

## Brereton School Council Minutes

Date:	Monday 16th November
Apologies:	None
Visitors:	Safeguarding Committee

Agenda Point		Actions
1.	<p><u>Improving Break Times</u></p> <p>The following ways were suggested to improve wet break times:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Appoint a wet break monitor in each class to set up games and activities.</li> <li>• Make a list of games in each class has and make a wish list. We will then check funds and purchase what we can.</li> <li>• Ask for donations of games and DVDs.</li> </ul> <p>How to improve break times:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• We discussed the length of playtimes and why they cannot be extended.</li> <li>• We discussed why infants have an afternoon break and KS2 don't. If KS1 didn't have an afternoon play they would finish 15 minutes earlier at the end of the day.</li> <li>• We discussed the timings of break time and whether we need to all be out at the same time. Children agreed that in the winter the playground can become crowded. We discussed separate playtimes for Y5/6 did not want to miss out on seeing the Reception. It was suggested we have overlapping break times.</li> <li>• The use of equipment. It was proposed we have a 'sign in/sign out' system.</li> <li>• We discussed the possibility of areas—a reading area, a writing area, a craft area, a sandpit.</li> </ul>	<p>Members to share ideas with their class and gather responses.</p> <p>George to count up our funds.</p> <p>Staff to discuss break time timings.</p>