



Parent Survey Responses - October 2018

Question	SA/A	D/DS
1. My child likes school	98%	2%
2. My child is making good progress	97%	1%
3. Children, pupils or students behave well	89%	6%
4. My child is not bullied or harassed at school	84%	12%
5. Teaching is good	99%	-
6. I am kept well informed about how my child is getting on	85%	15%
7. I feel comfortable about approaching the school with questions or a problem or complaint	91%	8%
8. Staff expect my child to work hard and do their best	99%	-
9. The school is led and managed well	90%	8%
10. Staff treat my child fairly	90%	6%
11. Are you aware of how to get support from school if you feel your child has mental health?	76%	9%
12. Staff explain how I can help my child at home / the school provides appropriate homework	92%	8%
13. Staff encourage my child to become mature and independent	99%	-
14. There is a good range of activities that my child finds interesting and enjoyable	90%	8%
15. The arrangements for my child to settle in when they started at the school were good	98%	1%

SA – Strongly Agree

A – Agree

D – Disagree

SD – Strongly Disagree

Please note that the percentages don't equal 100% as some parents answered 'don't know'

Comments

Can you tell us anything else you need to help develop our partnership with you??

- Nothing / no (5 parents used this comment or a similar one)
- More information about the online support for maths and English
- Ensuring every child receives the newsletter as there have been occasions we haven't had one
- The homework challenges can be a bit complex for some age groups
- We would like to have more information about the progress of my child
- We are still quite new to the school so I am sure communication or anything else is getting better as we go along
- Phone calls when incidents arise would be helpful if it is a concerning matter
- Thought the starting days were great, lots of other schools have a phased approach
- We really enjoy the newsletter and messages home
- Keep things going as they are, thanks
- Communication with parents could improve
- Better communication for school events
- Better support for parents
- Discussion about bereavement
- Can both parents receive the texts
- School / home relationship is spot on
- Parents are kept informed at all times
- Can't think of anything

Comments

What do you like most?

- ✓ Every child given the opportunity to meet their potential
- ✓ Caring and friendly school
- ✓ Teachers are very friendly and approachable
- ✓ The school have been very helpful
- ✓ My child likes it
- ✓ Approachable and friendly staff
- ✓ Reading support
- ✓ School dinners
- ✓ Community family feel
- ✓ Good information
- ✓ Many interesting classes
- ✓ Friendly staff
- ✓ My child loves the history lessons
- ✓ Teachers are very friendly and understanding
- ✓ Plenty of trips and activities
- ✓ I love how in Y6 they are given different responsibilities
- ✓ Teachers work well with parents
- ✓ Quality of teaching
- ✓ Range of activities
- ✓ Everything! Fantastic teachers, the ethos of the school, enthusiasm of all the staff, outdoor learning and the freedom to create
- ✓ Like the darker uniform, easier to keep clean
- ✓ Like the times to 'Stay & ...' Sessions
- ✓ The teachers
- ✓ Friendly staff
- ✓ Welcoming to all
- ✓ The staff

- ✓ My child enjoys it!
- ✓ My child enjoys coming to school but sometimes the classrooms are too warm - it doesn't help her throat
- ✓ Staff are always friendly and approachable
- ✓ My child enjoys her time here tremendously
- ✓ Open conversations, strong teacher pupil understanding
- ✓ Good staff
- ✓ Approachability of staff
- ✓ Family feel
- ✓ Visible results and very clear development
- ✓ Consistent
- ✓ Professional
- ✓ Very regular feedback
- ✓ Marking and corrections
- ✓ The food
- ✓ Warm and welcoming to all
- ✓ Staff are approachable and they help not only the children but also the family
- ✓ There is a lot on offer for the children
- ✓ My child loves school
- ✓ The community feel
- ✓ Very approachable
- ✓ My children are happy
- ✓ The support and warm welcoming
- ✓ Our son has developed well

Comments

What would you like to change in the school?

We will be responding to the below suggestions for change in due course.

- ↪ Nothing (8 parents used this comment or a similar one)
- ↪ Bullying to stop
- ↪ Parents meeting in the classroom
- ↪ Every child to be treated the same - all to miss golden time if misbehaving
- ↪ Pick up times - some classes are always late
- ↪ I agree with spelling homework and would like to see more handwriting and maths homework set
- ↪ No pressure to eat all of the sandwiches at meal times
- ↪ More sports activities
- ↪ Advantages to certain children
- ↪ Full time headteacher
- ↪ More sporting activities
- ↪ Activities for the children to do as homework would be good alongside their reading
- ↪ Benches outside the reception and Y1 waiting area
- ↪ Earlier reading of music
- ↪ Earlier basic works language
- ↪ Updates on the previous week's work where a child has struggled or enjoyed it (via a letter or text)
- ↪ Award for consistent good behaviour, similar to attendance award
- ↪ Not to be penalised for being genuinely ill