

## **School Council meeting 06/02/2018 – 2.30pm**

Present – Staff- Miss Appleton, Mrs Tolley, Miss Price

Students- Sean P, Danyal, Courtney W, Adam, Meghan, Laura B, Matthew, Jamie-Lee

### **Purpose of meeting**

#### **Maple Class discussion point - Headphones**

It has been requested by Maple class that headphones would be a good idea to have in school to use with the laptops. All students agreed that headphones are required, Courtney stated that they would help you to “listen to music so not too loud”, Matthew added that they would “keep you safe and quiet”.

I questioned why students would be listening to music during lessons on individual laptops, Jamie-Lee said that it was leisure time on a Friday that they listened to it but also said that she brings her own headphones in for that. When all students were questioned they said that they had their own headphones at home. It was suggested that if they were part of the leisure ICT group on Fridays that they should be bringing their own headphones to use. Jamie-Lee volunteered to get a list of students that participate in ICT and ask the office staff to send a little sticker requesting this.

It was then mentioned that they sometimes needed headphones during lessons, for example, if student’s finish their tasks a little early they are permitted free time using the laptop, or if it is a research project they may be watching different things at the same time. Students may not always know which day they will be accessing the laptops so felt that if there were headphones available then they would not need to worry about having some to use.

When questioned as to where they would be stored if we were able to purchase some initially the office was suggested but Meghan said that it would make more sense for them to be stored with the laptops in the SLT office so that they are all together.

If there is a budget available for students to use to purchase headphones they would be happy to research which headphones they could get for the allocated amount.

Next week Oak Class have been asked to bring a point to be discussed at the meeting.

Meeting closed 2.53PM