Sway Parish Council

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St Luke's School Council
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Dear School Council,

Thank you very much for your lovely letter of 12 October. It was a real pleasure to read it, and I'm so glad you'd like to find out more about the Parish Council.

I would be delighted to come into school to meet you, and I can confirm that I will see you on **Monday 23 November**. Unfortunately Estela won't be able to come that day.

When I visit, I'd be happy to talk about what the Parish Council does and how it works. I'll tell you a bit about:

- who the parish councillors are, how they are chosen, and what my job as the Clerk involves
- how the council meets and makes decisions, rather like your own School Council does
- some of the things we look after in Sway, such as Jubilee Field, the allotments and our community spaces
- how we listen to people in the village and share their ideas and views

It was great to hear about your friendship benches. That is exactly the kind of idea that makes a community a kinder place, and it is just what a good council should do. I'd love to hear more about it when I see you, and about any other ideas you have for Sway.

If you'd like to, please have a think before my visit about any questions you want to ask me, or anything you'd like to change or improve in the village. We can then talk about how we might work together to make a positive difference this year.

Thank you again for writing to us. I'm really looking forward to meeting you all.

Yours sincerely,

Katie Walding
Clerk to Sway Parish Council