

Parent Council meeting –April 16

6 parents attended

1. Update on previous minutes.

Mrs Sankey went through some previous queries raised in the last meeting.

2. Handwriting – Discussion on how this is a limiting judgement at the end of key stage 2. Discussion how this needs to be an important skill from an early age and how parents can support this at home. Handwriting will be on the 2016-7 school improvement plan.
3. RE NEW Curriculum – discussed the over view and the expectations of the new units of work. Discussed school visits and visitors to inform children of the different religions. Parents agreed this was important for their children.
4. School Improvement plan – Mrs Sankey went through the main priorities for the 2016-7 plan which included; embedding new assessment procedures/ new curriculum, continuing all the good work with healthy school and sports awards, the hope is to get gold in both (25% of the school profile shows children to be obese), the new build including a cookery space, working towards Artsmark gold/ Platinum, maths calculation methods and as discussed handwriting/ RE.
5. Parents were asked if there were other areas they wanted to discuss but all were happy with the school and what we were trying to achieve.