

Parent Survey – November 2022

Thank you so much for taking part in our parent survey last week. Here are the results, with comparisons to the last survey done in June 2021. The percentages are those who 'strongly agreed' or 'agreed' with the statements.

| June 2021 | | November 2022 |
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| 86% | My child feels happy at this school | 99.2% |
| 84% | My child feels safe at the school | 100% |
| 70% | The school makes sure its pupils are well-behaved | 98.4% |
| 57% | The school makes me aware of what my child will learn | 88.6% |
| 71% | When I've raised concerns, they have been dealt with properly | 97.1% |
| 52% | The school has high expectations for my child | 92.7% |
| 75% | My child does well at this school | 98.2% |
| 57% | The school supports my child's wider personal development | 97.3% |
| 84% | I would recommend this school to others | 99.1% |

You can really see the change (sometimes a massive change) in almost all these figures since the last time a survey was done.

I would also like to share some of the comments that were made: if yours is one of the ones that I've put in italics, please do give me a call and I'll be happy to get more details and see how we can help.

"We are so happy with the teaching staff and the progress our children have made whilst at the school."

"Both of my children are very happy. I feel the pastoral side of care is very good. Communication could improve a little please – but that would be my only complaint."

"_____ is very happy at school. He enjoys his days here."

"___ has really enjoyed his first two years at Grayshott and we are delighted with the school."

"My son seems really happy here. *I would love to have more feedback / engagement on his development through.* Thank you for all you do."

"*Always room for improvement. Overall happy but there have been areas that could be improved upon.*"

"Our son is very happy and enjoys coming to school."

"We have always loved the community spirit of the school."

"*More computing/coding. Would love an online learning platform like in Red Class.*"

"*It would be good if there were more team sports the children could join.*"

"Since we have moved to the school a little over a year ago, I have been so impressed. My children are very happy. They are excelling in all the areas that are important to me."

"So far very happy with the school and my child's development."

“My child has improved so much in Grayshott and loves coming to school. She has a great group of friends and the school has contributed to not only her learning but her development into a lovely child.”

"We are all so happy with Grayshott School and feel lucky to be part of this wonderful community."

"My daughter has gone from strength to strength since coming here. Thank you."

"We are on our second child at Grayshott Primary and we would highly recommend this wonderful community of a school!"

"Can we take the teacher with us to High School? She really understands my child."

"My child has been happy here all the way from Red class."

"Absolutely love the school."

"More computing please!"

"Too many grey areas for agree/disagree answers."

"I have asked on a few occasions regarding the new RSE curriculum but still have not been informed."

"I would like to be more informed on what my child is learning / how they are doing etc. Last year I felt very in the dark and my enquiries not wanted."

"Excellent provision and support."

"Love the school and its ethos."

"We're loving the new vibe at the school, happy, encompassing and fun (with lots of fun educational aspects).

"The school for the past 10 years has never focused on homework and spellings. I strongly think they need to be set work to do out of school. Lockdown online learning was very slow to get going. Are the staff prepared for online learning again?"

We also asked some additional questions that we had not asked before and here are the results:

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| My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively | 77%* |
| There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school | 94.4% |
| My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school. | 96.4% |
| My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed | 100% |

*I think there may have been some confusion over the wording of this question. Lots of people who disagreed also said that their child was happy and safe at the school. Therefore, I wonder if they were disagreeing with the fact that their child had been bullied, as opposed to the way it was dealt with. If you have had issues with bullying and do not feel that it has been dealt with, please contact me urgently.

Thank you for your feedback. We listen to all of it and will let you know in future communications what we are going to do to address some of the points you raised. It is great to see so much positivity about the school and the experience. We just want to keep on making things better and you can help by sharing with us, rough and smooth!

