## **Student Council Meeting Minutes**

## Date: 12/01/24

Attendance: Mia, Alfie, Emma, Zach, Nessa, Iarainn, Talal, Emily, Kaiden, Martha, Alicja,

Luke, Mark, Mia and Ms. Kenny

## **Discussion and Decisions:**

1.Mark read the minutes from the previous meeting.

2. Student Council will continue to make sure everyone has a play buddy on the playground.

3. Ms. Kenny will contact Gyopar and some others to try to start a music club. We also talked about opening a homework club.

4. Luke will write a treasurer's report for the next meeting.

5. We looked at both items we wish to buy (sensory path and communication board) and where to buy them. For the moment we are not purchasing anything. Mark and Ms. Kenny have been looking at new books for our school library. These will be purchased with rewards earned from last year's book fair.

6. Future fundraising ideas were discussed. These include a possible sponsored walk, talent show, bake sale or evening disco.

7. The department of education has brought out new guidelines for parents and parents associations called "Keeping Childhood Smartphone Free". We discussed whether it is important for children to have a mobile phone or not and the possibility of involving the Parent's Association in our conversation to see their thoughts on this.

8. We got a newsletter from the department of education about the school inspector, for children to learn about the inspector's role in our school.

9. We will start a notice board about the student council activities. Ms. Kenny is looking for volunteers to set up and keep the noticeboard up to date.

10. The student council will be operating a year in March; therefore, we will be holding another election on the 7<sup>th</sup> of March. Members of the student council can run for election again. More information on this at the next meeting.

11. The next meeting will be on Tuesday 13th February 2024 at 1pm in Ms. Kenny's room.

Mia Brennan

Emily Rachwald Vice Secretary

Secretary