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Do you want to be a School Councillor?

What will you need to do to be a School Councillor?

- I will be a good listener when other children want to tell me their ideas or their problems.
- I might have to tell the Council something on behalf of someone else.
- I will share my good ideas and make suggestions which will help to make my school a safe and happy place.
- I will help to look after my school and everyone in it.
- I will have to report back to all the children in my class so that they know what we have talked about in our meetings and I might even report back to teachers, governors and parents.

What qualities make a good School Councillor?

- Being a patient listener who can retell something to someone else
- Being able to speak up for other people who may be too shy or afraid to speak for themselves
- Having good ideas and helpful suggestions
- Being able to take turns and make sure that everyone has the opportunity to share their views and ideas A willingness to work with others.

If you would like to be a School Councillor and represent your class, please prepare a short speech to present to your class. It should be no longer than 2 minutes. (Year 1, 2 and 3 children please prepare just a few sentences.) In it, include the following details:

- Reasons why you want to be a school councillor
- Reasons why you would make a good school councillor

Please be prepared to present this by **Monday, 17th March** so your class can choose two new representatives. Your teacher will need to tell us your class School Councillors and we will meet with them before the end of term.

We are looking forward to welcoming the new team and would like to say a huge thank you to the current school council for all their support!

Miss Jones and Miss Ferber - PSHE Subject Leader

