

MPA Parent Council Meeting

18 March 2021

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

Item	Feedback
Actions from Last Meeting	<p>The previous development points were in relation to Remote Learning, so we did not discuss these.</p> <p><u>Development Point - Year 6</u> One suggestion was that with two children at the school it would be nice sometimes if they had the same assignment where possible eg. for Mental Health week. Obviously not possible for many subjects.</p> <p>Parents fed back that the World Book Day activities were well planned, and the children enjoyed working together. So, this was improved thank you.</p>
Head Teacher Feedback	<p>How was the return to school for your children?</p> <p>Did you find the report information useful? Was there any way these could be improved?</p> <p>Feedback on the optional parent / teacher consultations. Were there any issues that we needed to be made aware of booking the appointments?</p> <p>Reception: Amazing return to school. Loved the nurturing approach given to children. Reports gave a real confidence boost. Didn't need to book appointment for parents evening as reports were very clear.</p> <p>Year 1: Happy with the return to school. Reports were very informative, personalised to the child and really emphasised how children were progressing. Clear reports so no need to book parents evening appointment. 1 person couldn't log in, otherwise, no issues.</p> <p>Year 2: As usual, happy. Nicely managed transition. Happy with return to school and the reconnection with school. Throughout</p>

	<p>lockdown the support for children in school was second to none. No issues with reports, teachers really understand the children. Reports were informative and easy to understand so no need for parents evening appointment.</p> <p>Year 3: Excellent return to school. Children were eased in gently. Loved the Science experiments. Reports were relevant. Questions regarding Attendance on reports. Why 'Room for Improvement' when below 96%? Miss Churchman discussed the reasons behind these statistics. Miss Churchman said that the attendance figures are national statistics and the school must follow these.</p> <p>Year 4: 'This is Me' was a really good way to get children back into school. Sending reports in the first week gave the children encouragement, focus and confidence. A lot of effort has gone into the reports.</p> <p>Year 5: No comments.</p> <p>Year 6: Happy with how everything is going since being back at school. Reports were informative and showed where the children are at attainment wise and targets for improvement. Lovely to have personal comments as well.</p>
<p>Reception 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u> Everyone happy!</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> None.</p>
<p>Year 1 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u> Pupil reports really emphasised how children were progressing. Good to see the last feedback was listened to by the school. Interactive Zoom sessions well received. Excited about school. Outstanding teachers and assistants. Keep up the good work!</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Can schoolbooks be changed more frequently, and can we have more books please? Miss Churchman said you can request additional books. Just make a comment in the reading diary.</p>

<p>Year 2 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u> Very very happy as usual. Appreciative of emotional support given. Can't fault anything.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> None.</p>
<p>Year 3 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u> Teachers amazing.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> None.</p>
<p>Year 4 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u> Good that Miss Markham explains what the children are doing before they are going to do it. Love the arts and crafts.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> None.</p>
<p>Year 5 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Are we going to have Forest School? No, there will be an Activity Week for Year 5 and 6. Can staff encourage children to drink now the weather is getting warmer.</p>
<p>Year 6 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 positives</u> Teachers are doing an amazing job and have made the return to school easy for parents and welcoming for the children. Great to have fun Science activities last week which the children enjoyed.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> One comment about eating outside at lunchtime - could there potentially be an extra bench provided (funds allowing) as the benches can be cramped for all the children who have chosen to eat outside and are not always that clean (although to be expected outside).</p> <p>Otherwise everyone very happy and no other points for improvement.</p>
<p>Date of Next Meeting</p>	<p>27 May 2021 @ 1.30pm</p>