



**Swanwick School and Sports College**

**School Council Notes Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025**

School Council was represented by a member of each form group across all Key Stages. All students came prepared with written responses to the agenda and verbal ideas in addition.

<b>Primary 1: -</b>
<b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Party, reward trips, trampoline, sensory room, trips, creative explorers, learning hero's challenges, music, breaktime</li><li>• <b>Achieve</b> – Swimming, Swanwicks Got Talent, Sports Day, Interhouse, lessons, gym and dance display</li><li>• <b>Exceed</b> – Trips, AVSSP, swimming, awards, field trip</li></ul>
<b>Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• We love the breaktime clubs</li><li>• Suggestion for a new club – Choir</li></ul>
<b>Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Dragon Toys</li><li>• Hand held fan</li><li>• Squish mallows</li></ul>
<b>Reward Trip ideas: -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Stadium</li><li>• Bowling</li><li>• Gullivers Valley</li><li>• Soft play</li><li>• Sensory Play</li></ul>
<b>Any other business: - N/A</b>

**Primary 2: -**

**Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'**

- **Enjoy** – Dancing, visit museum, basketball, playing with friends, singing, positive support, computing, reading, board games, gaming
- **Achieve** – completing a hike, sports day, maths test, tough runner/obstacle course, getting certificates, achievement display board, going to the museum, Epraise diamond award, sponsored events, workshops
- **Exceed** – Residential trip, dance competition, tournaments e.g. tt rockstars, whole school bookket, singing competition, whole school treasure hunt

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- Sometimes prefects are not present
- Suggestions for new clubs – Dungeons and dragons, gaming club with big games

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- Uno flip
- Microphone
- Reward for donating Epraise points
- Board games

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- Monkey Forest
- Themed mini golf
- Gymnastics centre

**Any other business: -**

- We would like to have other foods available at bake sales not just cake
- To have another member of positive support staff so existing staff have more time

**Nurture Class KS3 Blue: -**

**Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'**

- **Enjoy** – Visit the zoo, mini golf, watch a show (e.g. Mr Tumble), laser tag
- **Achieve** – Take part in a schools sports day, go shopping, go on a train, play games with other classes
- **Exceed** – Pond dipping, school productions

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- Singing club would be a good addition

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- More books for younger audiences (picture books)

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- McDonalds
- Pizza hut
- Pizza express
- Cinema
- Mini golf

**Any other business: - N/A**

**Nurture Class KS3 Yellow: -**

**Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'**

- **Enjoy** – Build a den, visit to a football pitch, play frisbee, go for a walk in a wood, have a picnic outside, go to Alton Towers, go to the snowdome, make a suit of armour out of cardboard, go to the seaside, go to the museum/theatre/cinema, play mini golf
- **Achieve** – Take part in a school sports day, headteachers or faculty lead awards, the opportunity to take part in Swanwicks got talent, take part in a charity event, produce items for enterprise events e.g. summer fairs, display board to celebrate good work each week, sharing work with another class, class medals of the week, complete all of the ADL/IDL learning hero or life skills tasks, get certificates in the awards assembly
- **Exceed** – Represent the school at a sports or partnership event, take part in a one night residential/ski trip, take part in a performance, be a prefect ambassador, write something for the school website or newsletter, work experience in another part of the school or outside of school, being an active part of the school council or i-vengers, plan and organise a charity event, go camping

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- Involve the school council in some of activities
- Suggestions for new club - Tennis club

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- Go to treetops

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Lots of the prizes are out of stock</li> </ul>
<b>Reward Trip ideas: -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Treetops</li> <li>• Space centre</li> <li>• Centre parcs</li> </ul>
<b>Any other business: - N/A</b>

<b>Nurture Class KS4: -</b>
<b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Football and other sports, dancing, enjoying environment in school, create sculpture, cooking, art project, visits, visitors, gardening, crafts</li> <li>• <b>Achieve</b> – Animal care, charity work, enterprise, plant a tree, programming (coding), bike ride (learning to ride a bike), orienteering (geocache), using money to pay (e.g. cafe), plan a local walk, travel smart</li> <li>• <b>Exceed</b> – Represent SSSC (sports event), plan activity for a young person, learn a language, learn an instrument, take part in a production, grow vegetables to make own meal, raise awareness of a local issue, take part in clubs outside of school, creating or contributing to a website, work experience</li> </ul>
<b>Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>WWW</b> – Dance, Badminton, Connect four</li> <li>• Suggestions for new clubs – Tennis, basketball</li> </ul>
<b>Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Have 'football time' like the 'Wii time'</li> <li>• 'Lego experience'</li> <li>• Buying an experience for own class (examples given above)</li> </ul>
<b>Reward Trip ideas: -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cinema</li> <li>• Arcades</li> <li>• Eatery (Café/ KFC)</li> <li>• Sporting activity (football/tennis)</li> </ul>
<b>Any other business: -</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Sports equipment outside</li> <li>• Outdoor gym equipment needs maintaining/ updating</li> </ul>

<b>Year 7: -</b>
<p><b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Football, sports clubs, achievements, walks, nature, reward trips, trips, special days</li> <li>• <b>Achieve</b> – Sports day, making something, interhouse, enterprise, learning heroes, performances, theme assemblies, museums</li> <li>• <b>Exceed</b> – Ski trip, camping, flight to another country, seaside, mountain climbing, sailing, London theatre trip, boat trip, Scotland, International football match</li> </ul>
<p><b>Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Suggestions for new clubs – gaming club, basketball club, tennis club, reading club, food tech club</li> </ul>
<p><b>Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Remove – Staff pens</li> <li>• Add – Lego, play doh</li> </ul>
<p><b>Reward Trip ideas: -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Stadium tour</li> <li>• Drayton Manor</li> <li>• Soft play</li> </ul>
<p><b>Any other business: -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More football matches against other schools</li> </ul>

<b>Year 8: -</b>
<p><b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Friendship, fun at football, listening to teachers, practical activities, time with the rabbits</li> <li>• <b>Achieve</b> – reward trips, interhouse, celebration assembly, epraise, qualifications, parent phone calls, 5 epraise points for attendance</li> <li>• <b>Exceed</b> – Epraise, prefects, skiing trip, rewards trips, being chosen to represent a team i.e. football/cricket, Swanwick's got talent</li> </ul>

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- Suggestions for new clubs – table cricket club, art club, basketball club, computer club, gardening club

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- Airup bottle
- Tennis rackets
- Transformers
- More lego

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- Big magic room reward trip
- Spa day with swimming
- Splash landings – Alton Towers

**Any other business: - N/A**

**Year 9 Blue: -**

**Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'**

- **Enjoy** – Football, rounders, art, dancing, film afternoons, badminton, trampoline, maths, table tennis, basketball
- **Achieve** – Epraise, Headteachers award, reward trips, learning heroes, skiing, governors award, interhouse, TT rockstars, sports day, forest school
- **Exceed** – School trips, learning heroes, subjects, maths, English, communication, art days, qualifications, life skills, bikes

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- The clubs are good and well run, too many children go so they are very busy

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- Lego sets
- Hot wheels cars
- Water shooters

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- Water park
- Woolaton Hall
- Magna

**Any other business: -**

- Lunch – by the time year 9's line up there isn't a lot of time to eat
- More game consoles available in school for Epraise
- More staff are needed in classrooms to support
- Classroom pet – fish tank, snails, spiders

**Year 9 Yellow: -**

**Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'**

- **Enjoy** – Sports, trips, choices, lessons, theme production, Swanwicks got talent, gym & dance, break/lunch time clubs, football matches, friends
- **Achieve** – Awards, certificates, Epraise points, celebration assembly, reward trips, GCSE's, ASDAN's, Arts award, swimming, bike ability
- **Exceed** – Table cricket event, prefects, ivengers, anti-bullying ambassador, skiing trip

**Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?**

- **WWW** – Table tennis
- Suggestions for new clubs – dodgeball

**Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?**

- Items on the shop are sold out – If they are sold out, they should be removed or re-stocked

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- Imperial war museum
- Football stadium
- Science Museum

**Any other business: - N/A**

<b>Year 10: -</b>
<p><b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Work experience, trampoline, more football tournaments (KS4) trips, rugby, people around us/friends</li> <li>• <b>Achieve</b> – Goals, performances, options, making things better, qualifications, proud working, working independent</li> <li>• <b>Exceed</b> – Ski trips, prefects, GCSE's, anti-bullying ambassador</li> </ul>
<p><b>Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More gymnastics</li> <li>• Yoga</li> <li>• Prefects need to turn up</li> </ul>
<p><b>Possible Epraise prizes that we do not currently have in Epraise shop?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Connect sand</li> <li>• Squishys</li> <li>• Fidget spinner</li> </ul>
<p><b>Reward Trip ideas: -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Arcade</li> <li>• Alton Towers</li> <li>• Swimming</li> <li>• Karaoke</li> </ul>
<p><b>Any other business: -</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Different questions for the next school council</li> </ul>

<b>Year 11: -</b>
<p><b>Can you list the top 10 things for each word you think as a pupil of SSSC you should have the opportunity to access in line with our ethos 'Enjoy, Achieve, Exceed.'</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Enjoy</b> – Whole school trip to Alton Towers, tough runner, snowdome, nature trails, whole school party, school disco, theatre trips</li> <li>• <b>Achieve</b> – Outdoor cooking (s 'mores), work experience, visit Gurdwara (faith centre)</li> <li>• <b>Exceed</b> – A one night camping trip, whole school sponsored walk, skiing, after school clubs, Sheffield University sports arena event, Derby County football stadium, Ripley tennis club</li> </ul>
<p><b>Feedback on the Prefect/ break and lunchtime clubs? WWW is there anything we could improve on or any new clubs you would like adding?</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bring back trampolines</li> <li>• Bring back board games, relax and chill (not yoga), blooket clubs</li> </ul>

**Reward Trip ideas: -**

- Swimming
- Kitty Café
- Horse riding

**Any other business: -**

- Air fryer requested for the food tech room – lots of people have them at home and can learn how to use them at school for: safer grilling, healthier than frying and cooks quicker
- Basketball hoops – prevent pupils from using the climbing wall but we also can't think of an easy or cheap solution.

**Actions:**

- **Mr Parry to review break/ lunch time clubs**
- **Mrs England to organise pupils vote for the next Reward trip**

**Thank you to all the students that have participated in School Council. Student Council is an essential part of our school curriculum.**

**Kind Regards  
Mrs England**