

Friezland Primary School: Parent / Carer Questionnaire



July 2018

Just over half of our families returned their questionnaire 1 response = 2.1% approx..		I agree	I disagree	I don't know	Comments
1	My child is happy and enjoys coming to school.	96%	4%	0%	
2	My child feels safe in school.	98%	0%	2%	
3	The school promotes good discipline and positive behaviours.	96%	2%	2%	
4	The school deals effectively with unacceptable behaviour including bullying.	65%	4%	31%	We have assumed that those who responded with 'don't know' have had no direct experience.
5	My child is taught well at this school.	88%	6%	6%	
6	My child is making good progress at school.	90%	4%	6%	
7	Friezland staff have high expectations for my child.	75%	4%	21%	We will be looking at how we can make changes and improvements here.
8	The staff explain how I can help my child with their learning.	69%	23%	8%	We will be looking at how we can make changes and improvements here.
9	The school offers a broad and balanced curriculum.	92%	2%	6%	
10	The school offers a range of extra-curricular opportunities and experiences.	90%	10%	0%	
11	Transition arrangements are good. (Joining Reception, moving to KS1 then KS2 and onto Secondary KS3.)	96%	2%	2%	
12	The school effectively communicates key information to families.	98%	2%	0%	
13	The school seeks the views of parents / carers and takes into account suggestions.	83%	6%	10%	
14	The school responded well to any questions / concerns I have raised.	92%	6%	2%	
15	The school is led and managed effectively.	92%	4%	4%	
16	I know about some of the work the Governing Board do.	65%	19%	17%	We will be looking at how we can make changes and improvements here.
17	I would recommend Friezland School to another parent.	92%	4%	4%	

The things that you value the most about Friezland Primary School...	The things that you feel we could do better...
<p>A sample of responses in no particular order:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Happy kids- my child comes home happy every day -Committed teaching staff- the teachers work hard to make school a happy and enjoyable place -Excellent teaching -Inclusion -Strong leadership and committed staff -EYFS- fantastic start for my child -Open door policy- can always speak to staff -Community spirit / Family feel -Small pupil numbers- my child is never lost in the background -All staff know my child's name -Pupils all know each other, play together and the older ones take pride in looking after the younger ones -Frosties - Like the family members for themed lunches -Opportunities to try new experiences -Adjustments to different learning styles -The emotional needs of my child are considered -Lots of additional support for children -Buddy system -New school vision reflects the ethos of the school -Excellent school meals -Anti-bullying policy is well adhered to -Staff are friendly but professional and approachable -Great communication- newsletter, class newsletter, Frosties info -Outdoor learning and Forest School -Mathletics has converted me to letting my child use a tablet at home- it has helped my child lots and us as parents to see what they need to be able to do -Broad academic and extra-curricular activities -Lovely to see staff circulating before / after school -Learning experiences are enriched with additional activities like outdoor learning day 	<p>A sample of responses in no particular order:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -More equipment / activities at lunchtimes -Meet new teachers before Sept and more information on KS2 transition- break, milk, expectations etc. -More local area visits and educational trips -Have a school choir -Sports Day- more involvement for children- more activities happening at once -Exploring other cultures and religions -Homework linked to topics worked on in class -Extended use of Forest School -More progress updates -More awards for children so they realise their hard work hasn't gone unnoticed -More learning musical instrument opportunities -Extra-curricular activities in the mornings instead of Frosties -Where changes are made as a result of parental feedback- tell us -Where Governors are involved in / instigate activities- tell us -More home-learning guidance -More information on supporting child- not just mentioned at parent-teacher meetings -Is the daily mile a possibility? -Differentiation in portion size for older / hungry children
<p>In response to your feedback we will...</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> *Meet as a staff and as a Governing Board to discuss the key questionnaire findings and identify any further improvements that can be made. *Ensure that staff are always available to meet with families to discuss queries or concerns- if not immediately, then an appointment will be offered as soon as possible. *Ensure that we offer a range of both curricular and extra-curricular opportunities across school. *Continue to communicate with you regularly via our weekly newsletter and school website. Letters will also be sent home occasionally, usually when a reply slip is required. Paper copies will be available via the school office, website or corridor notice boards. *Review our Curriculum Policy to ensure it reflects best practice and our Friezland ethos. *Develop how we communicate information with families about curriculum areas other than Maths and English like RE, Science and Outdoor Learning. *Update families on the different ways in which we celebrate our children's many different strengths and achievements. *Let you know as and when we make improvements based upon family feedback. *Keep you updated with the work of our Governing Board. 	