Student Council Meeting 11 November 2026

Time 9.30 am Council representatives BN, AM, CD, HG, OH, IE and HT

Led by Nic Curran, Deputy Headteacher

The council discussed Christmas rewards, the Assistant Headteacher appointment, school meals, the rewards system, Year 11 prom, uniform and heat pads.

Christmas rewards trip

Pupils need 333 points to qualify. Members discussed a separate Christmas rewards trip, but most were not interested in ice skating. They preferred vouchers to spend at Christmas markets during the outdoor education trips in the final week of term.

Assistant Headteacher appointment

Nic informed pupils that Alex had been appointed Assistant Headteacher and that Alex was also the pupil panel's preferred candidate.

Food and school menu

Pupils felt that food had improved recently. They requested the return of school cake (traybake with icing and sprinkles), chocolate cake with custard, and spring rolls.

Rewards and facilities

Members questioned the daily points totals, as 14 points still results in amber. They explained that pupils in Redwood and Oaks can only achieve green by remaining for enrichment after lunch, which can cause difficulties at home. The system will be reviewed.

Year 11 prom

Year 11 pupils would be happy to hold prom in the canteen in June. They requested food, drinks, decorations, a photographer and a DJ, potentially pastoral manager Caitlyn.

Uniform and wellbeing

AM asked whether girls could wear plain black leggings. A Year 11 pupil has reportedly also written to Glenn about this. Pupils also requested additional heat pads for period pain, as hot water bottles are not permitted. Nic W has already ordered heat pads.

Action update

Action	Lead	Update
Discuss Christmas market voucher value with Glenn	Nic	To follow up
Ask Nic W to speak to Kath about traybakes, chocolate cake and spring rolls	Nic	To follow up
Discuss daily rewards points with Liam	Nic	To follow up
Discuss holding Year 11 prom in the canteen in June with Glenn	Nic	To follow up
Speak to Glenn about plain black leggings	Year 11 girls	To follow up
Order additional heat pads	Nic W	Complete