

Eco Team Meeting Jan 2020

Eco Team discussed:

Snack sale profit

Need to monitor snack sale – no freebies!

Children suggested buying seeds, which would be planted on the banks and by the undercover. Seeds would need to be flowering/meadow seeds that would encourage wildlife into the school grounds. Need to make some signs reminding children not to trample/play on the grass banks.

Big Battery count

Going well - Counted batteries and collection made.

Pewley sent their batteries to be collected with ours.

Mark Sharman (school governor) said we needed to put sellotape on top of the square batteries, as they could be a fire risk. All of the batteries we collected were checked but we need to inform everyone so this is done before the batteries come into school.

Eco Responsibilities

Groups of children had been litter picking at break and lunch time and there has been less litter in school. Alison has signed HTPD up to The Great Big School Clean 2020 organised by Keep Britain Tidy - 20 March - 13 April 2020

Y6 Pen refill

This is not so successful as the nibs for the pens are easily damaged and the refilled pens tend to leak.

Y4 pen recycling

Would it be possible for the Y4 ECO team to accompany Jo when she takes the pens to be recycled? Alison will speak with Emily.

ECOSIA web browser

This is now the default search engine on all school computers!

Solar panels

Unfortunately, these cannot be fixed and it is too expensive to replace them – ECO team will look out for grants/funding to replace them.

Eco Suggestions

Whole school book swap Wednesday 4th March. Books to be wrapped in newspaper with a simple blurb on the back. Book swaps would happen in year groups so that the books were appropriate to the age of the children. Books need to be a book that you have enjoyed reading and would recommend!

The teachers will also be joining in with their own book swap.

School Newspaper

There has not been much interest in this so far so we thought we should have a 'contributions to the newspaper' box where children can see it to add their contribution.

Eco Team will remind their class and encourage contributions.