

# Edleston Primary Parent Survey Nov 2016 – Jan 2017 – The Full Results for

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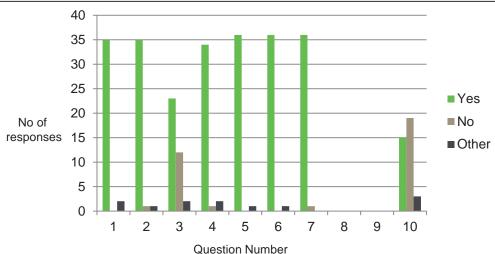
The Governing Body issued a Parent Survey in November 2016, which was kept open until January 2017. The survey was issued via a Web Link in English and Polish. Paper copies were available on request. (Full results are available from the Office on request)

37 responses were received. Thank you.

Below are some of the amazing things that you said about us ©

#### Questions Asked

- Q1. School is good at identifying any problems and solving them in a calm and appropriate manner
- Q2. I find it easy to approach the school with questions or problems to do with my child
- Q3. I am part of the school community (for example PTA/open afternoons/parents evening)
- Q4. The school is effective at communicating: I get information I need when I need it
- Q5. I understand what my child is learning and how they are being taught (curriculum meetings /termly newsletters)
- Q6. I know how to support my child's learning at home
- Q7. The school helps me to support my child's learning
- Q8.What are we good at?
- Q9. What can we do better?
- Q10. Would you like to attend once a term Coffee Mornings with School Governors/Leadership Team, where you can discuss school life?



(please note Question 8 and 9 were written responses)

Teacher – Parent Interaction

You are good at helping me when I have problems with my child's eating and keeping me informed on what they are doing day in day out Communication

Excellent facilities, fabulous staff and a lovely school

Keep kids safe and keep people up to date on things that are coming up

You are welcoming and friendly and helpful with any problems

Education is quality

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#### Question 8 - What are we good at?

- Keep kids safe and keep people up to date on things that are coming up.
- Lots of things, going the bit extra for children and having days for them.
- · You are very good at teaching English to pupils with so many different nationalities.
- · Communication. The letters and texts that are sent out are very helpful.
- Excellent school highly recommended to all parents for children wanting to go.
  Edleston Primary School. I can not fault school and school is good at identifying any problems and solving them in a calm and appropriate manner. I can not fault the school in any way. Please keep up good work thank you.
- Interacting with my child.
- Education is quality.
- Excellent facilities, fabulous staff and a lovely school.
- Dealing with children falling out quickly and building friendships.
- Communication with parents and made to feel you can approach the school with any issues.
- Picking the best teachers The teachers are amazing for parents and children.
- Teachers communicating any concerns 1:1 regarding my child's confidence. Daily updates for events by text.
- Teacher parent interaction.
- Edleston are great at helping children achieve their best and the staff work really hard to push each child when it's needed.
- The school is good at teaching students, making life to become successful and learning new things every day.
- Supporting children through difficult times, education, family life etc...
- You are good at helping me when I have problems with my child's eating and keeping me informed on what they are doing day in day out.
- The school is very good at seeing to problems and dealing with situations if ever we have had one.

#### Question 9 - What could we do better?

- Send letters out with dates on for school days cause not everyone goes on the website.
- More creative things.
- Supply football kits for out of school matches.
- I can not think of anything you could do better. It's a honor and privilege that both my children attended and attend your fabulous school.
- Better monitor the letters and information that's supposed to be passed on to parents.
- Not to park on front the school.
- More sports and active time.
- Making sure every child feels valued. Occasionally children can feel overlooked when they have tried their best because another child hasn't misbehaved that afternoon. Although it's very important for this child to be rewarded it's also important for the other children to get recognition.
- General discipline is an issue for example, a whole class missing out or being disciplined for the bad behaviour of a few, most children do not understand why and think it's simply not fair.
- Headlice is a big problem (Full details provided).
- If I need to see a teacher first thing in the morning making it easier to be able to get to them especially if you have other children (younger) to get to class.
- Maybe do questionnaires on events asking parents and children what they would like to see/do
- More homework for children.

### We've heard your suggestions/comments, So what have we done?

#### New School App/Website -

This reduces the number of texts that comes through in one go.

School can send messages via the app.

All school dates and information is contained on the app.

Weekly Blogs from the teachers to keep you up to date with what the class is learning/focusing on that week.

#### Theatre Trip 2017 –

The school have sent out details on a local trip to Crewe Lyceum v's the Newcastle under Lyme trip that has been taking place recently. Parents are encouraged to reply on which they feel would be better for the children. We had 1 written response by the required deadline.

#### Parking in Front of the School -

Emma Humphries and Andrew Flood (Chair and Vice Chair of Governing Body) gave an interview with the Crewe Chronicle to highlight the dangers of parking on the zig zag lines. The article was published on line and in print.

PCSO's are issuing tickets and confiscating vehicles.

School send out reminder texts to all parents that have registered a mobile number with the school.

#### PTA Events -

Mrs Thomasson (PTA Chair) runs regular meetings where all parents are invited, at these meetings future events are discussed and planned. If you are not yet on the Edleston PTA Facebook group please go to the Reception Classroom either before 9am or after 3.10pm.

Recently the money raised by the PTA was shared out amongst all classes, they each have £70 to spend on whatever they decide.

#### Behaviour Rewards -

Children are given dojos as behaviour rewards.

Children are given negative dojos if they do not follow the school rules. These are given discretely so often other children in the class do not know about these. Occasionally school organises activities for individual children who need extra support to access the curriculum. The reason for these is to teach the child respect for others and how to work as a team. Although they may seem as a reward to other children they are to help these children to follow the school rules. Teachers differentiate the curriculum for individual children and they also have to differentiate the reward system for individual children.

#### Coffee Mornings/Afternoons -

We would like to invite Parents/Guardians to our Coffee Morning on 13/3/17 at 9am where Governors and the Leadership team will be on hand to discuss anything school related.

**Curriculum Workshops** –we held curriculum meetings for all parents at the beginning of the school year.

Every Monday we send a news feed so you know what your child will be doing during the week. On each class website page you can see what maths and literacy work your child will be learning over the year. This page also includes the common exception words your child needs to be able to spell and the KIRFS for each term.

Under the parents curriculum information section you can find out about what sentence structures we teach in each year group and about the SPaG they will be learning. Everything you need to know about what your child will be taught in each year group is on our website. If you need any help to find anything please pop in and see us.

#### ABC Out of School/Holiday Club -

Ofsted visited the setting and they have been awarded 'Good'.

ABC have a page on the school website.

ABC is open during all our school inset days and school holidays, they can be contacted via 01270 685770 option 2