



Arden Forest Infant School Governing Body Update Winter 2019

In this update we would like to give you some feedback from the Parent Questionnaires that were given out during the last Parent Consultations. We had a fantastic response and want to say a big thank you to those of you who took the time to participate. Parental feedback is vital and is much appreciated.

As you will see from the summary below, it is very pleasing to report that the responses were extremely positive.

		Agree	Disagree	Don't know
1	My child is happy at this school	98%	2%	
2	My child feels safe at this school.	100%		
3	The school makes sure its pupils are well-behaved.	95%	1%	1%
4a	Has your child been bullied?	Yes 10%		No 82%
4b	If 'Yes' to question 4a Did the school deal with the bullying quickly and effectively?	75%	25%	
5	The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	86%	8%	5%
6a	Have you raised any concerns with the school?	Yes 21%		No 72%
6b	If 'Yes' to question 6a. Were the concerns you raised dealt with properly?	93%	7%	
7a	Does your child have special educational needs and/or disabilities? (SEND)	Yes 12%		No 79%
7b	If 'yes' to question 7a The school gives my child the support they need to succeed.	93%	7%	
8	The school has high expectations of my child.	97%	2%	
9	My child does well at this school.	97%	1%	
10	The school lets me know how my child is doing.	94%	3%	1%
11	There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.	97%		3%
12	My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.	78%	3%	3%
13	The school supports my child's wider personal development.	84%		3%

NB some questions were not answered and so not all rows add up to 100%

85% of parents would recommend Arden Forest to another parent.

The school staff, support to children, school atmosphere and reputation were the most popular 'best things about Arden Forest'.

The comments made in the 'What could be better?' section have been noted and are being addressed by Mrs Gunn and the staff team.

Thank you for your continued support.

Graeme Cave

Chair of Governors Arden Forest Infant School.