



Welcome back Lodge Farm! We hope you had a wonderful Easter holiday!

In this letter, we have an update on the Pupil Parliament from Spring term, including what they are doing and will be doing in the future. We hope you are as impressed as we are at how busy everyone has been!

Olivia (Prime Minister) and Rafael (Deputy Prime Minister)

Reading Ministers

The Reading Ministers judged the World Book Week potatoes. Everyone who participated made brilliant art pieces, so well done everyone!

The Ministers are accompanying the school choir to visit a residential care home to read with the residents: this will take place after Easter as their trip had to be rescheduled due to poor weather.

Wellbeing Ministers

The Wellbeing Ministers have been meeting with Mrs Kaur every Wednesday. Mrs Kaur is going through the next stage of their course with them – working towards their official Wellbeing Certificate from a University.

Fundraising Ministers

The Fundraising Ministers have met every year so far to gather ideas to raise money, they are also wondering how to spend it.

The science dome was enjoyed very much by our students, this was partly down to our Ministers, who work alongside our PTFA. The Ministers have also been helping with the discos!



Environmental Ministers

The Environmental Committee met with one of the representatives of our waste management service to discuss more about what happens to our waste and how the changes benefit the environment. The committee helped Mr Varley to plant bulbs by the school entrance to brighten the area and add colour to our environment.

Play Ministers

The Play Ministers are overseeing the play leaders and making sure they follow the standards of safeguarding. They are planning how to train the next Play Leaders, as we change them after Easter. We are sure the new Play Leaders are looking forward to their new roles!

Values Ministers

Last term, the Values Minister led the Values Ambassadors in two assemblies which focused on our important school values of **teamwork** and **integrity**. The ambassadors also carried out an integrity investigation to find pupils who showed great commitment to keeping the school tidy and looking smart. This helped recognise children who set a great example to others. A big well done to everyone involved for promoting our school values.

Health and Fitness Ministers

Our Health and Fitness Ministers have been working really hard behind the scenes to plan an exciting brand-new club called **The Fit and Fun Club**, which will start in the summer term. They have put lots of thought into making sure everyone can take part by changing the year group and the sport each week. This means pupils will get to stay active, try new sports and have lots of fun. Well done to the ministers for all their brilliant preparing and planning!



House Minister

The House Minister has worked hard to plan the Spring Term Treat Afternoon, which will take place in the week after Easter and will be run by the House Captains. Every week, the House Captains have collected and counted house points and then shared the results in our celebration assemblies. Thank you to all the House Captains for your dedication and effort throughout the term.

Governance and Safeguarding Ministers

The Governance and Safeguarding Ministers have done an excellent job listening to what pupils think. They organised a school dinner vote to find out if there are any changes that could be made to improve school meals. They also completed a safety walk around the school, speaking to pupils and gathering ideas to help keep everyone safe. All of this important feedback has been shared with the senior leadership team. Fantastic effort in making sure children's voices are heard!