

Student voice – not just saying but doing

Learning to Lead School Community Councils:

- Include the whole school community from the start
- Are self-electing
- Work collaboratively within self-managing teams
- Are given training in the skills they need
- Involve meaningful work with tangible outcomes

The approach provides young people with a structured, supportive and secure environment within which they can explore their potential.

The more young people discover for themselves through doing, the more they transform themselves and their environment.

The more they 'do', the more they have to say...

And mutual understanding and respect grows throughout the school community.

***“There is nothing to be feared and everything to gain from sharing responsibility in this way with young people. They gain experience and a sense of ownership and the school benefits from their astonishing energy and creativity.”
Head Teacher, The Blue School***