

Student Council Meeting Minutes 20.5.25

Pupils present KQ CG LH SM

Staff present LS

Apologies re last 2 meetings

LS will be standing in for LW during the exam period

Minutes of last meeting/ Matters arising

Those attending had not seen last meeting minutes – reminder that these can be accessed on the school website and also on the Student Council Notice Board in the Hall

Reminder that Josie would like ideas for the pupil-led well-being board. Could time be allocated in tutor time for this to be discussed with peers?

Attendance

97.5% - continues to be low. Remind peers that parents/carers need to phone school on the first day of absence.

Careers

SM provided feedback on Y10's recent visit to Dearne Valley College – a particular highlight being the Animal Care course. SM also spoke positively about the 'Flex' course that is available to those with an EHCP – this is a foundation year that allows students to experience a variety of courses before choosing which they would like to study further.

Discussed the idea of having a Year 10 (student) Careers Ambassador, who would act as a link between their peers and the Careers Team in school. SM would NOT be interested in this role.

Feedback re new school lunch caterers

New meals are ok and an improvement on before. If the main meal isn't something that pupils want, there are always alternatives like sandwiches and potatoes.

AOB

KQ – pupils are asking for a second football net

CG + LH – request more skateboarding sessions

SM – requests clarification about the end of term rewards – what are the rewards? If it is something that a pupil does not want to do, can alternative rewards be offered?

Date and time of next meeting 10.6.25 12.20pm