



Running an Effective School Council

Course Information

Date: 11th September 2025

Venue: Online (Zoom)

Time: 9:15 – 11:45am

Cost: £70 per delegate

Course Leader: Sarah Huggins

Course Overview

School councils are a recognised way to gather pupil voice information that can be used to inform school improvement. They also provide the ideal vehicle to introduce children to democracy (one of the Fundamental British Values).

During this session, we will consider how to run an effective school council to ensure that all children are involved and that they can have an impact on various aspects of school life.

Guidance and resources will be provided to enable delegates to run the meetings including how to train children to be effective members of the school council.

Course Content:

- The reasons for and benefits of having an effective school council;
- Ways to ensure all children feel part of the school council;
- The School Council Constitution;
- Selecting School Council Representatives
- How to train elected school councillors to ensure they can carry out their role effectively.
- Topics and initiatives for the School Council to discuss and develop;
- Developing a School Council Action Plan;
- Making the School Council Sustainable.

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