Collis Primary School Council Meeting Minutes

Date: Friday, 25th October 2024

Chair: Mr Hogston

Minutes: Miss Steed

Attendees:

- Collis School Council Pupils

What we talked about: How can we make Collis even better?

MUGA (Multi-Use Games Area) – Pupils suggested improvements to the MUGA, including adding more equipment for activities and possibly changing the surface to make it safer and more suitable for various sports.

Mound Day – For the upcoming 'Mound' activities, students proposed splitting sessions across year groups to ensure everyone gets equal access and space to participate fully.

Opportunities to Join Groups – Pupils expressed a desire for more opportunities to be involved in school teams and roles, such as the School Council and Play Team, to help foster leadership and teamwork across the school.

More Litter Pickers – Children suggested increasing the number of litter pickers available around the school grounds to keep the environment tidy and encourage responsibility.

Opening the Wellbeing Room at Lunchtimes – Pupils would like the Wellbeing Room to be available at lunchtimes, providing a calm space for those who need a break from busy playground activities.

Zone Rota for Year Groups – A suggestion was made for a rota system that would allow year groups to rotate through different zones around the school to ensure fair use of all play areas.

Badges for Litter Pickers – Children proposed that litter pickers could be given special badges to recognise their contribution to keeping the school clean and encourage more students to join the effort.

Lunchtime Clubs During Rainy Days – Concerns were raised about lunchtime clubs being cancelled when movies are played in the hall on rainy days, as pupils miss out on their club activities.

Outdoor Area for Reading and Relaxation – The council suggested creating a designated outdoor area with cushions and blankets where students can read or relax during breaks.

Clubs After School Instead of Lunchtime – Pupils expressed interest in moving some clubs to after school hours, allowing them more time to participate without interfering with lunchtime play.

Next meeting: Friday, 8th November 2024

End of meeting:

Mr Hogston thanked everyone for sharing their ideas and closed the meeting.