**School Council Minutes**

**Tue 24/01/23**

The School Council had its first meeting of the 2023 today. Mrs Hunter was a welcome guest and made some fabulous contributions which will benefit all the classes.

* Councillors were happy to see the re-introduction of play equipment at lunch time. Mrs Hunter has kindly notified the council that she will be purchasing additional equipment for lunchtimes. We will be getting chalk, bubbles, dancing ribbons, building blocks, basketballs and ankle skipping ropes. She also asked councillors to go back to their classes and ask for ideas about anything else that she could buy. The playground in Ashleigh will be divided into 4 areas and each class will rotate through each section.
* Anna asked about any ‘Eco’ issues in the school. The Yr. 6’s are entering a UK wide competition about trying to make our schools have a zero-carbon footprint. Council will investigate this and possibly look to have a campaign where we in St. Bride’s can take active steps to reduce our carbon output.
* Matthew requested more Geography in WAU in our curriculum.
* Joe asked about upgrading the class libraries in terms of stock (new books) and new bookcases that can hold all the books. He thinks if we do this they will be better presented and therefore attractive to look at which in turn means they will be used more often, and students would respect and take more care of the books.

**Remember the school council is your voice. Talk to your councillor about any issues you think should be raised.**

**The next meeting will be on Tue 21st Feb at 10:00 am in the music mobile.**