

Liscard Primary School Governor Report Date: 29/03/2023

Staff involved: Ms O'Hare, Ms Swaby, C Liston (Governor)

Reason for visit: School Council Meeting Visit

Key points: Thanks so much for inviting me in today so I could meet the children on the school council. Today's meeting focused on Liscard being a School of sanctuary. The children involved were from all different years and it was fantastic to hear their thoughts on the best ways that we can make school a friendly, safe and welcoming place to be.

The students shared their thoughts around how it would be great to learn the words 'hello' and also 'welcome' in different languages, and how that would add to the inclusive ethos of the school. They also talked openly around how being in a place where they are freely accepted to be themselves, makes them feel happy and how they can help current and potential children feel the same.

Some students were then asked to pay a visit to Ms Talbot (Headteacher) to present to her some of the discussions that were had in the meeting. It was wonderful to see the open discussion of ideas, which then occurred between the head and students in her office.

I also had chance to talk to the children about what the role of a governor involves and asked them if they wouldn't mind me coming in again to see them in future meetings. I am pleased to say they agreed so I will see them again soon

Once again thanks for inviting me in and I look forward to my next visit.

Chris