

## GRANGE STUDENT COUNCIL NEWS

## **Earth Day Litter Picking Event**

On Tuesday 22nd April, the student council came up with the idea of hosting a litter picking event in celebration of Earth Day. The event was organised to help keep our school and environment clean and tidy. Teachers and staff provided gloves, bin bags, and litter pickers, and the children set out into the playground to begin their clean-up.



The entire school took part in the event as a way to care for our school grounds and support the environment. Many pupils said they enjoyed the activity and would like to do it again. The children also made sure to use the recycling bins correctly, helping to sort the rubbish they collected.





During the event, children picked up items such as cigarette ends, plastic bottles, paper, cardboard, glass, and much more. There have been suggestions that this activity should become a regular event, as it was both enjoyable and beneficial for our school community.



## Feedback from student council

Aleeha said the event was "so fun" and suggested that next time, pupils could go in groups. She would like this to happen every two weeks.

Adira enjoyed the experience and said, "I thought it was really fun." She noted that her brother's Year 2 class only had five children participating and mentioned that not everyone got a chance to join in.

Daksh described the event as fun and also recommended doing it once every two weeks.

Abbas felt everything "went as planned" and commented that the playground looked much nicer afterwards. He thought the activity made the environment safer and would benefit the school overall.

Aftaab said it was ok, but suggested having more gloves next time so that everyone can take part fully.