

Minutes of Meeting with School Council of Trallwng Infants School

Date	Monday 4 th November 2024
Time	14:00
Mode	Face to Face

Attendance		
Name	Initials	Title
Grace Zecca-Hanagan	GZH	21 st Century Schools
Sarah Nicholls	SN	21 st Century Schools Officer.
Susie Francis	SF	Headteacher of Trallwng Infants School .
N/A	N/A	School Council of Trallwng Infants School.

1. Welcome and Introductions

Officers in attendance introduced themselves to the School Council and thanked them for attending the meeting. The School Council introduced themselves. All members of the School Council in attendance were year two pupils.

2. Consultation Overview

GZH provided the School Council with a very brief overview of the proposal being made and the consultation process to be followed, as set out in the Consultation Document.

3. School Council Questions

The School Council of Trallwng Infants School were invited to ask questions and make comments. The questions and comments made are summarised in the table that follows along with their response, where necessary. In addition, the School Council of Trallwng Infants School were provided with stickers with sad, unsure and happy faces and asked to pick a sticker which represented how they felt about the proposal.

Number	Question/Comment	Response
1.	I feel sad that I will not be with my friends.	Some of your friends may choose to go to the same school as you. You will also have the chance to meet lots of new friends. A suggestion was also made to members of the School Council that perhaps their parents/carers could arrange play dates with some of their friends outside of school, should the chose to go to different schools.
2.	I will miss my teachers.	The School Council were told that it was understandable to feel this way, however, they would have the chance

		to meet lots of new teachers and learn exciting things.
3.	I'm happy because I will be in the same school as my brother.	We are glad that you feel happy about being in the same school as your brother.
4.	I feel sad that my school is closing.	The School Council were told that it was understandable to feel this way and if needed, they should speak to their parents/carers or teachers.

4. Closing Remarks

The School Council were informed that they will be offered the opportunity over the coming weeks to reflect on the questions and responses provided and submit additional questions where required.

The School Council were encouraged to participate in engaging in the consultation process through completing the online survey or putting comments in writing to schoolplanning@rctcbc.gov.uk.

All attendees were thanked for participating in the meeting.

Meeting closed at 14:30.

5. Pupil Engagement - 'Have Your Say' Exercise

As part of the engagement exercise with the pupils at Trallwng Infants School, all pupils were given the opportunity to 'have their say'. Stickers were left with the school with sad, unsure and happy faces so that any pupils wishing to take part in the consultation process could do so. They were asked to pick a sticker which represented how they felt about the proposal or write down their comments and views, in relation to the proposal.