

Year 6 Positions of Responsibility

We just wanted to send out a short note to let parents know about the different positions of responsibility that the year 6s can apply for over the next few weeks. We have discussed these positions at length with the year 6s however we understand that some messages and key dates may get lost or confused between here and home.

Head Boy and Head Girl

This is a fairly new role in school (established 2019) and is linked to the values which form 'A Valued Me'. These values are respect, friendship, responsibility, empathy, honesty and independence. Therefore, this position is suited to someone who is an excellent role model to the other children in school. As part of the role, they will be expected to represent the school when we have events on or visitors who need showing around and they will assist Mrs Whiting and Mrs Cartwright with jobs around school. In order to apply for this position, children should write a letter of application to Mrs Whiting and Mrs Cartwright which explains why they are suited to the position and gives examples of what they have done previously which might demonstrate the values. If children would also like to be considered for House Captain, they should make this clear in their letter. These letters of application are due in on Wednesday 14th September.

The successful candidates who are chosen as Head Boy and Head Girl will be informed via a phone call from Mrs Whiting by 5pm on Thursday 15th September.

House Captains

This role will be familiar to the children and involves being the main representative for their house team. The children who are chosen for this role will be children who demonstrate great team spirit, motivate their house, are always prepared to step up to represent the school and take part in house days and sports competitions with enthusiasm. Again, in order to apply for this position, children should write a letter of application to Mrs Whiting and Mrs Cartwright which explains why they are suited to the position of house captain and explaining what they have done previously which demonstrates skills such as teamwork. These letters of application are also due in on Wednesday 14th September.

House Captains will be announced on Thursday 15th September.

Executive Council

This role involves being part of the pupil voice group who lead the School Council and help with the running of our school as seen from a pupil viewpoint. This is an exciting role as there are 8 positions available – 4 people will be chosen by the children of year 6 and the other 4 will be chosen by Mrs Whiting, Mrs Cartwright and the Year 6 staff. We look for children who are approachable, caring, organised, forward-thinking and are prepared to listen to and represent the views of the children in our school. In order to apply for this position, children need to write a short speech which explains why they think they would be well suited to this position. The children will then need to present their speeches to their class and the staff. These will be presented on the afternoon on Friday 16th September.

Executive Councillors will be announced on Monday 19th September.