

Ettington C of E Primary School  
**PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS 2023**

As part of our ongoing self-evaluation and school improvement work we invited all parents and carers to complete our annual parent questionnaire. Please see a summary of results below. We are very grateful to all families who made the time to respond honestly, the feedback is very positive and where you have identified any concerns or next steps, we will now endeavour to make changes.

<b>Well-being</b>	<b>Strongly Agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>No Opinion</b>
My child enjoys coming to school	61%	33%	8%	0%
There is a happy atmosphere at school	59%	43%	0%	0%
I feel welcomed when I come into school or approach a member of staff	65%	37%	0%	0%
Ettington C of E Primary School has a good reputation	65%	31%	0%	6%
The school buildings and grounds are well maintained	33%	59%	10%	0%
The school site is sufficiently secure	57%	35%	0%	10%
The classrooms are attractive and provide an effective working environment for my child.	41%	61%	0%	0%
I am kept well informed about what my child is learning in school (website/Curriculum Overviews for Parents/Termly Progress Reports, Knowledge Organisers)	45%	37%	18%	2%
<b>Curriculum</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>NO</b>
The Curriculum is engaging, relevant and well-organised; ensuring that my child develops a range of skills to use in the future	53%	41%	4%	4%
I am pleased with the progress my child has made this year	55%	35%	10%	2%
My child is given an education which will prepare them for living a full life in the future (School Vision: <i>Learning for Fullness of Life</i> )	51%	45%	2%	4%
I am given enough information about how I can support my child at home	43%	41%	16%	2%
Ettington School has high expectations for my child and ensures they reach their full potential	45%	43%	10%	4%
The school provides sufficient opportunities for parents to come into school and see what their child is learning	51%	39%	12%	0%
I think my child gets adequate homework for their age and understand the homework expectations in my child's year group.	41%	39%	18%	4%
<b>Behaviour &amp; Pastoral Care</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>NO</b>
I think the school's system of rewarding and praising children is effective	49%	43%	6%	4%
I am confident that school deals with inappropriate behaviour effectively	29%	45%	8%	20%
The school's Christian values and attitudes have a positive effect on my child ( <i>Trust – Respect – Love</i> )	47%	49%	0%	6%
The school treats my child fairly	55%	43%	4%	0%
My child is confident that should they have a problem, there is someone they can go to in school who will listen to them	49%	45%	2%	6%
My child enjoys playtimes and lunchtimes	51%	45%	4%	2%
Ettington School helps to promote a healthy lifestyle	55%	39%	6%	2%
<b>Communication</b>	<b>SA</b>	<b>A</b>	<b>D</b>	<b>NO</b>
The school staff are helpful and approachable	67%	35%	0%	0%

Parent consultation meetings provide me with the information I require about my child's progress and achievement	45%	<b>49%</b>	6%	2%
The school's end of year report and termly interim records (Autumn & Spring) provide me with the information I require about my child's progress and achievement	35%	<b>53%</b>	8%	6%
The emails and texts provide me with clear information about school life and day to day business	35%	<b>45%</b>	<b>22%</b>	0%
I understand the role of the school Governors and know who they are	12%	39%	<b>41%</b>	10%
I believe my concerns would be dealt with by the school	<b>51%</b>	39%	10%	2%
The school is led and managed well (Head & Deputy Head)	<b>71%</b>	25%	0%	4%
The school encourages parents and carers to play an active part in school life	<b>61%</b>	27%	4%	8%
<b>Totals</b>	<b>49%</b>	<b>40%</b>	<b>7%</b>	<b>3%</b>

#### Summary/common answers - strengths of our school

Children are the clear priority, they develop an enthusiasm for learning.  
 Children behave well and know what is expected of them.  
 FoES – Friends of Ettington School.  
 Online communication - use of google Classroom for homework.  
 School Trips, visitors and visits.  
 Strong sense of community, lovely calm and welcoming environment.  
 Staff are friendly and approachable, a tight-knit team.  
 Opportunities for parents to come into school, contribute.  
 All children are treated as individuals, no matter what their needs are.  
 School meal options.  
 Homework - varied approaches and use of online learning platforms.  
 Happy and confident children who want to come to school.  
 Range of after-school clubs  
 Relationships between children across the whole school - older children to younger in particular  
 Strong Christian ethos – values are embedded  
 Lots of physical and active learning.  
 Great range of rewards to praise and encourage, Celebration Assemblies are a real positive.


#### Summary/common answers - suggestions to help improve the school for all our pupils next year

Better communication regarding events – dates, times, logistics, need to be sent out well in advance.  
 More regular themed and enhanced curriculum days for the whole school.  
 More Forest School/outdoor learning activities for all classes.  
 More fundraising events.  
 More info regarding the additional support and intervention which supports children.  
 More disabled parking needs to be available for those genuinely in need.  
 Some of the inside and outside spaces need redecorating and updating.  
 Replace pre-fabricated buildings.  
 More visibility from Governors.  
 Increase focus on team rewards, further develop House Teams.  
 High expectations regarding homework for children in KS1.  
 Introduce more clubs during lunch break.  
 Greater clarity needed regarding homework across the school.

Thank you for your time; we value your support, feedback and ideas. We really will take on board your ideas and suggestions, where possible. The team very much look forward to the year ahead, and promise that even with the changes ahead, we will retain those qualities which make us so successful and build on them.

As always, if you have anything to offer us in return: skills, resources, ideas or time, please let us know.

Your involvement really makes a difference, if you can volunteer in any way, however small, do let us know.



David Johnson - Headteacher.