

Meetings

Successful candidates will meet approximately every month as a group. An agenda will be set and all members will have an opportunity to discuss any issues that have been raised by their peers or ideas that they wish to share.

Meetings will be run by Mrs Fuller and will take place during school hours.

Occasionally, members of the Senior Leadership Team or other teaching staff will be invited to the meeting to hear ideas.

Members may need to give up the occasional playtime to rehearse or prepare presentations.



Additional Information

- Anyone in Years 2 - 5 can apply.
- If successful, the role will last one academic year and you will be welcome to apply again.
- Members of the group will be given a badge to ensure all children know who they can approach with an idea.
- Members will also liaise with other pupil groups e.g. school newspaper, eco action and house captains to promote and support whole school initiatives.
- This group will develop communication skills, leadership skills and confidence amongst other things.

We look forward to reading your applications.

Any further questions please come and speak to Mrs Fuller.

Highcliffe St Mark Primary School

Children's Champions





What is the Children's Champion group?

Previously known as the School Council, the Children's Champions is a pupils' voice group.

Members of the Children's Champions listen to and act upon the opinions and ideas of their peers. They will get the opportunity to voice their ideas to members of the schools Senior Leadership Team with the aim of making a positive impact for the school community as well as taking part in initiatives that impact the local community and wider world.

Roles and Responsibilities

- **To be the voice of your peers.**
- **To champion new ideas.**
- **Work alongside adults to make a positive change to your learning environment.**
- **To represent, celebrate and promote Highcliffe St Mark Primary in our local community.**
- **To present ideas and outcomes to peers during assemblies.**



How do you apply?

To apply for a place in the Children's Champion group you will need to be in years 2-5 and complete an application letter.

You will need to complete the application letter. You can ask your grown-up at home to help you with this. Your application letter will be emailed home but you can ask your teacher to print you a copy. These need to be completed by the **25th**

September

Mrs Barker, Mr Withey and Mrs Fuller will then meet and select the group based on their application letter. Not all candidates will be successful and feedback will be given to support children who wish to apply again next year.