

## Leading Learners School Council

## **Developing Leadership Skills**

At Christ the Word Catholic School we encourage all of our students to feel valued and respected by the whole school community. The school will provide opportunities for our young leaders to develop a variety of skills such as communication, confidence and listening and provide the opportunities for our leaders to develop and flourish and be confident in representing their peer group.

- Students are invited to be the Leading Learners for a particular Subject, Curriculum area or Key Stage.
- Some Leading Learners will attend School Council meetings and assist in appointment of new staff, feedback on teaching and learning, improvement to the school environment, developing links with the community and organising charity events. Teachers and leaders listen to learners, inviting feedback on teaching and learning and other aspects of school life in order to ensure that all students have access to the best opportunities.
- The Sports Council representatives play an important role in promoting school sport, encouraging their peers to take part in activities and organising events on their behalf
- The Library Committee support their peers by organising a range of literary activities with the support of the Librarian.
- The Eco Committee support the school, community and peers in a range of activities to ensure as a school community we are preserving our environment for future generations.
- The SNAG group support the school, community and peers in a range of activities to ensure as a school community we develop a culture of Healthy eating with all our learners and staff.
- Learners Senior leadership team are selected from the current Yr 11. Learners are invited to apply and successful learners will work with the staff leadership team in developing and supporting initiatives across the school.

Meetings Week Commencing	Group
17 <sup>th</sup> September	Learners can apply to be a leading learner in their area of interest or be a member of Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG group.
1 <sup>st</sup> October	School Council meeting (1)
5 <sup>th</sup> November	Meeting (2) of Leading Learners, Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG.
25 <sup>th</sup> November	School Council meeting (2)
14 <sup>th</sup> January	Meeting (3) of Leading Learners, Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG.
27 <sup>th</sup> January	School Council meeting (3)
24 <sup>th</sup> February	Meeting (4) of Leading Learners, Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG.
9 <sup>th</sup> March	School Council meeting (4)
28 <sup>th</sup> April	Meeting (5) of Leading Learners, Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG.
11 <sup>th</sup> May	School Council meeting (5)
8 <sup>th</sup> June	Meeting (6) of Leading Learners, Eco Committee, Sports Council, Library Committee and SNAG.
2 <sup>nd</sup> June	School Council meeting (6)