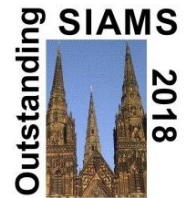




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## ALL SAINTS C.E. (V.C.) FIRST SCHOOL & BUSY BEES PRE-SCHOOL

Headteacher: Mrs V. A Bradley

Monday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2023

Dear Parents,

Many thanks to everyone who took the time to complete our parent questionnaire. We received 23 responses representing 57% of our children.

The results from the questionnaires are incredibly positive in all areas as you can see below:  
(Please note that 1 family is equivalent to approximately 4%)

| Question  | Strongly agree | Agree | Disagree | Strongly disagree | Don't know |
|---|----------------|-------|----------|-------------------|------------|
| <b>My child is happy at this school</b>   | 78%            | 22%   | 0%       | 0%                | 0%         |
| <b>My child feels safe at this school</b>   | 87%            | 13%   | 0%       | 0%                | 0%         |
| <b>Pupils at the school are well-behaved.</b>   | 62%            | 26%   | 0%       | 4%                | 8%         |
| <b>The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.</b>               | 44%            | 48%   | 8%       | 0%                | 0%         |
| <b>When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with appropriately.</b> | 66%            | 18%   | 4%       | 0%                | 12%        |
| <b>The school has high expectations for my child.</b>                                       | 40%            | 36%   | 12%      | 0%                | 12%        |
| <b>My child does well at this school.</b>   | 64%            | 26%   | 4%       | 0%                | 4%         |
| <b>The school lets me know how my child is doing.</b>                                       | 48%            | 32%   | 16%      | 4%                | 0%         |
| <b>There is a good range of subjects available to my child.</b>                             | 52%            | 36%   | 8%       | 0%                | 4%         |
| <b>My child can take part in out of school clubs and activities.</b>                        | 74%            | 26%   | 0%       | 0%                | 0%         |
| <b>The school supports my child's wider personal development.</b>                           | 72%            | 12%   | 4%       | 0%                | 12%        |
| <b>The school is well led and managed.</b>  | 74%            | 18%   | 0%       | 0%                | 8%         |
| <b>My child has been bullied at this school.</b>  | No             | 96%   | Yes      | 4%                |            |
| <b>The school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.</b>                          | Agree          | 100%  |          |                   |            |
| <b>My child has special educational needs</b>   | No             | 88%   | Yes      | 12%               |            |
| <b>My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.</b>       | Agree          | 100%  |          |                   |            |
| <b>I would recommend this school to another parent.</b>                                     | No             | 0     | Yes      | 100%              |            |

As you can see from the results above the overall responses are incredibly positive. We are delighted that once again 100% of those responding to our questionnaire would recommend our school to other families.

There were lots of fantastic reasons given as to why you would recommend All Saints. These mainly fell into the following categories:

- Nurturing staff
- Family atmosphere
- Adults knowing all the children well in school
- Strong sense of community
- Accessible teachers and headteacher
- Good outdoor learning opportunities

I would like to share with you some of the comments that clearly capture our ethos, vision and values:

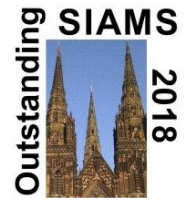
“A huge sense of the school being an extended family where each child is valued as part of it.”

“The school has a lovely family atmosphere where all the children know each other. The teachers and head teacher genuinely care and do their best for the children. The events/productions they put on are excellent and really appreciated. We couldn't recommend the school highly enough.”





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“Very child orientated, welfare and pastoral care is very strong. Small class sizes give good differentiation opportunities. My child is supported to be an individual and gets to take part in extra-curricular visits and activities.”

“Good foundations, such as kindness and positive thinking. Encourages my child to explore new things.”

“A small school where everyone has a part to play, it really is like a big family.”

Whilst it is good to celebrate all that we are doing well here at All Saints, we recognise that in order to further improve we need to act on those areas that you feel we are performing less well in. It has been difficult to provide a summary response to these areas as most suggestions were mentioned in only one response. Where this has been the case, I have tried to talk to individuals who included their name on the survey. If you have not had a conversation and would like to, please do just give me a call. One area that was mentioned by a handful of parents was with regards to feedback on your children's learning. We currently offer the following, if you have further suggestions, please do let us know:

- 1) A parents evening is held in October each year. This is an opportunity to hear how your child has settled into their new class and ask any questions you may have. Parents are all given a personalised target sheet for the child to show what the teachers will be working with the child to improve in the coming term.
- 2) A parents evening is held in March each year, feedback and targets are given as above.
- 3) A comprehensive written report is sent home in July each year. This details:
  - your child's progress and attainment in all curriculum areas
  - provides a general comment on their overall achievement during the academic year
  - a general grade for attendance, behaviour and effort throughout the year
  - targets for the next academic year in reading, writing, maths and general
- 4) An open afternoon is held in July each year, following receipt of the written report. Parents are invited into school to collect their child's workbooks and have the opportunity to discuss the written report with their class teachers.
- 5) Weekly comments on reading progress in phonics and/or guided reading sessions are made in the home/school diary.
- 6) Class teachers update home/school diaries as necessary with work of particular note.
- 7) The class blogs are updated weekly to give you a flavour of what has taken place in the classroom each week.
- 8) The website is updated weekly with the names of the children who have achieved Star of the Week or Headteacher awards.
- 9) Class teachers are accessible on the school gate daily, please do always remember to have a chat and ask any questions that you may have on an ad hoc basis.

As ever, if you have any comments, compliments or suggestions please contact us at any time, no need to wait for the annual survey. It would also be hugely beneficial to the school if you could add your views to Parent View so please visit the link below if you have not already done so during this academic year.

<https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/login?destination=give-your-views>

Thank you all for responding so positively and we look forward to working together to continue improving the school for the benefit of all of our children and their families.

Kind regards

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