

## MPA Parent Council Meeting

15 July 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 – Reception</u> Would like feedback from After School Clubs. Dance Reports were sent to all children. We will look into reports for Football club in the future.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 1</u> Would like to see some of the children's work. All children's books will be coming home this week.</p> <p><u>Development Point - Year 2</u> Poor quality uniform – can we look at another supplier.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 3</u> Can Home Learning be more creative. Some parents would prefer more work.</p> <p><u>Development Point – Year 4</u> Quality of uniform. Hard to cross the road at school. Cars park opposite the zig zags. Will Year 4 have Forest School this year? No, next year, each year group will have ½ term of forest schools.</p>
<b>Head Teacher Feedback</b>	<p>Parent Surveys sent to all parents July 2021. Will share the outcomes in the new academic year.</p>
<b>Reception</b> 2 Positives 1 Development	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>Really happy with end of year reports. Very detailed and informative.</p> <p>How enthusiastic the school are and the efforts they put into extra events. Themed school lunches are also a lovely touch and really adds with their social and school experience.</p>

	<p><i>One for luck. Love how much Miss Elsdon encourages their creativity which was shown in their deadly 60 video.</i></p> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>Parents would like to see more work they do in school but appreciate it's not possible because of Covid. They're hoping this might change when things relax a little.</p>
<p><b>Year 1</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>The most common topic was in relation to all the events at the School ... Special lunches, messages in the newspapers 11 before 11 activities - great enrichment for the children. Sports day including parents The effort you have all put into the recent events.</p> <p>Not one topic, just lots of positive aspects from parents</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Keeping all the Pupil Safe.</li> <li>• Communication.</li> <li>• Generally, Children's enjoyment.</li> </ul> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>Improvement: Being able to see their Childs work. Possibility to see the Children's work. Holly Blues report were brief. One suggestion was being able to view via Tapestry or on Teams.</p>
<p><b>Year 2</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>Horse riding was amazing and the children got so much out of it. Pleased that the school worked hard to offer something for sports day, despite the setbacks with the weather. Parents are happy with the reward system and think it works very well. All staff have worked hard this year, not only to support the children academically, but also the focus on mental wellbeing has been appreciated. Miss Hudson and Mrs Dodwell have been a massive support to the children and families are grateful for everything they have done this year. We will all miss them when the children move up in September. Thank you to Mrs Dodwell for making sure the parents are kept informed of last-minute changes to events, such as messaging everyone the morning when sports day was postponed.</p>

	<p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>School reports were not as detailed as usual.  <b>The reports were just an evaluation.</b></p> <p>Catering options are generally very good but would like to see a hot lunch on offer every day. Some days the menu shows rolls/wraps, which families could provide themselves if child wanted a cold lunch.  <b>Menus will be going back to normal in September.</b></p>
<p><b>Year 3</b>  2 Positives  1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>It was great to watch Sports Day. Guitar Performance was great. Olly day was a lovely day. Really enjoyed the 11 b4 11 promises.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>Mistake in the Friday Flyer.  Year 6 jumper is more expensive than an adult KHS jumper.</p>
<p><b>Year 4</b>  2 Positives  1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>Sports Day well organised, thank you for giving parents the opportunity to watch.  Olly Day was fun.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>Parents were expecting small reports but were still disappointed with how small the reports were.</p>
<p><b>Year 5</b>  2 Positives  1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>Swimming, Activities Week, Sports Day were all great.  Money Minds sessions were good – teaching children life skills.  Parents were really impressed with Miss Scrutton and Mrs Pratt.  They are extremely happy that Miss Scrutton will be teaching their children next year.</p> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>RSHE – some felt the children were a bit young. Miss Churchman explained this was a statutory part of the curriculum.</p>

<p><b>Year 6</b> 2 Positives 1 Development</p>	<p><u>2 Positives</u></p> <p>Olly Day was good – it was lovely for the older children to have the responsibility to help organise. Sports Day – lovely for Year 6 to be involved Loved Money Minds. Activities Week – all good fun, especially Rendlesham Forest. Looking forward to everything that's planned for the last week. Week. One child said, 'lunches are the hi-light of my day!' Mss Scrutton is amazing</p> <p><u>Development Point</u></p> <p>No development points.</p>
<p><b>Any Other Business</b></p>	<p>In September we will be supporting the children with follow up work from Macmillan. We are aware that there is added anxiety relating to cancer.</p>
<p><b>Date of Next Meeting</b></p>	<p>Thursday 21 October 2021 via Zoom</p>