

## Glendale Infant School 2018

Thank you to all of those who took the time to complete the questionnaires in July 2018.

We had the following number of responses:

59/90 - Reception parents/carers

75/85 - Year 1 parents/carers

70/86 - Year 2 parents/carers

Overall 78% of parents took part.

	1 Definitely or 2 Agree		3 Don't Know	4 Disagree	5 No, not at all	6 Not applicable/ No opinion
As a parent, I feel welcome in school.	85%	14%	0.5%	0.5%	-	-
The school keeps me well informed about general issues.	71%	28%	-	1%	-	-
I can communicate easily with school, when necessary.	77%	21%	-	1%	-	-
I find it easy to approach the school if I have a problem.	79%	19%	1%	1%	-	-
I know that any concern or problem will be dealt with properly.	69%	28%	2%	1%	-	-
I know what topics my child is being taught.	64%	34%	1%	0.5%	-	0.5%
I am kept well informed of my child's progress.	67%	30%	2%	1%	-	-
I am pleased with my child's progress.	75%	23%	1%	0.5%	-	0.5%
The school expects high standards of work.	70%	26%	3%	0.5%	-	0.5%
The children generally behave well in school.	64%	34%	2%	-	-	-
My child is happy in school.	75%	24%	0.5%	0.5%	-	-
The school's values and expectations have a positive effect on my child.	74%	24%	1.5%	-	-	0.5%
The school shows interest and encourages children in all aspects of their lives, not just their school lessons.	73%	24%	2%	0.5%	-	0.5%
The school encourages the children to be healthy and safe.	75%	23.5%	1.5%	-	-	-
The school website is useful and interesting. (www.glendale.warwickshire.sch.uk)	48%	32%	14%	3%	0.5%	2.5%

If you have answered No or Disagree to any of these questions, please indicate how *you* think we could improve our service.

- (*There was only one response*) this was in response to 'my child is happy' this related to specific issues that were being dealt with at the time

The Governors would also be pleased to hear of any other recommendations or suggestions you may have to improve our school. Please write them below.

- **Revamp the website, bring it more up-to-date and accessible**

### **Enrichment of the curriculum**

We try to make coming to school as interesting and exciting as possible, as happy and engaged children learn well. To this end, we often have visits in from organisations, some of which we fund from school finances, and some visits out. Coach costs, entrance fees, the cost of instructors or guides are all rising, but the work and enthusiasm generated amongst the children by these visits make them very worthwhile. However, the burden of payment for these trips rests on the parents. We propose that the total cost of trips out and visits in will come to **no more** than **£35** per child over the year for 2018/19.

Do you think that this amount is:

Too little	About right	Too much	Suggested alternative: £0 – 1 Willing to pay more - 1
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**Early Bird/After School care** – provides play opportunities for the children before and after school.

Early Bird runs between 8.00 - 8.50a.m. and After School 3.00 – 5.00p.m. Please note: Reception children can only stay for a maximum of 2 hours altogether.

If you use this facility, are you happy with the quality of provision: **Yes 66 : No 0**

Any comments?

- **very happy**
- **'great service'**
- **'my child enjoys their time there and the activities'**
- **'staff are always friendly and know all of the children'**

**Extended Services** – Are there any other services you think it would be useful for the school to hold information on?

- **learning that encourages families to go out for walks, outdoor activities**
- **list of useful websites to support the children's learning at home**

### ***What we did in response to last year's comments:***

- We took part in additional events eg. Book Week and 'Charity based' events
- Some online learning for Year 2 children – 'My Maths'
- To further improve communication about what is happening in school we introduced monthly newsletters

When we find information regarding activities in the local community we have started to share these in the monthly newsletters and will continue to do this. We have begun to investigate updating our website, so that it is easier to access and navigate.

