



Spring Term – Theme: Communication and Relationships – Parent Results

62 parents completed the questionnaire

	Strongly Agree (a)	Agree (b)	a+b	Disagree (c)	Strongly disagree (d)	c+d	Don't know
I feel I am listened to when I have a concern.	30.65%	54.84%	85.49%	9.68%	0.00%	9.68%	4.84%
I am given the right amount of useful information about how my child is doing in terms of their behaviour and attendance.	29.03%	54.84%	83.87%	12.90%	3.23%	16.13%	0.00%
The school makes parents/ carers and children feel fairly treated, valued and well-supported.	27.42%	54.84%	82.26%	14.52%	3.23%	17.75%	0.00%
This school responds well to any concerns I raise.	33.87%	48.39%	82.26%	4.84%	6.45%	11.29%	8.06%
I find the staff approachable and feel comfortable asking questions.	45.16%	43.55%	88.71%	11.29%	1.61%	12.9%	0.00%
There are enough opportunities for parents to become involved in the school.	14.75%	37.70%	52.45%	27.87%	4.92%	32.79%	16.39%
I would recommend this school to another parent.	44.26%	39.34%	83.60%	1.64%	3.28%	4.92%	11.48%

Sample comments made by parents	School response
<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. <i>Keep doing what you doing. Your all doing a fantastic job</i> 2. <i>Communication could be better. There are a few occasions where my daughter tells me things about her day I feel I should have been told at pick up.</i> 3. <i>The school and staff are very helpful, my child loves this school and I have and would again recommend this school to others.</i> 4. <i>Bruche is a well-run school seems to improve year on year.</i> 5. <i>Very happy overall with school and afterschool activities.</i> 6. <i>My child is happy and thriving at Bruche School. She enjoys going in everyday and has always said she can talk to her teacher when she needs too.</i> 7. <i>We're very impressed with the school who have brought in even more fantastic resources for the children since September- a swimming pool on site, virtual reality headsets and a 3D printer to name a few. Great opportunities for our children who are thriving with the varied learning resources provided.</i> 8. <i>The school reports are empty of information, they tell us nothing personal, random tick boxes, impersonal and as cold. (sic) And emotionless. Pretty much how he (sic) school feels. All pretty on paper with no soil (sic).</i> 9. <i>The school is a place where both my children feel happy, safe and ready to learn. The children are provided with a variety of exciting opportunities to develop skills and interests e.g. the outdoor swimming pool, trips to Chester zoo, art sessions etc. Thank you</i> 10. <i>The school as a whole are not bothered about the children, only interested in figures and awards. The play ground is a joke the amount of accidents/problems nobody ever seems to see is a cause for concern! The turn over of staff is high, the amount of time teachers spend out of class is inconsistent for the children. I was shocked to here (sic) classroom assistants are left with the class often.</i> 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Thanks for that – we will! 2. We always try to speak to parents if we feel they need to know about something that has happened. Apologies if this hasn't been the case for you. 3. Thank you, that's great we're glad you would recommend us! 4. Thank you! 5. Thank you! 6. We're so glad to hear this, thank you! 7. Thank you, this is lovely to hear! 8. We're really sorry you feel this way. The interim reports are meant to be a snapshot of how your child is doing and used to support your conversation with their teacher at parents evening. Children receive their statutory school report, which is more detailed, at the end of the year. If you don't wish to receive an interim report for your child, please let us know. 9. Thank you! Our children love working with Chester Zoo and really had a great time with the swimming pool. We will always look for the most exciting activities for every child at Bruche! 10. We're really sorry to hear you feel we are not bothered about the children at Bruche but we are pleased you bring your child(ren) to us five days a week. We do care about every child at Bruche but if you feel we don't then please come and speak to us. In terms of the awards – these are to recognise the exceptional work our children produce not what the teachers achieve. We are actually over staffed in terms of playground supervision but we will continue to monitor the area each week. Every teacher across the country is entitled to Planning, Preparation and Assessment time which normally equates to half a day a week out of class. Some

<p>11. The school offers amazing opportunities for the children to engage in such as the trips (Chester zoo), visitors and forward thinking activities. The school aren't afraid to take a risk and be the first to do something if it will benefit the children such as the pool. Bruche is fabulous and I am so glad my child is able to receive such a great start in her education.</p>	<p>teachers also receive leadership time out of class. Our skilled teaching assistants cover sessions in classes because our children prefer to have someone they know rather than a supply teacher who would be different each week. Over the past two years we have had two members of staff leave us, both to pursue different careers. This year we have had three members of staff take maternity leave and one member of staff seconded to another school to support their provision.</p> <p>11. Thank you, that's very much appreciated!</p>
<p>Common themes</p>	
<p>A) Out of the 62 completed surveys 3 parents commented that communication could be better for them. If there are any other ways you think we could communicate via please let us know</p> <p>B) Out of the 62 completed surveys 2 parents mentioned the newsletter needed revising. Please get in touch with the school office to let us know how you would like us to improve the newsletter. If you have a look at some other newsletters from schools in our area and there is something on them, you would like included on ours then please let us know.</p> <p>C) Out of the 62 completed surveys 2 parents mentioned about the school playground being an issue for their child. We are actually over staffed in terms of playground supervision but we will continue to monitor the area each week.</p>	<p>D) Out of the 62 completed surveys 1 parent commented that the interim reports were poor quality. The interim reports are meant to be a snapshot of how your child is doing and used to support your conversation with their teacher at parents evening. Children receive their statutory school report, which is more detailed, at the end of the year.</p>