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Dear Parents and Carers,

During the week commencing 23 November, our school will be taking part in our annual Parliament Week as part of our enrichment curriculum. The aim of this week is to educate and inspire our pupils by developing their understanding of what Parliament is, the important role it plays in society, and the different ways in which they can actively participate in democracy. Throughout the week, pupils will engage in a range of Parliament-themed activities designed to promote cultural capital and encourage them to develop their knowledge of civic responsibility. Activities will include debates, quizzes, discussions surrounding laws and current issues, as well as the opportunity to vote for our 2026–27 DMP School Council representatives.

As part of our Parliament Week celebrations, we are inviting all pupils to attend school on Friday 27 November dressed in smart clothing to represent 'business attire' and celebrate the important role of Parliament. During this week, we will also be launching our 2026–27 School Council and providing pupils in Years 1–6 with the opportunity to apply to become their class representative. Each class will elect one school councillor who will represent the views and ideas of their classmates.

Pupils who wish to apply for the role of class school councillor should complete the application form on the reverse of this letter and prepare to present their campaign to their class. Applications are voluntary and should be submitted to class teachers by Friday 20 November. Following the submission of applications, class teachers will shortlist four candidates from each class. These finalists will then present their campaigns to their classmates, who will vote to elect their school council representative on Friday 27 November.

The successful candidates will be announced during assembly on Monday 30 November.

We look forward to celebrating Parliament Week with our pupils and encouraging them to develop their understanding of democracy, leadership and the importance of having their voices heard.

Yours sincerely,
Miss Aun
Year 4 Class Teacher

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School Council Application 2026/27

Name:_____

Class:_____

Year Group:_____

Reasons why I would be a good representative:

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Things I would like to change/improve/ideas:

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Qualities I have that would make me a good representative:

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How I would show 100% commitment to the role of School Councillor:

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