



Nanaksar Primary School 2019-2020

It's time for our School Parliament elections!

Are you responsible, reliable and a good role model for the school?

Would you like to join the Head Boy and Head Girl on this exciting journey?

If you would like to nominate yourself as a candidate for School Parliament this year, please see the process below:

- Please prepare a short speech (no more than 2 minutes), expressing why you think you would be a good candidate for the role. You can be elected again if you have been a member of School Parliament before. You can use the job description below to help you.
- After all candidates have made their speeches, the teachers will shortlist the top 4 boys and 4 girls.
- Every person in the class will nominate one boy and one girl for the role (you cannot nominate yourself). Voting will take place in individual classes.
- Once everyone has made their nominations, one boy and one girl from each class with the highest number of votes will be elected as members of School Parliament.
- Please use the holiday to prepare and be ready to deliver your speech from **Tuesday 5th November**. Speeches will be shared in class throughout the week.
- During this week, Head Boy and Head Girl will hold drop in sessions at lunch time for any candidates that would like support with their speeches.
- Voting will take place week beginning **11th November** and Head Boy & Head Girl will announce the results in assembly on **Friday 15th November**.

Roles & Responsibilities

- Listening to and collecting the views of your class and sharing them with School Parliament.
- Attending regular School Parliament meetings and contributing to discussions.
- Speaking and carrying out presentations in assemblies and at events.
- Making suggestions and sharing ideas which will keep the school happy and safe.
- Giving up your time to plan and deliver projects to help the school.
- Supporting teachers and adults with tasks in and around the school.
- Supporting your peers, providing advice & sensible solutions and offering a helping hand.
- Representing the school and meeting & greeting visitors.

Key Skills & Attributes

- Team player: be able to work with others.
- Approachable: everyone in the class has to feel comfortable talking to you.
- Good thinker: be able to come up with and suggest ideas.
- Organised: it will be your responsibility to make sure discussions happen in your class on a regular basis.
- Good communicator: be able to work with teachers and pupils from across the school.
- Confident: be able to speak in front of big audiences and new people.
- Positive: show a mature and sensible attitude to all aspects of school life.
- Friendly: having a smile on your face and being able to make others smile.

Condition of employment for School Parliament

Being an outstanding role model for NPS and demonstrating the SHARE values at all times.

Your speech may include an introduction of yourself, why you think you would be a good candidate for the role, how you would like to make a difference, etc. We hope that you apply!