QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PARENTS

Shellingford CE (A) Primary School
"Inspiring hearts and minds"

Dear Parents,

MARCH 2025 RESPONSES

The Parents' questionnaire results show that:

59% (40 out of 68) of parents returned the form.

100% of parents stated that they would recommend Shellingford School to another parent.

The total number of responses for all statements showed that 91% were entirely positive (strongly agreed / agreed). 10% didn't know or was not applicable. Only 2% of the total responses were negative (disagreed).

27 (68%) parents replied 'did not know or N/A' to at least one statement

Please read the following statements and tick the answer which best fits what you think about the school. Please only tick one box per statement. If you cannot answer a question, or it does not apply to you, either leave it blank or tick 'Don't Know or N/A'

		Strongly agree	Agree	Don't know or N/A	Disagree	Strongly disagree
1	My child is happy at school	24	15	1		
2	My child feels safe at school	27	13			
3	My child is well looked after at school	26	14			
4	The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	21	16	2	1	
5	If I have raised concerns about bullying the school deals with it effectively	8	9	22	1	
6	The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year	21	16	2	1	
7	If I have raised any concerns the school responds well	17	12	10	1	
8	The school has high expectations for my child	25	12	3		
9	My child does well at school	25	13		1	1
10	The school lets me know how my child is doing	21	16	2	1	
11	There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school	17	22	1		
12	The school supports my child's wider personal development	21	16	2	1	

13	I would recommend this school to another parent	Yes	40	No	

Many thanks to those parents who kindly responded to the questionnaire. We had responses from 40 of the 68 school families. We are just delighted by the number of incredibly positive responses, and the fact that 100% of the responses indicated that you would recommend this school to another parent.

In addition, 100% agreed that their child is well looked after and feels safe at school.

Overall 91% of responses are entirely positive and we were particularly pleased that 98% of children are happy at school and that the school responds well to any concerns raised.

Whilst this is all very positive we are as a school constantly looking to move forward and develop further, therefore we have looked at the data in detail and also the further comments section:

We endeavour to keep parents fully informed of the curriculum covered via the Class Curriculum Newsletters which are emailed to all parents at the start of term. Please remember that our school website contains a detailed Curriculum Overview for each class and the website is also updated regularly with diary dates, newsletters, policies and other key information about the school for parents to access.

The majority (98%) felt they were kept fully informed of their child's learning, 98% also felt that parents receive helpful information from the school about their child's progress. We try to keep parents regularly informed of their child's progress and we are keen for parents to be involved in their child's education. Please do not feel you have to wait for a questionnaire to forward your views, if you have any concerns at all we hope you can come and talk to us as we want to address any issues immediately.

Judith R Terrell Jane Samways
Headteacher Chair of the Governing Body

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