

Reporting a Governor visit to Kea School

Name	Simone Stevens	Date	March 2015
Purpose of visit - Attend School Council Meeting			
Links with the School Improvement Plan			
<p>14. Are we properly engaged with our school community? How do we listen to and understand our pupils, parents and staff?</p>			
Governor observations and comments			
<p>The School Council met on Tuesday lunchtime and the primary focus of the meeting was the school plans for Comic Relief.</p> <p>The Meeting was well attended and began promptly. The children were focused and engaged and were aware of the topic for discussion. One of the year 6 pupils requested to present an idea to the School Council that she had become aware of and thought that following Comic Relief it would be a good thing for the School Council to focus on. A short presentation film was shown on the scheme run by the rotary club in Plymouth, a campaign for literacy boxes to be sent to Africa. The film was pitched at the right level for the audience and explained the journey of the boxes from fundraising through to arrival at the schools in Africa. The children agreed it was a worthwhile cause and something that Kea would be interested in supporting. It was decided that once Comic Relief was over then the School Council could revisit the literacy box idea and come up with a fundraising plan.</p> <p>The School Council then discussed the plans for Comic Relief and were all tasked with designing a poster to be displayed around the School.</p> <p>The meeting lasted 30 minutes, was prompt, efficient and well managed. The School Council members were well informed and clearly comfortable in the forum.</p>			
Any issues arising for the governing body			
nil			