

# School Council Minutes



Date: 16.1.20

This week we talked about creating a new leadership role of Eco Monitors at Shadwell.

- Year 2 Milly and Ilyas
- ❖ Year 3 Ehsaan & Kitty
- ❖ Year 4 Archie
- ❖ Year 5 Oliver, Casper, Olivia & Grace
- Year 6 Max, Gabriel, Amrit, Dua.
  Apologies Georgia





## **AGENDA**

We are delighted to announce that we raised an amazing £353.51 on our Christmas Jumper Day! We discussed some of the ways that we could use this money to benefit everyone in our school. Some of our ideas were:

Litter pickers

Recycling bins – possibly for milk cartons or plastic

Whiteboard pens and glue sticks for our classrooms – lots of classes are short of these More comfortable chairs, although we know these will be expensive

Mrs Hall will find out the price of all these items and will bring this to the next meeting.

#### 2. Eco-monitors

We would like to find out how much interest there is in becoming an eco-monitor at Shadwell. School Councillors will share these minutes with their classes and ask who would like to volunteer for this role. We discussed the best way to manage these applications as we know some children do not like giving a speech to the class but may be excellent eco-monitors. We decided that the best application process might be a short statement on a postcard, explaining the qualities and skills that would make the applicant a good eco-monitor.

We also discussed the need for a teacher to lead these meetings and when the meetings would be held. We didn't think they should be at break times as this might put children off the role! The meetings could sometimes overlap with School Council meetings but at other times might need to be separate.

### **Actions**

School Councillors to ask the children in their classes to tell them if they would like to be an eco-monitor.

Mrs Hall to provide postcards which the Councillors can give to interested applicants. Councillors should then return these to Mrs Hall to be discussed at our next meeting.

# Thank you for helping to make our school great

Together we make a brilliant school!

Mrs Hall

