ups of the school and being safe.
  - Creating "Thanks for parking considerately" leaflets to give to grown -ups.
  - Encouraging others to walk to school or use bikes / scooters.
  - Remembering not to park over drive ways or cause obstructions to those living in our area.
  - Speak to our classmates and encourage them to pass the information onto their grown-ups / pester them to walk!
  - Walk as much as possible, it's healthy too!

- **Any other business** – A discussion was had about whether we could get some more balls for the playground sports trolley. These have been ordered.
- **Thank you and focus** – Thanks for all attending. Our next meeting will be thinking about our new school vision, the links to kindness and also to our school's Founder's Day. We will be going to church and would like the school council to play a role in delivering the service.