



Dear Parents / Carers,

I would like to thank everyone who took the time to complete our Year 1 Transition Questionnaire that was sent home recently. Only 13 questionnaires were completed and returned in total. It is important for us to seek the views of parents to make each child's experience at Whitehall Infant School as positive and beneficial as possible. Hopefully, in future we will receive a better response to questionnaires to enable us to do this.

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.

There have been some great suggestions for improving transition in the future. We will look at integrating these ideas in to our transition arrangements for next year. Our responses to some of the comments can be found on the last page of these results.

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

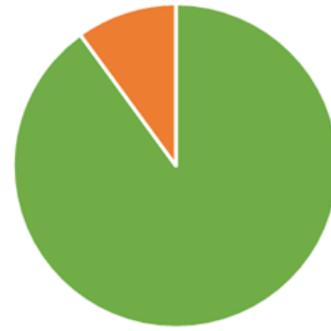
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New to Year 1 presentation for parents



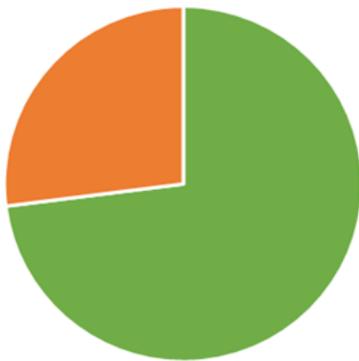
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Children spent time visiting their new classroom and meeting their new teachers



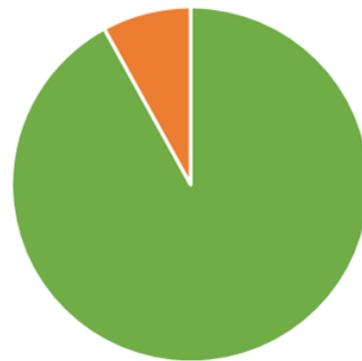
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New class information leaflet for children



■ Very Useful ■ Useful ■ Not sure

Meet the teacher parents' meeting



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Parents Evening to discuss how your child has settled in and targets for the Autumn Term



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Do you feel your child has settled well into their new class?



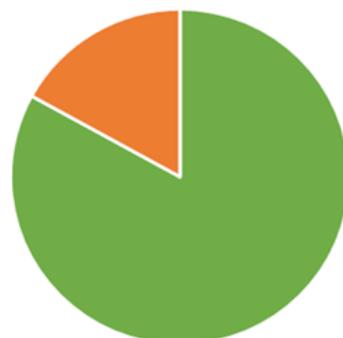
■ Yes ■ Mostly ■ Not sure

Do you feel your child was well-prepared for moving into Reception?



■ Yes ■ Mostly ■ Not sure

Do you feel your child is happy at school?



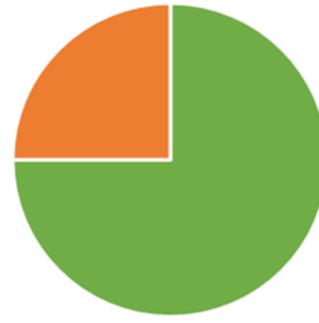
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If your child has additional needs, were you happy with the transition process?



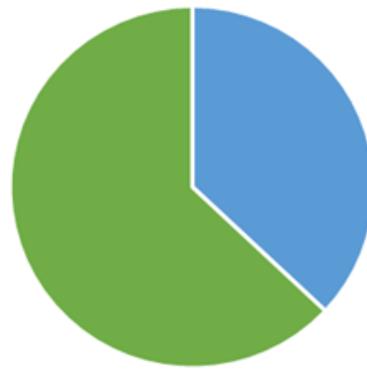
■ Yes ■ Mostly ■ Not sure

Do you feel the amount of communication you receive from the school is appropriate?



■ Yes ■ Mostly ■ Not sure

Which type of communication do you find most effective?



■ Paper ■ Email ■ Poster ■ Website or App

Our Comments

There were some wonderful positive comments from parents and I am very pleased to hear you are happy with the New to Year 1 presentation and the fact that children's classes are moved around slightly when they move up a year group to enable them to get to know new children.

Some parents requested more After School clubs. You may have noticed that we are trialling new after school clubs this term. We are still looking for a further variety of clubs - if you have any suggestions of companies that would be able to come and run an after school club please do let us know.

One suggestion made was for children to spend more time in their classroom with their new teacher before they transition. This is something we will look in to for next year but, as you can imagine, we must still ensure that children are learning the full curriculum during this transition period.