

We asked what you thought about **Working with Parents and Carers** in school.  
You said...

	Agree	Disagree	Don't know	Not applicable
I know who to go to if I need support or advice.	94%	2%	2%	2%
The <u>school works</u> to develop effective relationships with parents/carers.	95%	2%	3%	0%
I am encouraged to be actively involved in school life.	92%	0%	6%	2%
I am given opportunities to share my views.	97%	0%	1%	2%
I am aware of the approaches used in school to support my child's mental health.	78%	5%	9%	8%

- "I think it would be nice if there was a group for parents to be involved in school."
- "Coaching through Expect Youth has really helped my child."

### Did you know.....?

Whilst some of the areas to develop, that came from your responses, will be built into our long term plans for school improvement, there are already lots of things happening in school:

- ⇒ Term dates are always available on our school website. In addition we include a list of events happening in school on our half termly newsletters. These can be found on the website at <https://woodfieldprimaryschool.co.uk/parents/newsletters/>
- ⇒ Keeping the paths around school clean and tidy is the responsibility of the council but we have recently begun working with them to hold regular litter picking sessions.
- ⇒ Last school year we ran several successful Family Learning groups for parents to get involved in. These will continue this year as well as some exciting new opportunities to spend time in school. Look out for more information coming soon!

### Parent Ambassadors

Last year we let you know about the new Parent Ambassador team we are trying to build in school. Our aim is to build a team of parents, with a range of skills and expertise who can support in making the school experience the best it can be for children and parents alike. We are looking for ambassadors to support our work on wellbeing, engaging all members of the community in school life and increasing parent voice in school. If you would like to join our team, please see Mrs Watson for more information.



## Parent Questionnaire Analysis 2018-19

At Woodfield Primary School we see the relationship between the school and parents/carers as vital in supporting the development of every child. At the end of the last school year we sent out a questionnaire based on key aspects of the school experience:

Environment

Curriculum

Communication

Behavioural and Pastoral

Working with Parents

The information collected has helped us to recognise the strengths within this partnership and identify key areas that we can develop over the coming year. This leaflet contains a summary of our findings. We had around 200 responses in total and would like to thank you for taking time to share your thoughts.

We asked what you thought about the **Environment** in school. You said...

	Agree	Disagree	Don't know	Not applicable
I feel welcome when I come into school.	100%	0%	0%	0%
My child(ren) enjoys school.	100%	0%	0%	0%
The school has a good reputation.	89%	0%	11%	0%
The school site is sufficiently secure.	98%	1%	1%	0%
The school site is sufficiently safe.	98%	0%	2%	0%
The school is well maintained.	97%	0%	3%	0%
The school encourages parents to play an active part in school life.	98%	0%	2%	0%

- "I have every confidence my child is happy and safe in this school."
- "A great school."
- "The pathway around school needs dealing with by the council as there is always litter and dog mess."

We asked what you thought about **Communication** in school. You said...

	Agree	Disagree	Don't know	Not applicable
Members of staff are accessible and approachable.	99%	0%	1%	0%
Parent's Evenings (Focus Child meetings in Reception) provide me with the information I need about my child's progress and achievements.	96%	0%	2%	2%
The newsletter gives me regular information about school.	95%	0%	2%	3%
I use the school website regularly to find out information.	64%	22%	5%	9%
I understand the role and responsibilities of the Governing Body.	69%	18%	10%	3%
I know how to contact a member of the Governing Body if I need to.	61%	23%	14%	2%
I would find it easy to approach the school with a question regarding my child(ren).	98%	0%	0%	0%
If you have approached the school in the last 12 months with questions or concerns- My concerns were handled well.	74%	0%	2%	24%

- "I had an issue this term, it was sorted within a day and I can still see now that this is in the thoughts of the teachers."
- Woodfield Primary School is the best choice for my child. Well done and congratulations for your gained reputation."
- "Sometimes I am not aware of events until the night before. There used to be a list on the newsletter to avoid this."

We asked what you thought about our school **Curriculum**. You said...

	Agree	Disagree	Don't know	Not applicable
I receive regular information about the curriculum and what my child is learning.	84%	11%	2%	3%
The school has sufficiently high expectations for my child(ren).	90%	2%	8%	0%
The school enables my child to make good progress.	94%	3%	3%	0%
My child(ren)'s topics are interesting and engaging.	92%	0%	8%	0%
I think that the homework for my child(ren) is appropriate and relevant to their age.	69%	10%	11%	10%
I think that the homework for my child(ren) is interesting and engaging.	75%	8%	6%	11%
School trips and visits are worthwhile experiences	83%	0%	3%	14%

- "I thought my child would get more homework in Reception but am pleased that the school teaches her well enough that she makes progress but doesn't need to bring work home."
- "I don't always receive the curriculum leaflet, which is emailed out, for all of my children."

We asked what you thought about the **Behaviour and Pastoral Care** in school. You said...

	Agree	Disagree	Don't know	Not applicable
I understand what kind of behaviour the school expects from my child(ren).	97%	0%	3%	0%
I have the same expectations about behaviour as the school.	98%	0%	2%	0%
I am confident that the school deals with behaviour effectively.	89%	3%	8%	0%
I understand the importance of children being at school on time.	100%	0%	0%	0%
I understand the importance of good attendance.	100%	0%	0%	0%
My child(ren) is/are confident that if they have a problem in school there is someone to listen to them.	96%	1%	2%	1%
The school's values and ethos have a positive effect on my child(ren).	95%	0%	5%	0%
I am satisfied with the amount of extra-curricular activities available.	85%	5%	5%	5%
The school actively supports the social and emotional development of my child.	94%	0%	6%	0%
If your child has additional needs (SEND/Medical): The school meets my child's specific needs.	51%	0%	6%	43%
Overall, over the last year, the school has improved.	85%	0%	13%	2%

- "Fantastic relationships, all adults care and want my child to do well. They go the extra mile."
- "There needs to be more variety in After School Clubs."