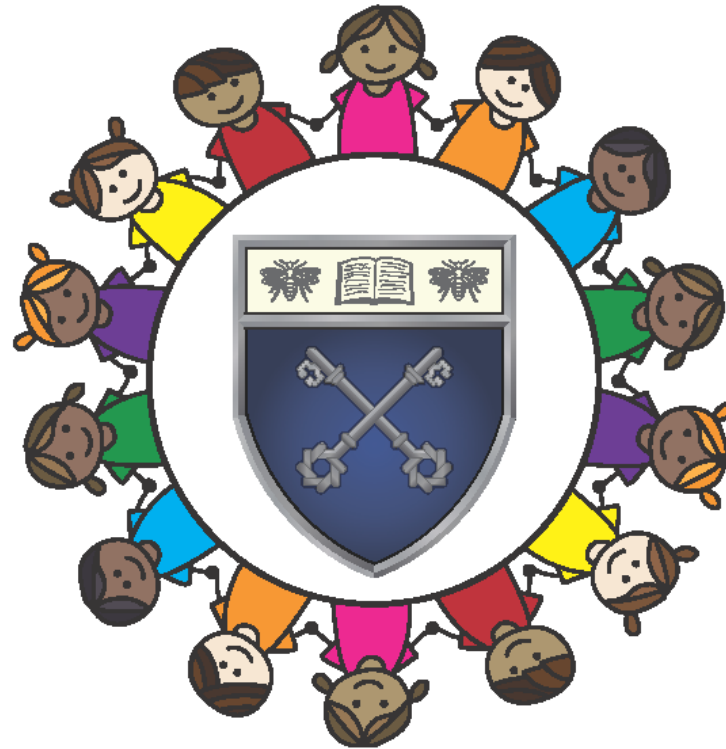


# Longshaw Community Junior School - Parental Questionnaire

2021-2022



<b><u>Well Being</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
My child is happy at school.	69%	28%	97%	2%	0%	1%
My child feels safe at school.	69%	31%	100%	0%	0%	0%
My child knows what to do if he/she feels worried.	63%	32%	99%	3%	0%	2%
Children's achievements are praised and their mistakes handled compassionately.	64%	35%	99%	1%	0%	0%
My child feels cared for in school.	68%	29%		3%	0%	0%
<b><u>Learning and progress</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	56%	41%	97%	2%	0%	1%
There is a good range of subjects available to my child at school.	68%	31%	99%	1%	0%	0%
My child is taught well at school.	71%	27%	98%	1%	0%	1%
My child does well at school.	64%	35%	99%	0%	1%	0%

<b><u>Learning and progress</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At least agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
The school has high expectations of academic achievement.	63%	34%	97%	1%	0%	2%
The school helps me to support my child's learning.	65%	33%	98%	1%	1%	0%
I understand the homework grid my child brings home.	60%	34%	96%	2%	0%	4%
My child receives the correct amount of homework	52%	40%	92%	4%	1%	3%
My child receives the correct type of homework.	53%	41%	94%	1%	1%	4%
Reading is important to my child	79%	16%	95%	5%	0%	0%
<b><u>Personal Development</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
My child can take part in clubs and activities at the school.	68%	25%	93%	5%	0%	2%
The school supports my child's wider development.	67%	29%	96%	2%	1%	1%

<b><u>Communication</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>		<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
The school lets me know how my child is doing.	58%	33%	92%	7%	1%	1%
The school informs me of upcoming events and changes.	62%	36%	98%	1%	0%	1%
I feel welcome to go into school, and feel that my comments are valued.	64%	32%	96%	1%	0%	3%
The text service for parents works well.	68%	31%	99%	0%	0%	1%
The school's website is useful.	57%	36%	93%	2%	1%	4%
Parents' evenings are a valuable way of finding out about my child's progress and attitudes in school.	69%	29%	82%	1%	0%	17%
<b><u>Behaviour/Attitude</u></b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
In general, children behave well in school.	58%	36%	94%	1%	0%	5%
When I have raised concerns with the school, they have been dealt with properly.	63%	31%	94%	3%	0%	3%

<b>Behaviour/Attitude</b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
My child knows what to do if they are troubled by another child.	63%	32%	95%	3%	1%	1%
Concerns about bullying are dealt with effectively.	60%	27%	87%	3%	1%	9%
My child is encouraged to work hard, behave well and do his/her best.	72%	27%	99%	0%	1%	0%
<b>The school in the community</b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>	<b>At Least Agree</b>	<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
The school is well led and managed.	73%	24%	97%	0%	1%	2%
The school is respected within the community.	74%	23%	97%	0%	0%	3%
I would recommend the school to other parents.	73%	25%	98%	1%	0%	1%

<b>Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities</b>	<b>Strongly agree</b>	<b>Agree</b>		<b>Disagree</b>	<b>Strongly disagree</b>	<b>Don't know</b>
<b><u>Only answer these question if your child has SEND.</u></b>  My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.	50%	31%	81%	0%	6%	13%
The school has high ambitions for my child's progress and development	58%	32%	90%	0%	5%	5%

**Parents Comments**

**Positive**

**My child has settled in very in your school.**

**My children are extremely happy at Longshaw Juniors and we are very happy with how all staff make us feel as parents. We feel listened to and at ease when we need to approach a member of staff. You are all doing an amazing job especially through the pandemic that cannot have been easy. Thank-you for being an amazing school.**

**Whenever my son has been distressed, I have always felt I can contact the school to tell you what mood he was in when he left home in. The school have always been an excellent support to my children who have attended, it's nice to have such friendly staff who are always upbeat and smiling.**

**My child is very happy at school and has good relationships with staff members.**

**My child really enjoys coming to school**

School have always been brilliant with my child, especially during the tough times he found towards the end of the last academic year. As a parent, I have always felt supported in dealing with the obstacles my child has faced. Even at a time when some issues lead me into feeling somewhat let down, both the head and deputy head were quick to reassure me and show compassion. I am very happy with my child being a student at Longshaw Junior School and I look forward to future years.

Thanks for giving me chance to express my feelings about how I feel when I sent my son to school. I'm really thankful to you, all teachers are great and very happily replied back whenever I asked.

Our daughter has done brilliant over the years at this school and is always happy and content. Thank you for providing the best care and education for our girl.

Longshaw is a very good school. I had two children go there but one just left and she had no problem and loved every minute and day and my son is still here and loves it every day.

I appreciate all opportunities given to my child to support his education. He is even happier in school now that he has been invited to join the Fab Readers Club.

A big thank-you to Mr Berry for being approachable and caring. He has solved any issues brought to him quickly and efficiently. Every school needs a teacher like him.

My child enjoys coming to school every day, he has settled in really well.

Our child has always thrived here at Longshaw.

Longshaw is a big happy family. Everyone is always happy and smiling.

As a parent, I see visible great changes in my child since being in attendance at Longshaw Junior school. Teachers are friendly and always willing to help. Keep up the good work!

My child loves coming to school and can't wait to go every day.

I am very pleased with the way the school is run and my daughter is very happy at Longshaw.

**My child loves going to school. She gets upset on Friday's because there is no school on the weekends. I think Longshaw Juniors is a fantastic school and I am very proud of how well she has come along since moving to Longshaw.**

**My children are extremely happy at Longshaw Juniors and we are very happy with how all the staff make us feel as parents, we feel listened to and at ease if we need to approach any member of staff. You are all doing an amazing job especially through the pandemic which wouldn't have been easy.**

**Thank-you for being an amazing school and staff.**

**This is a very good school as it always helps my child when she is in need. Parental questionnaire are a good way to get reviews about school.**

**The teachers and staff are cordial and praise the children. I am happy sending my child into school.**

**I am very happy with the school and how they treat, teach and support all children. Any worries or problems are dealt with quickly.**

**My son loves school – this was not always the case in his other school! Brilliant School!**

**We are very happy with the school and what they have to offer, no issues at all with anything.**

**My son's time at Longshaw so far has been brilliant. He has fun every day. He loves Forest School and he seems to have settled wonderfully.**

**My child is happy at school.**

**Longshaw Juniors is a fantastic school, I do not have any faults and would highly recommend your school to family/friends. I feel all staff go above and beyond to ensure children are cared for and supported the best way possible. If I ever have any issues, I am always straight away put at ease by both head teacher/deputy or my children's class teacher and things are dealt with right away. My children always go into school happy and come out of school happy, which is lovely! My child says "There isn't anything to improve at this school because it's a good school!"**

My child has enjoyed his time at Longshaw, with this year being his last, we will be sad for his journey at Longshaw to end. Every member of staff I have come across have been very helpful, friendly, welcoming and most importantly great role models for all children.

This is a fantastic school, I would high recommend to family/friends. Thank you for everything you do for my children! My daughter says "it is a very good school, nothing needs changing, I like it very much!"

My child has been very happy at Longshaw and well looked after.

We think Longshaw is an exceptional school, and has brought the best behaviour, learning, goals and opportunities for our children.

My child loves coming to school and can't wait to go everyday

I'm very pleased with the way the school is run and my daughter is very happy at Longshaw

#### Areas for Consideration

I feel that he doesn't receive enough homework, especially in Science and History.

We want to know the blue print of the curriculum for our daily follow up.

The Dojo App doesn't tell me how my child is doing during the day.

Children could have extra homework to do when they have difficulty of understanding a subject so they can practise more.

I'm aware it has been a difficult year, but I feel that parent/teacher communication could be improved from now on. Often, we are informed at the last minute regarding things that our children need to do or need to bring in to school. We also feel that Class Dojo is a poorly designed app. Child and teacher communication through the app is poor.

Would like plenty of notice regarding parent's evenings and Christmas activities when working full time, I sometimes find it hard to attend when working shifts until 6pm.

Only thing that let the school down was no parents at sports day but other schools did, still using Covid restrictions.

**I always have problems receiving behaviour texts every single week and am not informed if he has incidents in school. Letters about non-uniform are short notice and dress up days.**

**Parking outside school is horrendous – I have heard drivers swearing and shouting in front of children.**

**We need extra homework especially in English & Maths. We have no idea about his Science curriculum. I need weekly feedback about my son.**

**Just I would like to ask if you can send my child with writing homework as I am concerned about my sons handwriting.**

**Some children are praised all the time for their achievements and I feel that those children who really do try their best and behave well in school are sometimes forgotten about.**

**We worry about keeping up with all the homework as we both work full time and we worry massively about the roads surrounding the school and the safety of crossing them. We wonder if it would be beneficial to enquire about a zebra crossing or lollipop lady.**