



## Christ Church CE (C) Primary School

### CHILDREN'S SEF

2017

#### What makes your learning interesting and enjoyable?

What do you enjoy about the subjects you learn about and why? This can include English, maths and topic work, as well as after school clubs, visits and special events.

- I like learning about numbers e.g. sausages in a pan
- I really like learning letters so that I can learn big words.
- I like to play. I learn lots of new things with my friends.
- Using the Ipads.
- We like learning about new things.
- We like challenges.
- The magic box in Year 1 is exciting.
- The hot tasks in maths let us show off what we have learned.
- Learning fun sounds in phonics.
- Working with other children in my class.
- When we help each other.
- Fun literacy lessons.
- Athletics.
- Games for learning.
- Links to the big question are interesting.
- I really like the maths wrist bands.
- Phonics.
- School trips
- Role playing in topic
- Teachers explanations are active and fun.

#### Is there anything you don't like about your learning?

What do you not learn about which you feel might help you understand more about the world around you?

- We find cold tasks in maths hard because we haven't learned how to do that type of maths yet.
- Sometimes the work is challenging and that is hard but my teacher will always help me.
- I'd like more school trips.
- More topic work.

#### How do teachers and other grown-ups help you or your friends who find it difficult to learn?

Tell us how these children are helped in the school so that their learning improves

- They read to us.
- They help to sound things out.
- They smile and help us.
- They show us what to do on the board.
- They respect us even if we can't do it.
- We get extra intervention if we are stuck.
- Times table club helps us to learn our times tables.
- 'It doesn't matter if you get it wrong - you can always have help and try again.'
- Adult read things to help us.
- The TAs help me.

#### What makes teaching and learning good?

Tell us about your lessons. Are they interesting? Do they help you learn better? Are they challenging and make you think hard? How do you know how well you do each day?

- The teachers help us to learn.
- The teachers make the learning fun.
- I like learning how to write my name.
- My teacher helps me to make good progress in work my learning.
- Post it notes give us feedback and challenge.
- I really like group work.
- I really like good to be green stickers and challenge stickers.
- I like using purple pens because they show how I've improved something.
- If we don't get something or something is wrong, the teacher help us until we understand.

#### How could learning be improved?

Do lessons make you think for yourself? What about group and practical work? Are you helped to be independent in your learning. Does marking help you to improve your work?

- We could have even more value tokens when we have done something well.
- Building up the work – starting easy and then getting harder.
- More time to do the purple pen tasks.
- More sketching in art

#### How do we show that we care about others?

Tell us how you support and care for each other in school. This can include your school values; Playground Buddies.

- We help each other on the playground.
- We show resilience.
- We are kind to each other.
- We look after each other when we are hurt.
- We always share.
- We always try to be polite.
- Do follow the rules.
- We use our values.
- We pick people up if they fall over.
- We give each other a hug if someone is sad.
- Respect and Care for them
- Value tokens have improved how I behave.
- When someone is hurt we take them to the office.
- We respect other people's differences.

## What makes you feel safe in school?

How are children in the school made to feel safe? Tell us about e safety. Do you always feel safe? – if not, why not?

- The teachers make us feel safe.
- Fire alarms/fire practice makes us feel safe.
- The register tells us who is here.
- We have our own passwords if we want to go on the computers.
- Our friends keep us safe.
- Gates around school are always locked.
- Adults and teachers in school keep us safe.
- The older children look after us.
- Teachers keep us safe.
- Good fences and we have CCTV.
- E-Safety workshops help us to stay safe online.
- Filters on the internet.
- There's always an adult in the room.
- We trust people wearing stickers and lanyards
- Teachers make sure that we go to our parents at the end of the day.
- We have Malachi. They are good to talk to.

## What opportunities are you given to make the school better – and does the school listen?

Role of School Council. Other evidence of pupil leadership in the school and responsibilities

- We told Mrs Pilmore that the cloak rooms were messy so we were given lockers instead.
- We raised money for new benches in the hall by completing a sponsored run.
- We wanted a better area to play football in so Mrs Pilmore created the CCSC – it's great.
- Eco- Council
- Things have been improved around school like hand-dryers.
- School Council come to class and takes our ideas back to be discussed.
- Health and Safety officers.
- Junior Leadership Team.

## How do we keep children fit and healthy?

Tell us how the children are helped to stay fit and healthy – think about healthy eating, lessons, clubs.

- We have lots of fruit and vegetables for snacks.
- There is lots of healthy food available in school.
- We do exercise in PE and our games lessons.
- Year 3 and 4 go swimming.
- Healthy dinners.
- We drink milk in reception.
- We can play sports during break time.
- We run in the big playground.
- Warm ups in PE – gives us different chances to exercise.

## How well do children behave?

How good is behaviour in classrooms and around the school, playground? Tell us why. Could it be improved? Are there rewards? Do you like coming to school?

- We like to come to school because it's fun; we learn and our friends. That's why we behave well.
  - We tidy things up and look after things.
- Children say thank you to the dinner ladies when they get their dinner.
- We are all good in school.
  - Our behaviour is amazing.
  - We stay green all the time.
  - We get privileges if we are super.
  - Sometimes people can be mean but the teacher sorts it out and they say sorry.
  - Some of the older children help us to sort out problems
  - We have lots of rewards and certificates.
  - We like having rewards when we are good.

## If you were the headteacher, what would you do to make the school better?

Do you think that pupils' are proud of themselves, their work and the school?

- 'I would always help everyone in school if I were Head Teacher.'
- 'I would say to the teachers keep making sure that our school is good.'
- 'Make the school bigger so more children can come here.'
- 'One day every term children could decide what lessons could be.'
- 'More PE lessons each week.'
- 'Swimming in all year groups.'
- 'Rewards for the best year group.'

## What could we do to improve the school further?

How could we make the school even better? Give some important improvement suggestions

- Make sure that everyone uses good manners all of the time.
- Continue to help each other to get better.

## SCHOOL COUNCIL /LEARNING COUNCIL JUDGEMENTS

Judgement Bar	NOT VERY GOOD	OK	GOOD	EXCELLENT
Learning is exciting, enjoyable and challenging. We learn a lot	We are taught well and because of this we make good progress	We enjoy school, feel safe and are given responsibility	The School is a great place to come to.	