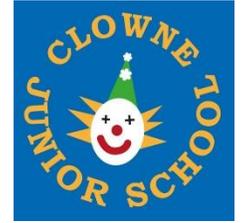


# Pupil Voice Newsletter



Our newly established Junior Leadership Team (JLT) has been formed from members of our many groups around school and will be led by Mr Stewart. At Clowne Junior School we believe in the power of young people and the influence they can have on their peers and society. Providing leadership opportunities develops character, resilience and provides opportunities for children to showcase their talents outside of the classroom. The JLT will meet half-termly and update the team on the work their group is undertaking. They will be given opportunities to report to the school's Senior Leadership Team (SLT), organise events, go out into the community and model excellence through all aspects of school life. The groups want to let you know what they've been up to and what they have planned for the future!

## **School Council**

We are the School Council Team. Throughout our school, we come up with fund-raising ideas and get pupil's opinions on how to improve our school. At the moment, we are working on the Christmas decoration competition which everyone can take part in. We've already had some fantastic entries - thank you! Our next focus is to promote the suggestion boxes in each classroom and how they can be used properly to make sure all children in school have a voice as we try to achieve our goal of democracy.

Connor M (Year 6) & Libby W (Year 6)

## **Anti-Bullying Champions**

We are from the Anti-Bullying Team and our job is to make sure everyone is happy and that any bullying issues are identified and resolved quickly. We want to prevent bullying from happening and be the approachable people that children can come to if they feel as though they are being bullied. We have been on some fantastic training, from the Princess Diana Award, to help us deal with scenarios at school and hope to use these skills this year.

Chloe-Sue R (Year 6) & Bridie J (Year 4)

## **Anti-Stigma Ambassadors**

We try remove the stigma around mental wellbeing for the children in our school. We have delivered an assembly to the whole school spreading the message around mental wellbeing and we are currently working on a poster competition promoting wellbeing. In the future, we are looking to purchase some Anti-Stigma hoodies so people can notice us on the playground and come to us for support. The mental health of young people is really important to us as we try to help people be positive, content and live happy lives.

Leo W (Year 6) & Mia P (Year 5)

## Prefects

We are the Prefects and our role is to ensure that people are safe in the cloakroom and toilet areas during break and lunchtime. We are a large team that work on a rota and model how to be sensible and polite but also how we travel safely around school. Currently, we are trying to keep people safe and happy inside school and on the playground with their friends. Our next focus is to improve how we deal with problems so that they are solved quickly and fairly.

Junior G (Year 6) & Olivia M (Year 6)

## Play Makers

We are delighted to be in the Junior Leadership Team as playmakers. Our job is to ensure that everyone on the playground (Juniors and Infants) has an option to play a game either with us or their friends. We organise games such as obstacle courses and relay races and the children have lots of fun playing with us. We are always looking for new ideas for games as we try to make our lunchtimes as fun and active as possible!

Jaiden B (Year 6) & Lily W (Year 6)

## Eco-Committee

The purpose of this group is to encourage more people in school to do their bit to make a positive impact on environmental issues affecting our world such as plastic pollution, waste and littering. This year the Eco Committee have completed an environmental review which has helped us decide on our next project which is to get every class a paper bin. We are also getting burgundy bins and are hoping this will reduce the waste our school makes each day. Look out for our next whole school topic 'Frozen Planet' where these issues will be at the forefront of our learning.

Benjamin F (Year 3) & Oona P (Year 4)



It is amazing to see what incredible things our pupils are doing around school, day in day out. We hope you have enjoyed your first Pupil Voice Newsletter. As a school, we are incredibly proud of our pupils and what they can achieve and encourage them to display the qualities of a good citizen. These are displayed in our school values image on the left.