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Dear Parent/Carer

The Children and Young People of NWCC need you.

On behalf of the NWCC Parent Council Chair, Sarah Ramsay, I am writing to ask for your support and a small amount of your time. Our school has over 600 learners from 2-18 and I know that we have parents and carers who care deeply about their children's education.

Our Parent Council is the place that we talk about all of the important issues that impact upon children and young people's learning in school. That can mean discussing learning and teaching, fundraising ideas, school attendance, relationships and behaviour, attainment, anti-bullying, charity work, extra-curricular activities or any other important aspect that parents and carers wish to discuss.

Our parent council is currently made up of a very small group of highly committed parents who have given their time voluntarily to help improve the work of our school and contribute to the learning of every child. They have done so at a time when very few other parents and carers have been willing or able to do the same, but **they need your help**.

By adding only 4 more parent/carer representatives we would vastly increase the capacity of our parent council to do the things it desperately wants to, which is to improve the school for everyone's children. Recently they have received unwarranted criticism, at times even in the school playground, which is deeply troubling. Understandably has made them feel that it would be difficult to continue.

However, I am sure that there are many parents and carers who would recognise the contribution of those giving up their own time to help others and I know that many of you will already do so through sport, music or other similar youth organisations.





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Therefore, I am asking you to please give us two hours of your time between now and the end of term. Our next Parent Council meetings are on 24th April at 6:30pm & 26th June at 9am and we need you with us to discuss how we can work together to support every child in NWCC.

This is a wonderful school with great young people and a caring community, please take the time to come along and contribute whatever you can. Even if you don't think you have anything to offer or contribute, simply showing your support by being with us will make the world of difference.

If you would like any further information, please contact me directly at the school, or email the Parent Council directly at nwccparentcouncil@gmail.com. I, or they, would be delighted to talk to any parent about anything of the above.

Yours faithfully

Mr B Smith
Head Teacher

