



Minutes of Vital Voices (RRS Outright) group, 8th November 2024

Present:

Isabella Y4	Freddie Y5
Frankie Y4	Logan Y5
Kalyani Y4	Amelia Y5
Hemera Y4	Madeeha Y6
Imogen Y4	Amaira Y6

Agenda

- Feedback on OutRight campaign webinar, from Mrs Catalano
- Decide upon next action step

Minutes

Mrs Catalano told the group about some of the campaigning tips she had got from attending an OutRight webinar yesterday. These included letter writing and use of the school community.

Group was reminded of the focus of our first campaign: Social media risks for children

Article 17 of the UNCRC states: *Children have the right to get information from the Internet, radio, television, newspapers, books and other sources. Adults should make sure the information they are getting is not harmful.*

In order to understand the specific concerns for children with regard to social media use, Mrs Catalano read some information found on the NSPCC website. The group decided to find out what our children are most worried about. They came up with four questions they will ask of every child in KS2. The questions are:

1. Have you ever seen something online that makes you feel uncomfortable? yes/no
2. Do you know the minimum age for users of
 - TikTok? no / yes, it is _____
 - Instagram? no / yes, it is _____
 - Snapchat? no / yes, it is _____
 - YouTube? no / yes, it is _____
 - Fortnight? no / yes, it is _____
3. What makes you feel nervous about using social media? _____
4. What social media platforms do you regularly use or access?

In assembly next Monday, the group will explain the purpose of gathering this information, but they will not give away the questions, so that children do not have time to confer or research beforehand.

Next meeting

Friday 15th November 2024