Dear parents

A HUGE thank you to the 92 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 overwhelmingly positive about all areas of school life (only 1 negative response) and reiterate what the children and staff said in their surveys at the end of the last academic year and what other visitors and inspectors regularly tell us during their visits. A summary of the questionnaire responses is given overleaf.

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

- My child has come on leaps and bounds since starting nursery, from hardly speaking at all and now does not stop ③.
- I'm very pleased with my child's progress. I believe the school's activities are very educational but also fun which helps with my child's development. I could not praise the school enough. Keep up the hard work ©.
- Only started in September but she loves coming! Thank you!
- My little boy really enjoys coming to nursery every day!
- The teachers are always extra helpful. Absolutely wonderful school and lovely teachers.
- I was really worried about my child starting reception, but couldn't be happier seeing how quickly he has settled and is looked after by all the staff. Fantastic school[©].
- I am extremely happy with my little girl's progress, keep up the good work \odot .
- I am happy with my child's progress since coming here. The school does lots. Thanks.
- Both my children attend and are doing really well. Thank you for all your support.
- My child is very happy in school.
- My boys love this school. The teachers are lovely.
- My child is developing well at school. Her reading and understanding is excellent for a child of her age. She enjoys coming to school, which for us is very important.
- Such a wonderful, supportive school and teachers.
- My child thoroughly loves coming to school here. You are doing a great job! Thank you.
- Our daughter has a fantastic time attending this lovely little school! We couldn't have asked for a better start to her education. The staff have always been attentive and in all areas we feel this is a true gem of a school.
- Strong amount of positives as we have given for all the year years our children have been members of this school.
- Brilliant school every year ③.
- My child comes to school with a smile every day, knowing he will always have fun and learn lots - happy child and happy parents!

A few very helpful parents offered sensible recommendations going forward. One suggested that there needs to be a 'not applicable' response choice, as some questions are not relevant to certain age groups or the statements have not yet been experienced. This will be actioned on the next questionnaire when they are distributed in February 2018. Another politely asked if the Wolves noticeboard could be updated. Again, this will be actioned promptly.

Thank you for all of these lovely responses. Positive comments such as these drive staff to keep giving your children the best education possible.

Results - November 2017

		Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
1	My child is happy at this school.	88%	12%		
2	My child feels safe at this school.	88%	12%		
3	I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress.	85%	14%		1%
4	My child makes good progress at this school.	88%	11%	1%	
5	My child is well looked after at this school.	89%	11%		
6	My child is taught well at this school.	91%	9%		
7	This school helps me to support my child's learning.	86%	14%		
8	This school helps my child to make a healthy lifestyle.	86%	14%		
9	This school meets my child's particular needs.	89%	11%		
10	This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.	89%	11%		
11	This school deals effectively with bullying/prejudice related incidents.	80%	20%		
12	This school teaches my child how to keep safe online and effectively deals with online safety related incidents.	79%	21%		
13	This school responds well to any concerns I raise.	84%	16%		
14	This school is well led and managed.	87%	12%		1%
15	This school effectively teaches my child British Values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty, and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.	81%	19%		
16	I understand the importance of speaking and listening and I have seen my child's speaking and listening skills develop.	85%	15%		
17	I understand the importance of reading and I have seen my child's reading skills develop.	85%	15%		
18	I understand the importance of writing and I have seen my child's writing skills develop.	82%	17%	1%	
19	I understand the importance of mathematics and I have seen my child's mathematical skills develop.	84%	16%		
20	The Children's Learning Supporter (Mrs Dawson) helps and supports the children and their families with a wide range of issues.	84%	15%	1%	
21	My child enjoys taking part in the daily act of worship.	80%	19%	1%	
22	I would recommend this school to another parent.	86%	13%	15	

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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