



Hardwick Green Primary Academy

Parent Survey Report – 2020/21



We are delighted to report the results of our annual parent survey. We are pleased that 95% of respondents would recommend us to another parent!

Please see the results for each question, and how we plan to act on your feedback.

As always, please feel free to get in touch if you have any questions or comments.

I would recommend this school to another parent.	95% Yes	
Statement:	Agree or strongly agree (4 or 5 stars)	Average star rating out of 5
My child is safe in school.	98%	4.93
My child knows who to speak to if they are upset or unhappy at school.	95%	4.78
The school teaches my child how to recognise risks to their wellbeing – both online and offline.	98%	4.83
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.	95%	4.66
Bullying and discrimination is dealt with quickly, effectively and consistently.	86%	4.47
The school behaviour policy is fair and used consistently.	93%	4.67
My child is encouraged to have good attendance and punctuality.	98%	4.91
There is a good range of extra-curricular activities to choose from.	89%	4.59
The school supports my child to develop resilience, confidence and independence.	93%	4.64
The school expects my child to work hard.	96%	4.74
The school has high expectations for my child.	93%	4.74
My child experiences a wide variety of learning opportunities.	93%	4.69
The school curriculum engages my child in learning.	95%	4.71
Communication from the school is effective and timely.	79%	4.19
The school lets me know how my child is doing.	86%	4.50

Follow up - areas less than 90% agreement:

Bullying:

In September, we will review the anti-bullying policy and share this with you all. We will also take part in the national anti-bullying week from 15 – 19 November 2021 to do preventative work around bullying.

Extra-curricular activities:

We now have a partnership with Simon Carson Coaching to provide after-school clubs, and we will be seeking to offer more and more after school clubs from September (e.g. Film Club, Choir, Lego and Eco-Club).

Communication:

We sent home a letter in June explaining how we were going to improve communication, including through use of Facebook, Dojo and the school app. We have also produced a list of key dates for the autumn term so these are known in advance.

How well your child is doing:

The pandemic has disrupted our usual methods of reports and parents evening, but from September we are hopeful to return to our usual pattern, which would be a written report and a parent evening every term to keep parents updated with how their child is doing.

Summary

What are our greatest strengths?

- Helpful staff who care about the children
- Putting the needs of the child first
- Children like their teachers and TAs
- Children enjoy their learning
- Friendly atmosphere around the school
- Genuine care for the children, including children and families from all backgrounds
- A safe environment
- Skilled teachers and TAs
- Communication through Class Dojo

What we could we improve?

- Communication generally – *see above*
- More notice for events – *see above*
- More rewards and fun events – *we can do more celebration events now COVID-19 restrictions are lifted.*
- The school car park on a morning – *we have moved breakfast club door meaning parents no longer need to use the car park*

Any other comments?

“An amazing school that go above and beyond. Brilliant staff from the leadership down. Im so glad I made the choice to keep my child in Hardwick Green when we moved. Thank you.”

“I absolutely love this school, you have supported myself and my children from starting in September 2020. Both children have progressed wonderfully, both educational and socially. I look forward to my other two joining soon.”

I'd like to take the time to mention how amazing the nursery team have been this academic year. Mrs Gormans holistic approach to early years has really captured my child. She's excelled herself in transforming the classroom, what she expects of him and just overall caring for him in being one of the youngest.

“I would recommend this as a good school to attend as they are helpful, kind and motivating for the children to be at their best”

“The school has come on a long way over the last year. Big well done to Mr story and staff for doing everything you can for my children over these difficulties times. I couldn't think of a better school for my kids to come to”