

Culloden Primary A Paradigm Academy: Academy Council Meeting
Thursday 06/05/2016

Chair: Amanda Fox – Vice Chair (AF)

Present: Ben Carter – Principal (BC), Husna Begum – Academy Council Member (HB), ,

Council members unable to attend: Alesa Rahman – Chair (AR), Rajshree Laturia, Sakina Syed, Jeff Martin- Link Director

Parent/carers: 1 Parent/carer present

Meeting commenced: 9:15am

Minutes: Claire Brunning (CB)

Item		Action
1.	Introduction	
	AF welcomed everyone present. No agenda available.	
2.	Review of minutes	
	Items from minutes of last meeting: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No changes and minutes were agreed. 	
3.	SRE Jigsaw Scheme of Work (BC)	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meetings with parents have now been completed for all year groups except Year 6. The feedback from these is as follows: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Year 1 – 40 parents attended. It was agreed to change the size of the pictures used. ○ Year 2 – 5 parents attended. No changes requested. ○ Year 3 – 30 parents attended. No changes requested. ○ Year 4 – 30 parents attended. It was requested that animation to be used rather than a PowerPoint. ○ Year 5 – 2 parents attended. Two animations showing an erect penis and ejaculation will be moved to Year 6 instead. As in Year 6, girls and boys will be taught separately. ○ Year 6 – meeting date to be advised. • All requests above will be incorporated into the scheme of work. • Year 1 parents have requested notice of when the lessons will be taught so that they can come into class and be in the lesson. This has been agreed. • Parents have expressed appreciation that the school is being honest and transparent and willing to consult with parents. • A question was raised regarding DSB children: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ BC advised that DSB children may be pre-taught language before the main lesson. ○ Based on individual needs, DSB pupils may be taught in small groups. This, of course, is normal practice for any area of the curriculum. 	

4.	Parent Questionnaires																			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The results of the parent questionnaires have been sent to all families • Approximately 300 families replied • 100% parents said that they were happy with the school, overall. 																			
5.	AOB																			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The school fete: Monwara will be organising this. The date will be arranged to avoid Ramadan. • An application for funding by 'The Big Local' has been submitted to increase after-school and holiday provision. • A teacher of the deaf has been recruited and will start in September. There will be 4 teachers of the deaf in school. The provision for deaf pupils will be increased from 27 to 30. • PE away days are being organised. • Thanks were expressed to everyone who supported the fundraising effort to enable Year 6 pupils to see <i>Matilda</i> at the theatre. The fundraising target has been reached so pupils will be going on Tuesday 17th May. • A question was raised regarding the school photographs – are they more expensive this year? CB explained that the school has employed a different photographic company this year. Prices should be the same or less than last year. <p><i>Note from CB: After research I can confirm that the following price comparison:</i></p> <table border="1" data-bbox="217 1167 1259 1424"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>2014-15</th> <th>2015-16</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td><i>Group 10x8 (mounted)</i></td> <td>£10.00</td> <td>£10.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>Group 8x6 (mounted)</i></td> <td>£8.00</td> <td>£7.75</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>Group 8x6 (no mount)</i></td> <td>£6.50</td> <td>£6.25</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>Individual 7x5</i></td> <td>£12.00</td> <td>£11.45</td> </tr> <tr> <td><i>CD with single image</i></td> <td>£15.00</td> <td>£17.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		2014-15	2015-16	<i>Group 10x8 (mounted)</i>	£10.00	£10.25	<i>Group 8x6 (mounted)</i>	£8.00	£7.75	<i>Group 8x6 (no mount)</i>	£6.50	£6.25	<i>Individual 7x5</i>	£12.00	£11.45	<i>CD with single image</i>	£15.00	£17.00	CB
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6.	Next meeting																			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The next meetings will take place on Wednesday 15th June at 6pm and Friday 17th June 9am. 																			