

## MPA Parent Council Meeting

11 February 2021

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> Parents would like to see the work the children are doing more.</p> <p>Parents received a video outlining the theme at the end of the term. Then we went into lockdown.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 2</u> Parents are having issues with Arbor app on mobile devices.</p> <p>Continue to talk to the school and we will support you however we can. Arbor is a trust wide communication system.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 3</u> Some parents having issues using Arbor when they have more than one child at the school.</p> <p>Explained to parents how to go between children on Arbor</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 5</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>HT sent reminders to all families via the Friday Flyer and spoke to pupils who were not wearing correct PE kit.</p> <p><u>Development Point - Year 6</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>HT reported we would do it one way only to support Miss Scrutton. This would be electronic and children in Y6 would need to be responsible.</p>

<p><b>Head Teacher Feedback</b></p>	<p><b>Is the information you receive form the teachers on the daily overview clear and helpful?</b></p> <p><b>Please give some examples of what is working well. If the answer is no, please state what we could improve.</b></p> <p><b>Reception:</b> Happy how this is set out and with how Tapestry, Zoom interactions and lessons are going.</p> <p><b>Year 1:</b> 100% clear and helpful.</p> <p><b>Year 2:</b> Yes, easy to understand.</p> <p><b>Year 3:</b> Happy and value feedback and live interaction.</p> <p><b>Year 4:</b> Really pleased. How do I reply directly to the teacher without everyone seeing? Explained the Trust have disabled the chat function to chat with the teacher directly.</p> <p><b>Year 5:</b> Brilliant and fine.</p> <p><b>Year 6:</b> Daily overview is clear and helpful. Like the step by step Maths guide.</p> <p>Miss Churchman explained a letter will be sent to parents 11 February explaining the forthcoming Live Teaching Sessions. Class Interaction Sessions will stop. Spelling and Maths Champions each week rather than PiXL. This is via EdShed and will include children from Year 1 to Year 6.</p>
<p><b>Reception</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Pre-recorded lessons are helpful. Zoom sessions are fun and the children enjoy these.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Feedback on work on Tapestry was limited. Recently this has improved.</p>
<p><b>Year 1</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Both communication and support are great. Motivating feedback on home learning and Zoom calls are great. General enjoyment from school – a happy place for the children. Parents feel the children thrive.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> More teacher initiated learning. Keeping the sessions short. Give some variation in the pre-canned eLearning videos to suit different ability groups. EdShed also supports children's independent learning.</p>

<p><b>Year 2</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Very happy. Communications over closure couldn't be better. No pressure and lots of understanding. Mr Francis very helpful. Help from Mrs Dodwell and Miss Hudson wellbeing for parents.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> English a bit repetitive. Concerns over too much screen time. Add sparkle to English.</p>
<p><b>Year 3</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Really enjoyed Mental Health Week activities. The Positivity Jars and the life skills. The communication from school works and families feel supported.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Treasure Island not engaging as key text.</p>
<p><b>Year 4</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Amazing Home Learning and class Zooms. Booking in Forms are easy to complete.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> Different levels - could siblings work together on some tasks? Friday afternoon, not focussed after assembly – reduce workload please.</p>
<p><b>Year 5</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Great seeing Miss Scrutton doing Maths. Best school ever. Great job with Home Learning and feedback is excellent. Mental Health Week – learning but in an enjoyable way.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u> House Challenges – can they be more fun rather than chores?</p>
<p><b>Year 6</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p>Children love seeing their teachers on the zoom meets and videos. Work is going well and support is good. Parents like the step by step maths guides as parents can see how they should be supporting children.</p> <p>Appreciate all MPA does. Couldn't ask for more, doing brilliantly to help us all.</p> <p><u>Development Point</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><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p>	<p>Thursday 18 March 2021 1.30 pm</p>

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