

School Council Meeting 09.06.17

Present – Casey (7E), Alesha (7S), Mohammed (7/8 L), Mario (8), Viamer (8/9), Khadijah (9)

Angel (10R), Taha (10M), Esther (11L), Sam (11M), Ibi (12J), John (12M), Aisla (13K), Charlie (13/14A), Tunji (14C) & Jose (14C)

Laura (Student SALT), Cilla (Governor), Sue, Nick & Eileen

We welcomed Cilla and Laura.

We talked about assembly and the terrorist attacks on London Bridge. We read the statements written by some pupils. In small groups we all worked on draft statements so that a statement from the school council can be posted on our website/ twitter site and in classrooms. There were lots of excellent ideas from all council members.

Next we discussed “*making the playground peaceful*” – we agreed that almost all Highshore pupils are friendly and care about each other.

Suggestions for our playground charter included:

- Speak nicely to each other;
- No telling tales;
- Keep safe & listen to teaching;
- Don't get involved in other people's business;
- Talk and don't shout;
- Share things;
- Make new friends;
- Stay out of people's personal space;
- Run slowly;
- Tell an adult if someone is angry;
- Can some sixth formers help out in Key Stage 3 play.

We will use these ideas as a basis of our playground charter.

At the end of the meeting Jose, Tunji and Charlie all said what they are going to do next year. Jose also said how much he had enjoyed being part of the council and how much Highshore had helped him. Jose, Charlie & Tunji were given a round of applause and we said that we would miss them next year.