



Parent Voice Meeting – Wednesday 9th November 2016

Staff Present: E Wilkes, M O'Shea
Parents Present: K Edwards, M Cross, A Kershaw-Moore

Matters discussed

- Reminder of what is on the website
- Curriculum balance - mechanics vs flow and creativity was discussed
- Level of challenge
- Project/ homework – more creativity in homework, variety, open ended exploration requested. We discussed the support some parents found in having practice homework tasks where they recognised the booklet or still to be practised and felt better able to support. MO to raise again with Head of Key Stage and Development as part of current teacher discussions on purpose for pupils and place additional support such as homework clubs if frequently occurring – staff to be reminded of this.
- Pupil behaviour – a particular case was discussed and action taken.
- Year 5 level of expectation leap, monitor amount of catch up and give reminders to staff
- A request for no homework to be set over holidays so they can relax and concentrate on family activities..... we discussed this suggestion (with Easter practice tasks for Year 6 excepted). MO/DM to raise at MLT.

Thank you to parents for attending. We always appreciate hearing your views and another perspective on what we are trying to achieve.

