

Parent Survey Summer 2009

A random sample of 25% of Y7 and Y10 parents completed questionnaires at Parents' Evening. Satisfaction rates are very high in most respects. Particularly pleasing was the 100% approval rating for quality of teaching!

The area with which parents express lower rates of satisfaction relates to home/school communication. We will be looking at ways of keeping parents better informed about their children's progress because we recognize that the home school partnership is fundamental to children's success.

The results, in detail, were as follows:

<i>Please tick</i>		Agree	Disagree	Agree %
1.	My child likes school	90	1	99%
2.	My child is making good progress	89	2	98%
3.	Students behave well	84	7	92%
4.	The school tackles bullying effectively	85	6	93%
5.	Teaching is good	91	0	100%
6.	I am kept well informed about how my child is getting on	77	14	84%
7.	I receive regular communications about what activities/events have taken place or will take place in school	82	9	90%
8.	I feel comfortable about approaching the school with questions or a problem or complaint	86	5	95%
9.	I am kept appropriately informed about my child's progress	78	13	86%
10.	If ever I contact the school by telephone or come to school in person, we are greeted and dealt with courteously	89	2	98%
11.	Staff expect my child to work hard and do his or her best	90	1	99%
12.	The school is led and managed well	89	2	99%
13.	The school is accessible and responds promptly to any concerns expressed	85	6	94%
14.	Staff treat my child fairly	87	4	96%
15.	The school seeks the views of parents and takes account of their suggestions and concerns	82	9	90%
16.	The school provides appropriate homework	83	8	91%
17.	Staff encourage my child to become mature and independent	89	2	98%
18.	There is good range of activities that my child finds interesting and enjoyable	86	5	95%
19.	The arrangements for my son or daughter to settle in when he/she started at the school were good	89	2	98%
20.	The school use the media to celebrate achievement on a regular basis	83	8	91%