

## What our parents say about our school

### Parents view – April 2014



Exact percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding

71 returns from parents (1.4% each return)

Question	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	Total
1. My child is happy at this school	57 80%	14 20%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	71
2. My child feels safe at this school	60 85%	11 15%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	71
3. My child is making good progress	46 65%	23 32%	1 1.4%	0 0%	1 1.4%	71
4. My child is well looked after at this school	54 76%	17 24%	0 0%	0 0%	0 0%	71
5. My child is taught well at this school	52 73%	18 25%	1 1.4%	0 0%	0 0%	71
6. My child receives appropriate homework for their age	38 54%	30 42%	3 4.2%	0 0%	0 0%	71
7. This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	49 69%	20 28%	2 2.8%	0 0%	0 0%	71
8. This school deals effectively with bullying	37 52%	24 34%	1 1.4%	0 0%	9 12.6%	71
9. This school is well led and managed	47 66%	23 32%	1 1.4%	0 0%	0 0%	71
10. This school responds well to any concerns I raise	46 64%	21 30%	2 2.8%	0 0%	2 2.8%	71
11. I receive valuable information from my school about my child's progress	41 58%	25 35%	4 5.6%	0 0%	1 1.4%	71
12. I would recommend this school to another parent	55 77%	15 21%	0 0%	0 0%	1 1.4%	71

## Judgements

- There were 71 completed questionnaires completed by parents attending pupil progress evenings on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April, Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> April and Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2014. (Each response represents 1.4%).
- The overwhelming responses to the questions above indicate that the vast majority of parents strongly agree and agree that the school is effective in its mission.
- The same questionnaire given to parents a year ago indicated that homework was an issue (82% of parents either strongly agreed/agreed with question 6) with 13% disagreeing/strongly disagreeing. This year 96% of parents strongly agree/agree that homework is appropriate with only 4.2% disagreeing.
- Only 1 parent (1.4%) indicates that the school does not deal with bullying effectively and that leadership and management are poor.
- The school acknowledges that the issue in question 11 needs attention and addressing. Although 93% of parents strongly agree/agree that valuable information is given to parents regarding pupil's progress nearly 6% do not. We will review this highlighted issue and implement new systems which ensure parents are given more valuable information on their children's progress over the course of the year. This will become part of our new school development plan for the new academic year 2014/2015. Parents views will be sought on how we can improve our service in this regard.
- Thank you to all parents for completing this years questionnaire.

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