

Minutes from Rights Respecting School Steering Committee

10th November 2016

1:00pm at North Petherwin Primary School

Present: Becky Johns, Jo-Anne Callow, Amy Sharpe, Carol Tyzack, Olivia, Keira W, Esme, Rosie, Reece

Apologies: Nick Taylor, Emily Jones, Harry,

- 1) Welcome – Everybody introduced themselves to the group
- 2) Update on progress with RRSA – steering group to meet every half term (alternate schools) Hoping to gain level 2 by the end of this year. Criteria: Global Learning and critical thinking are the main focuses. AS to investigate critical thinking training. AS is attending GLAM meeting on 12th January. Discussed level 2 criteria. Send all photos and other evidence to Amy. RRSA to be on all agendas (TAs, teacher, parliament, conferencing)
- 3) Review rights slips to add more rights on to develop awareness
- 4) Global Learning Update: Children would like to repeat celebrate a country week. This year the countries will change. Last year NP did France, Brazil, Africa. Werrington did Romania, India, Syria. Children suggested Iraq, America, France and Syria. Older pupils said they would like to learn about the war as they are always seeing it on the news. Children to discuss with classes and feedback at next meeting. RC said she's like to learn about America in light of Donald Trump becoming President.
- 5) Amy to attend the GLAM meetings from now on and feedback to the steering group.
- 6) Parliament: Education, Environment, Health and Wellbeing, Media and Education – used the hats system in the meetings to plan for the future. NP: Communication group to write letters to the people who donated prizes for the Christmas Fayre. W: Discussed positives and negatives in groups and planned some actions. MPs to go out on a newsletter. North Petherwin – Education- Charlotte, Environment – Will, H&W – Archie, Communications – Aleisha. Environment – insects are being squashed so children wanted to make posters to make others aware. W- H&W – said dinner hall is loud so need to review the charter with new pupils. Need a football rota for KS1 and KS2, Display house groups. Would like a chef to come in to talk to parents about healthy packed lunches. Children asked if the PCSO could come in to speak to parents who park on zigzags. Communication – Dojo very good, work on paper copies v technology. Education – discussed challenges, topics being own choices, would like more art. Environment – litter pick monitor on the outside as rubbish blowing in from outside. A new mat to be brought to wipe feet. School gardening and nature club
- 7) Right of the week to go back on the newsletter from January
- 8) Leaves to be completed to celebrate learner of the week to have a right linked to it
- 9) Find success criteria for Global learning
- 10) Amy to feedback to staff at staff meeting following each steering committee
- 11) Rights boards to be updated in each school
- 12) Rights assembly taking place weekly, rights slips are still being completed by children, Wall planners to be displayed in each school
- 13) External outreach to other schools
- 14) Mrs Sharpe to look around NP and see minutes.
- 15) Need to review policies in light of An Daras policies to include rights

- 16) How do we evidence parents / carers know about the rights – Induction meeting, hold a parental engagement session to focus on Global Learning – Global Learning week
- 17) Invite Tony Potterton to talk about Global learning, feed into Parliament and then to parents
- 18) Can we link to other schools to promote rights (e-mail / skype)

Meeting closed at 2:30

- 19) Date of next meeting: Tuesday 17th January 1:00pm at Werrington