School Council

The School Council represents the child’s voice at Steeton Primary School. Each year, two students from each 3/4 and 5/6 class are elected by their peers to become members of the School Council. Students who wish to be selected must nominate themselves and prepare an election speech before their classmates vote in a secret ballot. Successful candidates will then become their class’ representative, working with members of staff and the leadership team to ensure Steeton Primary School continues to be a safe, nurturing and inspiring place to learn.

The School Council plays a major role at school functions, during visits, on open days and information sessions. They take the lead on answering questions, providing information and conducting school tours. Council members also take turns to fulfil a number of task throughout school, including the prize box, selling of charitable items like poppies and organising the Christmas post. The School Council meet once a week with a dedicated member of staff to discuss any ideas and plan ahead for future events.

Being a member of the School Council at Steeton Primary School is a tremendous privilege, but also one that comes with a level of responsibility. It is a wonderful learning opportunity for those involved and great addition to Steeton Primary School’s commitment to providing opportunity and access for all children to be heard.

Forest School

The Steeton Primary Forest School is a new and very exciting addition to our creative curriculum. A section of the school, once known as the Wild Area, behind the Reception and Year 5/6 classrooms, has been transformed into a tremendous outdoor learning space. The old shelter has been turned into a fully function classroom with power, lights, and heating. The outside area is haven of grassed areas, fruit trees, wooded areas and interlinking paths. There is enough space for children to explore with in the safe knowledge that the area is fully fenced and secure. The Forest School is managed by a qualified Forest School Practitioner.

The Forest School can be used by any class during the day, but each class will have an opportunity to use the Forest School once a term. They will spend a whole day learning new skills, playing games, exploring wildlife, connecting with their own creativity and adventurousness. Lunchtime clubs are run daily and after school programs are available for students at selected times.

The Forest School is an awesome resource, which is popular with everybody in school. It is a great way to expand a child’s horizons, providing them with a truly all round education.