

OXHEY FIRST SCHOOL
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Dear Parents and Carers,

As a school we are keen to promote the leadership skills of children, and encourage them to have a voice and share their ideas. We also wish to teach them about democracy, which form part of our key values as a school.

This year, children are being asked to “apply” for some of the important roles we have an offer. Therefore, if children would like to be considered to be a School councillor, they are being asked to write down their ideas about why they are best suited for the role, and what other qualities they have to offer. Attached is a form that they can complete with the help of yourselves, and then send in to school by **Friday 11th September**. Next week, voting will take place in the school hall where we will have a polling station set up, to allow children to experience what it is like to carry out an official vote. School councillors stay in their role for a full term, before new children are voted in.

Also this year, we are going to appoint the important role of a Year 4 Head Boy and Head Girl. These children will be representatives of the school at important events and will be fantastic role models to the rest of the school. This is a position they will hold for the entire year, and therefore we are asking for a letter of application.

Attached is the information they will need to include in their letter to ensure we get the best person for the job, and there is a sheet on which they can write. These also need to be returned to school by **Friday 11th September, and are just for Year 4 children**.

We look forward to reading through your applications, and can't wait to see the votes take place!

Mrs Nevitt

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