Parent Questionnaire November 2016 Results for Governors and Staff

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|  |  | Strongly Agree | Agree | Disagree | | Strongly Disagree | Blank or n/a |
| 1 | My child feels safe at school | 78% | 21% |  | |  | 1% |
| 2 | My child makes good progress | 65% | 33% |  | |  | 2% |
| 3 | My child's needs are met | 70% | 30% |  | |  |  |
| 4 | My child is well looked after | 80% | 19% |  | |  | 1% |
| 5 | My child is taught well | 81% | 19% |  | |  |  |
| 6 | The school helps my child develop skills in communication, reading, writing and maths | 85% | 15% |  | |  |  |
| 7 | There is a good standard of behaviour at school | 73% | 25% |  | |  | 2% |
| 8 | The school deals with cases of bullying effectively | 38% | 31% |  | |  | 31% |
| 9 | The schools supports my child's learning | 69% | 27% | 1% | |  | 3% |
| 10 | The school responds well to my concerns | 68% | 23% |  | |  | 9% |
| 11 | The school keeps me well informed | 67% | 30% | 2% | |  | 1% |
| 12 | The school is led and managed well by the Headteacher and the SLT | 71% | 26% |  | |  | 3% |
| 13 | I would recommend this school to another parent | Yes  100% | | | No | | |

One comment on the questionnaire was that it would have been helpful to have a fifth column – don’t know or not applicable, for questions that parents had no experience of or no opinion on. I have added the fifth column to the results table to show the percentages of parents that left questions blank or marked them n/a.

**Questionnaire Comments November 2016**

What the school does well:

* Everything!
* Focus on individual learners and giving additional support where needed, time given to all learners.
* Welcoming environment with friendly approachable staff and strong community spirit
* Good variety of extra-curricular activities including clubs and exciting trips
* Good communication with parents, including regular updates on education and progress (including ParentMail)
* Positive, happy family atmosphere
* Involving parents
* Staff are fantastic – supportive, helpful, and good at inspiring children, always available to talk to parents and nothing is ever too much trouble.
* Opportunities to learn about different cultures and places.
* Good management of individual needs including medical needs, well cared for children.
* Breakfast club and afterschool clubs.
* Variety of creative, exciting teaching from dedicated teachers
* Inclusion
* Culture of encouraging confidence, friendliness, positive attitudes and striving for success.
* Good transition into Foundation

What we could do better:

* Online lunch ordering
* Ability to pay for trips and dinners online
* More clubs including additional musical instrument clubs and clubs which accept childcare vouchers
* Road safety at drop off and pick up times, including school crossing or lollypop person
* More work to be sent home
* More online resources for parents to help children to do extra work at home
* More information for parents to help children at home with topics they are struggling with.
* After school classes in core subjects for children who are struggling
* More frequent updates on progress
* Staggered start in Foundation unnecessary and unsettling.
* More explanation when things are changed
* School dinners could have a 4 week rota instead of 3.
* More lunchtime supervision
* Greater communication with parents if a child is disciplined for minor incidents or has behaved inappropriately
* Expansion of site and improvement of current buildings
* Friendlier tone of emails
* MFL in Foundation
* More play equipment and improved playground
* More notice for assemblies
* Child conflict resolution