

PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE (2014)

Wellbeing	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	No Opinion
There is a happy atmosphere at school		37%	63%	
I feel welcome when I come into school		37%	62%	2%
Ettington School has a good reputation		30%	70%	
The school buildings are <i>is</i> (includes grounds) well maintained	2%	59%	37%	2%
The school site is sufficiently secure	3%	50%	45%	2%
The classrooms are attractive and provide an effective working environment for my child	2%	38%	60%	
I am kept well informed about what my child is learning in school	5%	60%	35%	
Curriculum				
My child is making good progress	3%	39%	56%	2%
I am kept well informed about how my child is getting on	7%	51%	41%	2%
I am given enough information about how I can support my child at home	12%	42%	46%	
Ettington School has high expectations for my child	2%	45%	50%	3%
Ettington School ensures that my child reaches their full potential	5%	50%	45%	
I understand the homework expectations in my child's Year group	13%	39%	47%	2%
I think my child gets adequate homework for their age	15%	39%	44%	2%
Behaviour & Pastoral Care				
I think the school's system of rewarding and praising children are effective	7%	45%	47%	2%
I think the school's system of discipline is effective		51%	30%	20%
I am confident that school deals with inappropriate behaviour effectively	5%	51%	23%	21%
The school's values and attitudes have a positive effect on my child		39%	61%	
The school treats my child fairly		52%	48%	
My child is confident that should they have a problem, there is someone they can go to in school who will listen to them	7%	43%	43%	8%
My child enjoys playtimes and lunchtimes		45%	53%	2%
Ettington School helps to promote a healthy lifestyle		51%	48%	2%
Communication				
The school staff are helpful and approachable	2%	41%	57%	
Parent consultation meetings provide me with the information I require about my child's progress and achievement	2%	40%	58%	
The school report provides me with the information I require about my child's progress and achievement	3%	42%	49%	5%
The newsletters provide me with clear information about school life and day to day business		45%	55%	
I understand the role of the school Governors	14%	56%	27%	3%
I find Governors approachable	5%	32%	20%	43%
I believe my concerns would be dealt with by the school		57%	40%	3%
The school is led and managed well		40%	60%	
The school encourages parents and carers to play an active part in school life		47%	50%	3%

Please share two positives that you think we do well...

1. Helping children reach their full potential.
2. Giving children opportunities beyond the normal curriculum.
3. School Assemblies.
4. Keep an eye on each child's progress.
5. Varied and very good pastoral/social skills.
6. Head of school friendly and approachable.
7. Children are happy!
8. Availability to discuss issues.
9. Encouragement of school values.
10. Their work is stimulating and interesting for them.

11. Good relationships between pupils, teachers and head teacher and the encouragement they get for individual needs.
12. A good range of after school clubs.
13. Inviting parents to share plays, dances etc.
14. A nice friendly happy environment.
15. Promoting positive values and behaviours.
16. My child is learning important values.
17. Encourage responsibility and respect.
18. Strong links with the Church and fantastic ethics/moral codes
19. Friday meaning awards are very rewarding and motivating
20. Good discipline.
21. The staff and management team clearly take a real pride in the school.
22. When we had some concerns about Eleanor's well being in class, we were very pleased with the way the school took the matter very seriously and put our minds at rest!
23. The school is very good at building confidence.
24. Allow each child to develop as an individual
25. Stretching more able pupils.
26. Celebration assemblies/reward and recognition
27. Communication via newsletter is much improved

And add one suggestion to help improve the school for all our pupils...

1. More efficient office function.
2. Better sport facilities.
3. Clarity for homework ie use of a website.
4. More mixed class activities like plays and group activities.
5. Outdoor play equipment.
6. Healthier lifestyle ie healthier and more nutritious lunch menu, more activity and more drama.
7. Split year classes to be decided by ability and not age.
8. Stream the children by ability instead of by age.
9. Modernisation of older part of building, lack of space.
10. Encourage more walking to school, no parking outside the gates.
11. Keep the children off the mud or remove muddy areas/replace.
12. Playground buddies (Year 6 pupils) for children who may find themselves alone during playtimes.
13. Paying for hot dinners online.
14. 7th Classroom and teacher
15. A newer building. Money spent on the exterior. Newer facilities
16. Another classroom and a new, larger hall.
17. Bring in less outside providers of after school clubs as cost is now very high.
18. Better communication between school and parent.

Thank you for your time