



Laurance Haines
School

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THE COUNCIL OBSERVER

The role of the School Councillors is to represent their class and gather opinions. They also monitor our playground equipment to make sure all our children are safe when they use it, and that it is put away properly after use.

Our current School Councillors are

Year 1—Lizzie and Hayley

Year 2—Tahlia, Umar and Gracie

Year 3—Marvyn, Max and Gimhara

Year 4—Talitha and Elliot

Year 5—Maheen and Sissi

Year 6—Sophie and Monica

WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT MATHS?

Mr Alexandre is our Maths Co-ordinator in school which means he is responsible for developing our Maths curriculum and resources. One of our priorities this year is to help Mr Alexandre with regular feedback, ideas and tips. We have started by designing a fun questionnaire to find out what children like about Maths. Next Wednesday 13th November, the School Councillors will be conducting a Maths survey amongst their classmates. We hope to let you know the results in our next Observer.

In the meantime if you have any ideas about Maths resources or lessons please speak to your School Councillor.

LOW ROPES ASSAULT COURSE

We started the term with the arrival of our new low ropes assault course in the KS2 playground. Our Councillors' first job was to write the guidelines for using this fantastic equipment;

LOW ROPES GUIDELINES FOR SAFE PLAYING

- ◆ Always start from the beginning.
- ◆ Keep moving on, even if you slip off, move forward.
- ◆ Keep moving clockwise.
- ◆ Always walk around the circuit.
- ◆ When the ground is wet only enter the bank from the sides.
- ◆ The gravel stays on the ground.

To accommodate everyone each class must use it at separate break times, eg. Pine class at morning break, Palm class at afternoon break

At lunchtimes the equipment is fully supervised and children must listen to instructions from the adult that is supervising.



The School Councillors meet on alternate Wednesdays at 12.40 in the Inclusion Room. Councillors—don't forget to have your lunch early. See you at the next meeting on Wednesday 13th November.



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