

## MPA Parent Council Meeting

10 December 2020

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
Francesca Brand	Marty Oliver	Lisa Lee	Emma Wilkinson	Gemma Black	Marella Etheridge	Maddy Mayne

Item	Feedback
<b>Actions from Last Meeting</b>	<p><u>Development Point – Year 1</u>  <i>The Y1 parents have different experiences at home. Some parents have tapestry which is excellent. The others don't and don't know as much about their child's learning. Can Tapestry be for all Y1? Miss Churchman to feedback to parents.</i></p> <p>A letter has been sent to Year 1 parents from Miss Hudson outlining why Tapestry is not being used for in Holly Blues.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 3</u>  <i>Can we ensure parents do not gather outside the school?</i></p> <p>Agreed felt situation has improved, school will continue to monitor.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 5</u>  <i>Parents are concerned by the reported behaviour of some children in the class and the impact that this having. Miss Churchman invites the parents to raise the concerns with her directly and she will follow this up with parents.</i></p> <p>Miss Churchman reported no parents have contacted her directly, behaviour is 95% green for the whole school.</p>
<b>Head Teacher Feedback</b>	<p><b>How were the parent / teacher consultations?</b></p> <p><b>Reception:</b> All happy. Good to cover behaviour and learning.</p> <p><b>Year 1:</b> All good, positive feedback including the good techniques and advice given.</p> <p><b>Year 2:</b> Really positive, enjoyed seeing two pieces of work, positive considering what's happening. Comment from one parent that 'Teacher just knows my child!'.</p> <p><b>Year 3:</b> Parent's evening positive, Miss Markham is lovely, good to see the two pieces of work.</p>

	<p><b>Year 4:</b> Phone calls went well. Easier to book on line. Teachers kept to times and ran well.</p> <p><b>Year 5:</b> Really positive, enjoyed seeing work before and after. Very professional and informative, with teacher offering lots of information.</p> <p><b>Year 6:</b> Worked well, good to see the children's work and hear Teacher assessments and predications for the year.</p> <p><b>School Structure 2021 /22</b></p> <p>Miss Churchman shared the plan for the future of MPA. Miss Churchman stressed it is confidential at this time and will be shared further after the Christmas break.</p>
<p><b>Reception</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Love the rewards, the good to be green system and the encouragement. Children understand what is expected of them.</p> <p>Communication on Tapestry is great, parents enjoyed seeing pupils engaging in their learning.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> No development raised.</p>
<p><b>Year 1</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Appreciate the efforts staff are making with the Christmas events in the current climate.</p> <p>Appreciate the school communication including Twitter, Friday Flyer, Parent Consultations and presence of Miss Churchman on the school gate before and after school.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Parents would like to see the work the children are doing more.</p>
<p><b>Year 2</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>All good, nice to see the whole school enjoying themselves with the festive activities. Children are loving school.</p> <p>The Friday Flyer is easy to read and a great communication tool.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Parents are having issues with the Arbor app on mobile devices.</p>
<p><b>Year 3</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Children love the fact they can wear their own clothes on their birthdays, it makes them feel special.</p> <p>Love the kindness wall.</p>

	<p><u>Development Point</u> Some parents having issues using Arbor when they have more than one child at the school.</p>
<p><b>Year 4</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Children love Miss Markham. Parents see her as child focussed and pupils are growing in confidence. Also love the sign language being taught.</p> <p>They are enjoying the art and craft lessons with Mrs Mitchell.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Some parents are anxious at pick up times. Miss Churchman suggested they collect a little later.</p>
<p><b>Year 5</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Fantastic events going on and pupils are enjoying the rewards for good behaviour.</p> <p>Spellings is working well, Miss Scrutton is a genius! Teams makes it easier.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Parents concerned over what some pupils are wearing for PE. They are not wearing the school uniform and it makes enforcing school uniform with their pupils challenging.</p>
<p><b>Year 6</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Children enjoy class rewards such as non-uniform days.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Some parents would still prefer a paper copy of the spellings as have issues logging on to Teams. Do the children get results to know where to help them improve?</p>
<p><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p>	<p>Thursday 11 February 2021 1.45pm</p>