



John Blow Primary School

Family survey results

October 2023

Following parent consultation evenings, a survey was shared with all parents. The event was attended by 97% of parents/carers; plans are in place to contact the remaining parents. The survey was completed via a Microsoft Form by 41% (compared to 45% in 2022) of the attendees. This capturing of feedback is supported by Parent Forum meeting outcomes and discussions which acts as another opportunity for parents and carers to voice their viewpoints and concerns.

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree not disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Not applicable
My child is happy at school	70.4% (65%)	25.4% (31.3%)	2.8% (2.5%)	1.4% (0)	0 (1.3%)	-
My child feels safe at school	69% (61.3%)	22.5% (37.5%)	2.8% (0)	5.6% (0)	0 (1.3%)	-
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	36.6% (43.8%)	53.5% (48.8%)	8.5% (5%)	1.4% (1.3%)	-	-
The school deals with incidences of bullying quickly and effectively	19.7% (17.5%)	28.2% (27.5%)	23.9% (10%)	7% (3.8%)	1.4% (0)	19.7% (41.3%)
When I have raised concerns with the school, they have been dealt with properly	39.4%	35.2%	14.1%	1.4%	1.4%	8.5%
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year	22.5% (27.5%)	62% (50%)	8.5% (8.8%)	7% (12.5%)	0 (1.3%)	-
The school has high expectations for my child	39.4% (28.8%)	45.1% (55%)	12.7% (12.5%)	1.4% (3.8%)	1.4% (0)	-
My child does well at this school	39.4% (45%)	53.5% (45%)	5.6% (8.8%)	1.4% (0)	0 (1.3%)	-
The school lets me know how my child is doing	36.6% (31.3%)	47.9% (50%)	11.3% (11.3%)	4.2% (5%)	0 (2.5%)	-
There is a good range of subjects to my child at this school	50.5% (50%)	45.1% (46.3%)	2.8% (2.5%)	0 (1.3%)	1.4% (0)	-
My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school	53.5% (41.3%)	39.4% (48.8%)	4.2% (3.8%)	1.4% (6.3%)	-	1.4% (0)
The school supports my child's wider personal development	39.4% (36.3%)	45.1% (53.8%)	9.9% (6.3%)	2.8% (1.3%)	1.4% (1.3%)	1.4% (1.3%)
If your child has a special educational need and/or disability, please indicate your opinions for the following statement: <i>the school gives my child with SEND the support they need to succeed</i> : *23 respondents	4 % (29%)	22% (5%)	65% (52%)	9% (5%)	0 (10%)	-

Please explain your choices...

"As parents we think this is a wonderful school. We can see our child is flourishing and growing as a rounded person thanks to her school life. The teachers we've come across have been wonderful and the head is friendly and approachable. The leadership team of head and deputy are a really complementary blend, both of whom we think are fantastic at what they do."

"Communication could be better with regards to what my child is doing and also upcoming events across the school year"

"My child loves the clubs, enjoys holiday club and feels part of the school team. She's very happy"

"Often clubs are fully subscribed"

"I feel reception need more supervision and guidance at lunch time. My child has repeatedly said his friends are hurting him when playing. I don't think it is intentional but it is still upsetting to think he is not enjoying playtime because of this"

"After just a short time at John Blow, our son is so much happier with his class, teacher and school and especially the behaviour of the other children towards him"

"I think the school is doing well helping all children get to a good level of learning. However I think more could be done to push the children who are meeting standards to get more into exceeding standards."

"Pleased with the extra support given to my kids"

"Very happy with the developments of the school over the past few years, lots more available for the children. Wrap around care for parents, holiday clubs as an option. The progression in developing the children as a whole is amazing. Having the flexibility to be able to come speak to someone if something has occurred is a bonus. Thanks for all the hard work"

"I feel that the easier children who are 'coasting' can sometime get left behind when it comes to recognition"

"Ware really pleased with the school, our child is really happy here."

So what? Next steps

- Training booked in for lunchtime supervision in November 2023 to support unstructured times in the day.
- Parent Forum survey to be reviewed to ensure maximum impact for all parties.
- Exploring ways to provide a platform for parents to raise their concerns: parents who have stated 'Strongly disagree' to statements within the survey have remained anonymous which makes it difficult to address concerns.
- A comprehensive summary of the survey will be shared with staff and governors and will be used to identify opportunities for development in the future.
- We will strive to 'Be the best we can be' in all aspects of school life moving forward.



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Anti-bullying survey

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In addition to the Family Survey, we shared an Anti-bullying survey which will inform the Governing Body's review of the Anti-Bullying and Behaviour Management review during the Autumn Term of 2023.

All parents were provided with a link to the survey—there were 55 respondents (30% of the school)

	Yes	No
<i>Has your child been bullied in school in the last 12 months?</i>	14 (25%)	41 (75%)

	In the last week	In the last month	In the last term	In the last 12 months
<i>When did the bullying last happen?</i>	3 (21%)	7 (50%)	-	4 (29%)

	Physical	Verbal	Indirect
<i>What kind of bullying was it?</i>	7 (50%)	3 (21%)	4 (29%)

	Cyber bullying	Racist bullying	Homophobic bullying	Sexual bullying	Sexist bullying	Bullying because of SEND	Don't know	None of the above
<i>Would you describe the bullying in any of the following ways?</i>	0	0	0	0	0	0	2 (14%)	12 (86%)

	Walking to and from school	In a classroom	In a corridor	In a play-ground
<i>Where does your child say the bullying usually happens?</i>	0	2 (14%)	0	12 (86%)



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	Yes	No
<i>Did you report the bullying to anyone in school?</i>	13 (100%)	-

	Class teacher	Midday supervisor	Member of SLT	School office
<i>What did you report to?</i>	8 (62%)	1 (8%)	3 (22%)	1 (8%)

	No action	School took action but it carried on	School took action and it stopped
<i>What happened after the reporting?</i>	3 (25%)	8 (67%)	1 (8%)

	Very confident	Quite confident	Not very confident	Not at all confident	Don't know
<i>How confident are you that the school deals well with bullying?</i>	11 (20%)	25 (45%)	12 (22%)	0	7 (13%)

	Yes	No	Don't know
<i>Have you received a copy of the school's anti-bullying policy?</i>	36 (65%)	8 (15%)	11 (20%)

Quote taken from 'Please explain your choices' section of the Family Survey: "In reference to bullying: While our son is neither a bully nor subject to it, he has begun to note it happening to others with increasing frequency and further. He feels pressured to "step in" where staff do not and guilty for not doing so this isn't his responsibility"