

February 2017

Dear parents

A **HUGE** thank you to the **80** parents/carers who took time to give us valuable feedback by completing the bi-annual questionnaire about our school which was distributed on the recent parent share day. By sharing your views, you help our school to improve. The completed responses were **extremely** positive about the school and reiterate what the children and staff said in their surveys at the end of the last academic year. The full set of results for the questionnaires are given overleaf.

Here is a selection of the lovely comments which were made:

- ❖ We love all the staff and how much effort they put into helping our children exceed! We love the school overall.
- ❖ Both my children are doing really well, coming along nicely in all areas, and are 100% supported and as a parent I feel I am also 100% supported if I have any concerns/problems.
- ❖ I feel my daughter is doing really well at this school. Mrs Dawson has been a great support for both me and my daughter. I hope to see my daughter continue to do very well at this very good school.
- ❖ My child thoroughly enjoys school and never likes to be off. She is coming on leaps and bounds and makes us very proud as parents. Keep up all of your hard work. Many thanks.
- ❖ Very happy with the school and teachers on teaching my child. Thanks.
- ❖ Fabulous and friendly school! We couldn't be happier with our daughter's education and experiences in these first years of school life 😊.
- ❖ Absolutely lovely school! And the nursery teachers are fantastic.
- ❖ Really pleased with his progress, no concerns at all. Keep up the good work everyone.
- ❖ Brilliant school every year! 😊
- ❖ Brill nursery! Thank you. My little girl is coming on leaps and bounds.
- ❖ I am extremely happy with the progress of my daughter. She loves coming to school every day and enjoys all the different topics she has been learning.
- ❖ My children always express how much they have enjoyed their day. My children leave school happy and are able to express what they had previously learnt. I believe the school staff are very polite and approachable. My children have made huge progress since attending the school 😊. Well done - brilliant school.
- ❖ My daughter really enjoys nursery and looks forward to coming every day. She's very happy and I'm very happy with how she is developing her skills.

Out of the 80 responses given, one parent/carer disagreed that they understand the importance of reading/maths and have seen their child's reading/maths skills develop. One parent/carer also disagreed that the Children's Learning Supporter (Mrs Dawson) helps and supports the children and parents with a wide range of issues. As no further explanatory comments were added to the questionnaire, it is difficult for me to effectively address these concerns. However, if these parents wish to make an appointment to see me the Headteacher, the child's class teacher or Mrs Dawson the Children's Learning Supporter, we will listen to and address issues that are raised with immediate effect. We pride ourselves in being a proactive school and will do all we can to help parents feel happy with their child's education and overall school life. Please remember our doors are always open to parents/carers and we really value a strong home-school partnership to ensure the best possible educational and school experience for each and every child.

Thank you.

Results – February 2017

		Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
1	My child enjoys school.	88%	12%		
2	My school keeps my child safe.	93%	7%		
3	My school informs me about my child's progress.	79%	21%		
4	My child is making good progress at this school.	86%	12%		
5	The teaching is good at this school.	86%	14%		
6	The school helps me to support my child's learning.	85%	15%		
7	This school helps my child to make a healthy lifestyle.	78%	22%		
8	The school meets my child's particular needs.	78%	22%		
9	The school deals effectively with unacceptable behaviour.	74%	26%		
10	The school deals effectively with bullying and prejudice related incidents.	68%	32%		
11	The school teaches my child how to keep safe online and effectively deals with online safety related incidents.	78%	22%		
12	The school takes account of my suggestions and concerns.	78%	22%		
13	The school is led and managed effectively.	81%	19%		
14	The school is effectively teaching my child British Values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.	79%	21%		
15	I understand the importance of speaking and listening and I have seen my child's speaking and listening skills develop.	85%	15%		
16	I understand the importance of reading and I have seen my child's reading skills develop.	89%	10%	1%	
17	I understand the importance of writing and have seen my child's writing skills develop.	88%	12%		
18	I understand the importance of maths and have seen my child's mathematical skills develop.	85%	14%	1%	
19	The Children's Learning Supporter (Mrs Dawson) helps and supports the children and parents with a wide range of issues.	83%	16%	1%	
20	Overall I am happy with my child's experience at this school.	85%	15%		
21	I would recommend this school to another parent.	88%	12%		

It would be wonderful to see your views and lovely comments on the government's official Parent View, which can be accessed at <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>.

Thanks once again for your time and support.

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(Headteacher)