

Eco Council Meeting – Monday 25th November 2019

Present:

Maisie – Y6 Taylor – Y6
Nevaeh-Rae – Y5 Albie – Y5
Nicole – Y4 Poppi – Y3
Mrs Lee

1. Spoke to the children about Switch Off Fortnite – this should be happening now, but can be done at any point – chn said to do it after Christmas – 2nd and 3rd week in January will be allocated. Chn to go round classes in the 1st week back to let everyone know.
2. I asked chn if there are any projects that they think they should be taking part in currently. They said they are doing to vegetable patch in the allotment garden and that they had arranged to do litter picking on Wednesdays, but then Mrs Royle went off. They will start this Wednesday in the playgrounds on a rota. We will arrange a day where they can litter pick on Cutnook Lane – letter to go out to ask for permission.

Date	Morning break	Dinner time
Wednesday 27 th November	Y6 & Y2	Y6 & Y2
Wednesday 4 th December	Y5 & Y4	Y5 & Y3
Wednesday 11 th December	Y4 & Y6	Y4 & Y6
Wednesday 18 th	Y5 & Y4	Y5 & Y3

Ideas for further projects.

1. Nevaeh suggested that the children would like the correct coloured bins for the playground (and the hall for wet play) so that they can correctly recycle their rubbish etc.
2. Albie would like us to find an alternative to using glitter as it is made out of tiny plastic and it gets into the oceans which is then harmful to the sea creatures.
3. A long term project – collect plastic bottle lids (as these are non-recyclable) of all different colours which can then be made into an art display – the children liked the idea of either a tree or a cross for Easter. We will send out the letter for this next

week and the children will go around on a Friday to check for donations. The lids can be stored in Mrs Lee's classroom for the time being.

4. Clothes recycling – Mrs Lee told the children about a scheme where you can get bags delivered to school for the children to fill with unwanted clothes and then return them to school to be collected. They thought this was a good idea.

Next steps for Mrs Lee & the children:

1. Mrs Lee to look into a company for the clothes recycling
2. Letter to be sent regarding a date for the Cutnook Lane litter pick
3. Letter to be sent requesting that people save bottle lids
4. Get recording grids ready for the Switch Off Fortnite