

# SCHOOL COUNCIL NEWSLETTER

## AUTUMN Term Two - Anti-Bullying Week



This week, the School Council has visited each class from Year 1 – Year 6 to discuss anti-bullying week and to complete pupil safety surveys with all pupils.

Although this week is important to promote anti-bullying, we all agreed that it is anti-bullying week every week in our school because we will always stand up to bullying.

Pupils across the school have said the following things:

- We will always stand up for one another
- If I see or hear something that concerns me, I always tell an adult in school
- We know who the school safeguarding leads are, so we will speak to one of them if we think that someone is being bullied
- If I have a worry, I will put it in the worry box. I once did this and it was dealt with the next day by my teacher
- We know that we can speak to any adult or friend in school because we trust them
- I can see posters around school to talk about bullying and I know that I will be listened to and that the teachers will sort it out
- We follow the Wardley Way, we are friends and we trust one another. We will always stand up to bullying

The Pupils Safety Surveys were overwhelmingly positive with 99% of pupils stating that behaviour is good in our school, 98% of pupils stating that behaviour is good in lessons, 98% of pupils stating that the school deals with all types of bullying very well and 98% of pupils stating that they felt safe in school.

The very few pupils who stated that they disagreed with statements were spoken to individually by a member of the safeguarding team (Mr M. Foster, Mrs K. Walker & Mrs K. Flanagan) to resolve any issues that the pupil might have.

We also spoke to the children in each class about what bullying is and what it is not. We have discussed the difference between bullying and being mean but made it clear, that if anyone is worried or concerned about anything they must tell someone who they trust.

The Year 6 Autumn Term School Counsellors: