

# PERTH GRAMMAR PARENT COUNCIL



Perth Grammar School

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## What is a Parent Council?

- *Set up to encourage parental involvement in school education because they are by far the most important influences on our children's lives.*

## What does a Parent Council do?

- *Represents the views of parents/carers.*
- *Supports the school in its work with pupils.*
- *Reports back to the wider Parent Forum.*
- *Encourages links between the school, parents, carers, pupils and the wider community.*
- *Provides a voice for parents/carers within the school and local authority on issues that are important to them and their children.*

## Successful funding has allowed us to:-

- *Fund the booking system for parents evening.*
- *Fund additional school equipment requests from a number of different departments to enhance pupils learning & experiences.*

## How to get involved and why

- *When parents/carers are involved children do better and achieve more – you can make a real difference.*
- *You don't have to be a member of the Parent Council to come along to our meetings.*
- *Even if you don't want to raise an issue it's a great opportunity to learn more about the work of the school – as our children don't always tell us what's going on!*
- *Meetings are open to all parents/carers with a child at the school.*
- *Meetings are normally twice a term – check the school website for dates.*
- *Come along and listen – you would be made very welcome.*

### You can find more information from the Perth Grammar Parent Council on:-

- *Perth Grammar School website: [www.perthgrammar.org.uk](http://www.perthgrammar.org.uk) (click on 'Parents')*
- *Our Facebook page – '**Perth Grammar School Parent Council**'*
- *You can also find a link to the Parent Council Information Booklet on transition information for Parents/Carers and pupils on the PGS website.*