



Dear Parents / Carers,

I would like to thank everyone who took the time to complete our Parent Questionnaire that was given out at our recent open afternoon. 81 questionnaires were completed in total and we are very pleased to report that the overall response to the survey was excellent. We always welcome suggestions and feedback so that we can continue to improve.

In particular, it was lovely to find that 100% of parents agreed that their child was happy at school. These results are testimony to the hard work and dedication of all of the staff teams.

The school is always happy to receive comments and suggestions from parents / carers throughout the school year. If you wish to complete a questionnaire or give feedback at any point during the school year, copies are available in the main school reception. There is also a link to ParentView on our website (within Key Information – Ofsted) which gives you the chance to tell Ofsted what you think of your child's school.

I hope we can rely on your support to help us to continue to offer a 5 Star education to your child.

Yours Sincerely

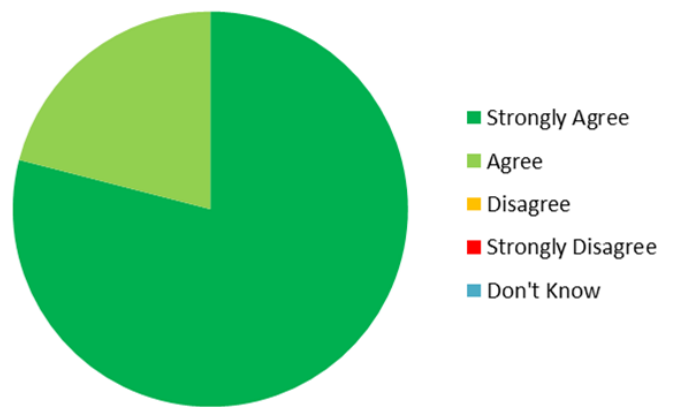
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Manjit Bringan

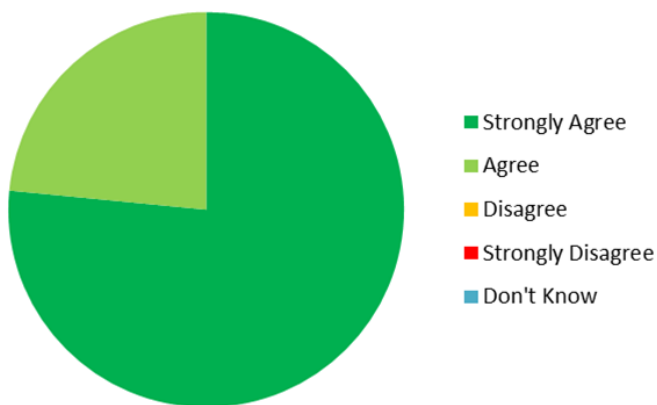
Headteacher

On these 2 pages you will find the results of our recent parent / carer questionnaire

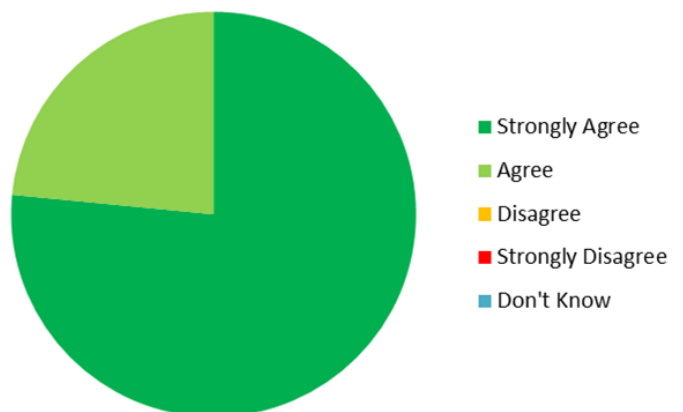
My child is happy at school



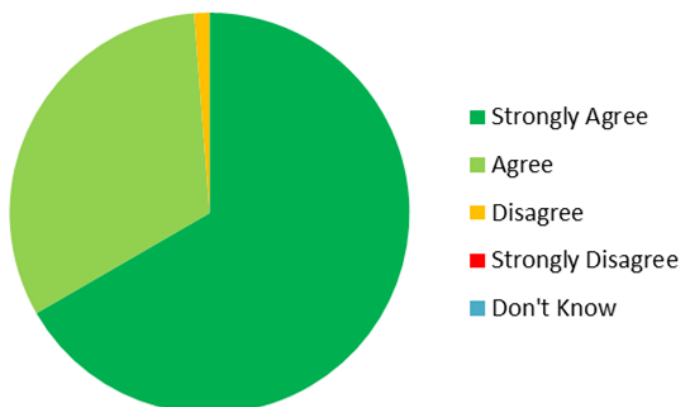
My child is making good progress



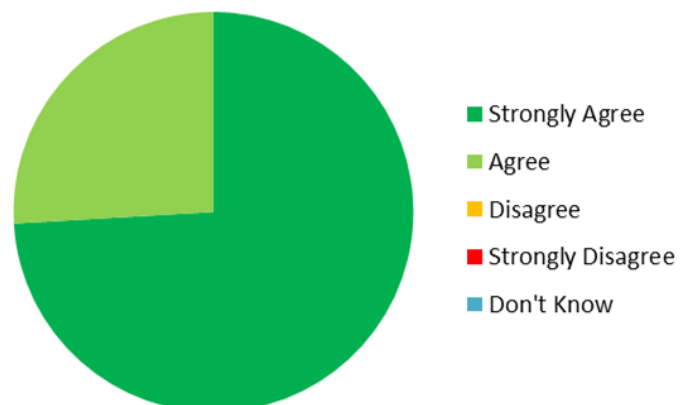
My child is taught well at Whitehall



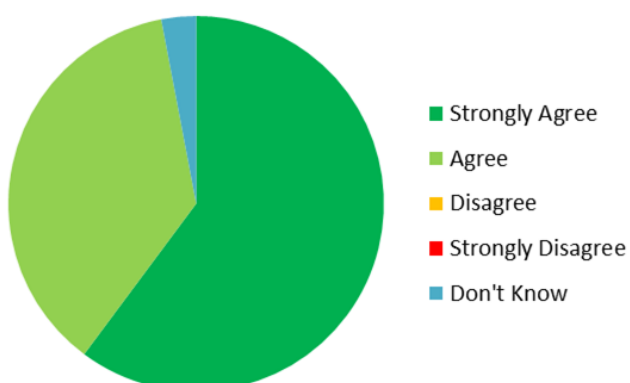
I receive regular information about how my child is doing



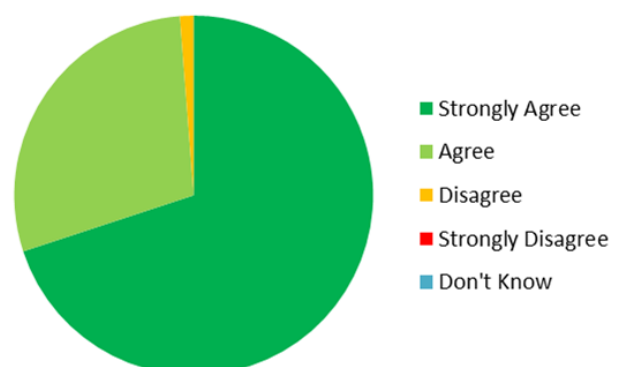
The school gives me information about events and activities



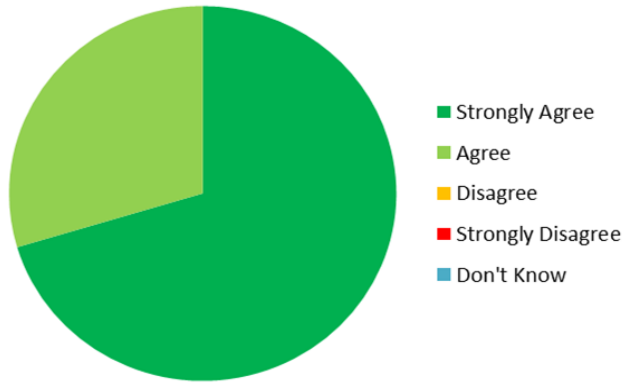
The school seeks the views of parents and takes account of their suggestions and concerns



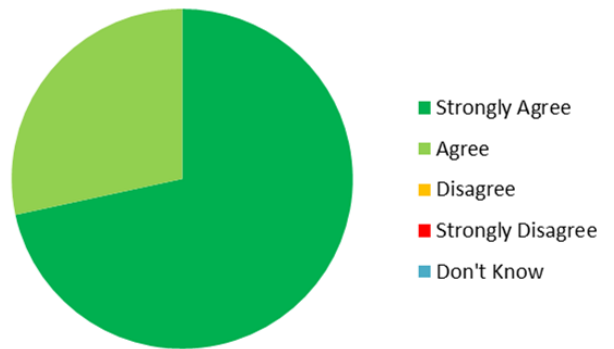
I feel comfortable about approaching the school with questions or a problem or complaint



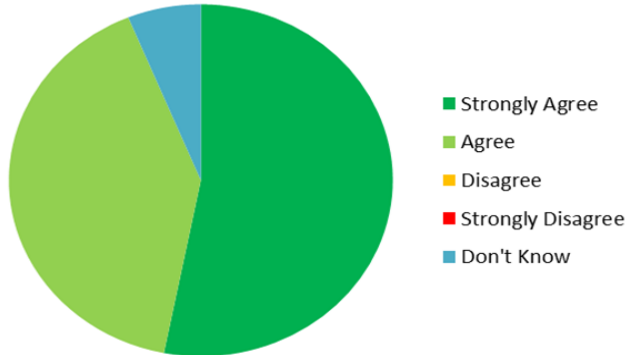
I find it easy to contact my child's teacher



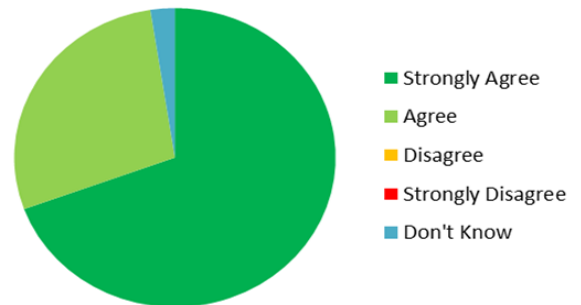
Staff expect my child to work hard and do his or her best



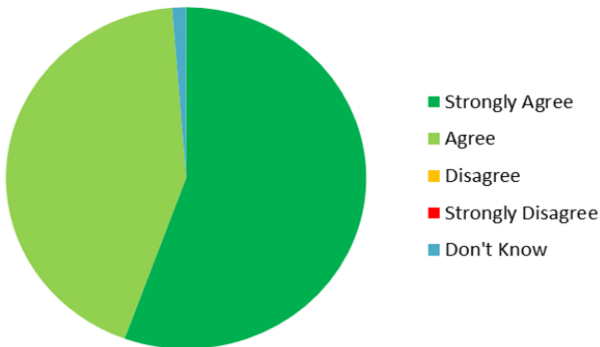
Most children behave well



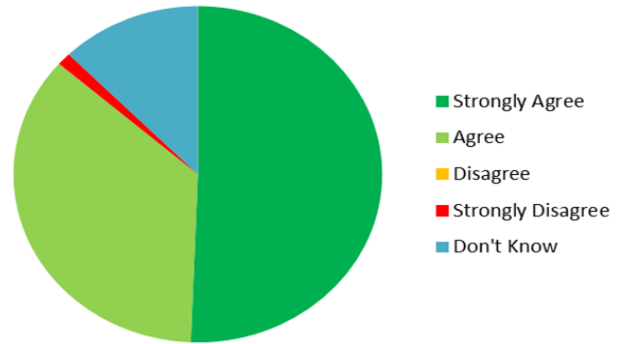
Staff encourage my child to become mature and independent



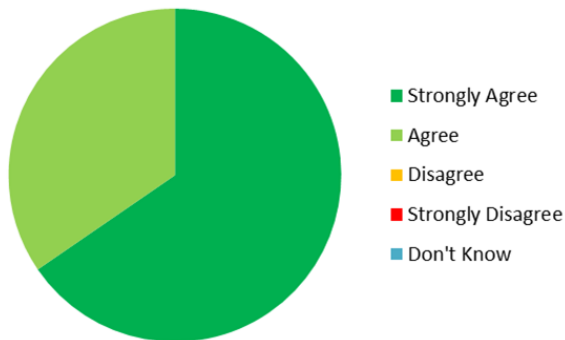
The school provides appropriate homework



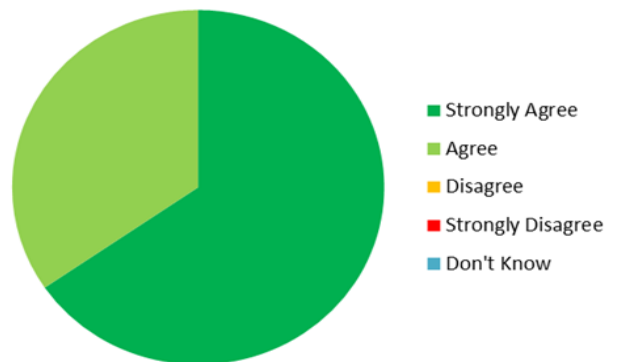
The school deals effectively with bullying



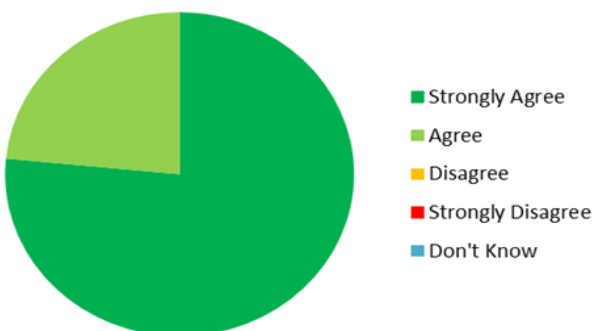
I feel welcome in the school and am encouraged to take part in school activities and events



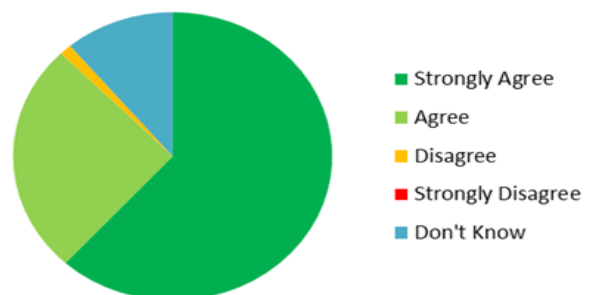
The school is led and managed well



I would recommend Whitehall Infant School to another parent



The school provides good extra-curricular opportunities and wrap-around childcare as needed



These are the comments / suggestions made on the recent Parent Questionnaire

There were some great positive comments made by parents (some examples are below). I would like to thank those parents for their kind words.

Children are happy and progress well

The staff are welcoming, kind and helpful

Whitehall Infant School provides a good quality of education

The school keeps me informed of my child's progress

School leadership is above and beyond!

All children are treated the same

Breakfast club is brilliant

I feel that my children are safe in school

The below table outlines the suggestions made by parents. Any other suggestions are welcomed.

<u>What would you like us to do better at school?</u>	<u>Our response</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To keep a closer eye on what happens at lunch and ensure teachers are told • Bigger lunch portions 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lunchtime staff action issues that occur at lunchtime • We have supervision in place in the playground and good communication with teachers • We offer a healthy balanced lunch based on Government standards. In the Autumn Term, parents will have the chance to come and have lunch with their child and see the food on offer.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • To receive information on different levels of reading, writing and maths and to be told what level my child is on. • Sometimes the homework is too challenging • More sport activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have termly parent meetings where you can discuss the level your child is on. • If you find homework too challenging, please speak directly with the child regarding this. • We offer a range of sport activities and pay for different companies to support PE and provide lunchtime activities throughout the week.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Have some after school clubs on different days • More after school clubs • More extra curricular activities 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • A questionnaire will be sent in September regarding after school clubs and what parents / carers would like.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Make the playground safer • Improve general tidiness of school outside areas • More green spaces for children and visitors to enjoy 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We have structured play activities at lunchtime to promote safe play • The premises team allocate time to regularly check the safety of all equipment • Over the holidays, extensive cleaning and tidying is undertaken in all areas. • We are fortunate to have a large field which the children will use more over the next year
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Give instructions to children on how to behave at home • More workshops about subjects taught in class 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • We will hold more workshops for parents next year, including ones on behaviour. • We have already supported a number of parents who have requested our help with behaviour. • We will hold an assembly themed on 'behaviour at home'.