

Parent Questionnaire Results – 2018



5/3/18

Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you very much to all those who returned this year's Parent Questionnaire. We had 126 responses, representing almost half our children. The results are below and overleaf.

The survey is invaluable to us in gauging parental opinion, both to know what we are doing well and where there is room for improvement. We take all feedback very seriously and we are always open-minded about ways in which we can improve.

Many parents will have received an individual response to their questionnaire where a particular concern or query was raised pertaining to their child. If you feel that you would have liked a personal response and did not receive one, please do let us know so that we can address this.

In addition to individual responses, we will be taking the following action in response to feedback on whole-school issues –

- In our new 2018-19 budget we are putting money aside to make improvements to the children's toilets and pool changing rooms. Although finances are very stretched, we understand that these are important priorities. We hope that improvement work will start in the summer term.
- In the summer term, we will review the issue of homework in order to establish whether its current nature and frequency is effective, in addition to the ways in which we keep parents informed about children's progress. We will include children's views in this review and may send out a further short questionnaire for parents, specifically on these issues.
- We will be contacting the Council to request further parking controls and a reduced speed limit in Manor Drive, Manor Way and Manor Close at school drop off / pick up times.

Thank you again for your feedback.

	Strongly Agree / Agree	Strongly Disagree / Disagree
1. My child is happy at school	100%	-
2. My child feels safe and well cared for at school	97%	3%
3. My child is making good progress at school	98%	2%
4. My child is suitably challenged in their learning	99%	1%
5. My child is developing a strong 'Growth Mindset' *** see below	97%	3%
6. I receive useful information about my child's progress	96%	4%
7. There is a good standard of behaviour at the school	98%	2%

8. If anyone bullied my child I know that I would get help from the school	97%	3%
9. The school offers an interesting curriculum & wide range of activities.	100%	-
10. The school offers regular and meaningful opportunities for learning outdoors.	99%	1%
11. The school is encouraging my child's ability and interest in reading	99%	1%
12. If I had a concern, the school would respond promptly	98%	2%
13. The school keeps me well informed about news and events	100%	-
14. The school is a clean, tidy and pleasant environment	95%	5% (most of these made specific reference to the children's toilets)
15. The school is well led and managed	100%	-

What do you like and value most about Manor Primary?

A wide range of factors were specified. The most popular of these made reference to:

- The quality of teachers and teaching (22)
- The friendly, welcoming and supportive nature of the school (18)
- The school grounds and facilities (17)
- The way in which children are known and treated as individuals (12)
- Levels of communication (12)
- The fact that children are happy (11)

“A welcoming and friendly school with perfect communication and an approachable team.”

“Very friendly and supportive atmosphere.”

“The whole experience of changing schools for my children was pleasant and I honestly don't believe they could be happier.”

(I like and value) “...the passion that the Headteacher and all the staff demonstrate.”

(I like and value) “...the lovely feeling it has when you walk in.”

“Wonderful school... always there for the children and parents... always happy that the children are looked after and educated well.”

Is there anything about Manor Primary that you think we should change, develop or improve?

A small number of factors were identified, with four of these highlighted by more than one respondent:

- The condition of the toilets (6)
- Too much homework / nature of homework (6)
- Lack of safety on the road outside school at the start and end of the day (5)
- The swimming pool changing rooms (3)

