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Dear parents and carers,

Re: KS2 Pupil Experiences

This week I spent an afternoon in one of our Year 5 classrooms. This is part of our drive to understand more about what our pupils experience during the school day, through their eyes and to hear about their thoughts.

I spent time with the pupils in a PE and a PSHE lesson and spoke to many pupils about all aspects of their afternoon. It was good to see the excitement of the pupils for the football lesson and to understand their views. It was also interesting to see how a PSHE lesson around conflict was taught for pupils to understand this concept. All pupils shared ideas with their partner or the class and it was clear that the pupils felt comfortable and safe.

Pupils told me;

- They enjoy PE and don't mind getting changed for it
- They use the trim trail in clubs and with Mr Raynor but not at lunch
- They like maths in the mornings
- They would like more PE in the mornings as well as afternoons
- They find the chairs a good height as their feet reach the floor!
- They enjoyed the PSHE lesson as it was about their own interests and the sports clubs they follow

As leaders will be continuing to spend sessions with pupils to understand more about their WH experiences and action changes where we can. We will of course share with you our findings.

Thank you for your ongoing support.

Best wishes,

Miss Cotchin Headteacher

Our School Values are: Inclusion, Perseverance, Honesty, Respect, Responsibility and Collaboration.

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