



**Weaverham Forest Community Primary School
Parents'/Carers' Questionnaire
Spring Results 2016**

1. My child/children enjoy/enjoys coming to Weaverham Forest.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
56%	41%	3%	0%	0%

2. I believe there are good channels of communication between the school and home.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
25%	53%	12%	6%	4%

3. I believe the school has good standards of behaviour.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
37%	56%	4%	3%	0%

4. I believe the school understands and works to meet the individual needs of my child and is helping him/her to meet his/her potential.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
37%	44%	11%	8%	0%

5. I am satisfied with the amount of homework my child/children receive.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
23%	52%	18%	5%	2%

6. I believe the school achieves high educational standards.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
32%	43%	22%	3%	0%

7. I receive good information on the progress, attainment and welfare of my child/children in school.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
24%	47%	21%	6%	2%

8. I receive good information about the welfare of my child/children in school.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
24%	44%	25%	4%	3%

9. I receive good information about changes to the curriculum.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
19%	56%	19%	7%	2%

10. I believe my views are listened to and the school handles concerns from parents well.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
29%	45%	14%	8%	4%

11. This school deals effectively with bullying.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
28%	42%	20%	10%	0%

12. I believe the school provides a broad range of extra-curricular activities.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
32%	56%	8%	4%	0%

13. I believe the school welcomes parental involvement (helping out in class, trips, Friends of Forest etc)

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
32%	56%	8%	2%	3%

14. I believe the school is well led and managed.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
35%	58%	3%	4%	0%

15. I understand the role and responsibility of the governing body.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
19%	50%	21%	6%	4%

16. I believe the school has a good 'atmosphere/feel'.

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
48%	42%	4%	6%	0%

17. Should school publish photographs of children on Twitter to allow parents an insight into their child's daily life?

Strongly agree	Agree	Neither	Disagree	Strongly disagree
31%	41%	20%	6%	2%

Thank you so much for your careful and thoughtful responses to our parent survey. Governors and staff have had the opportunity to read all comments and they give us a good base upon which to move forward, as well as celebrate what we already do well.

Key areas of Success

- **My child/children enjoy/enjoys coming to Weaverham Forest**
We were delighted that 97% of you stated that your children enjoy coming to school. We continue to be very proud of our school and glad that you are too.
- **The school has good standards of behaviour**
93% of you stated that the school has good standards of behaviour and again this is something that we are very pleased with.

- **The school has a good 'atmosphere/feel'**
We were pleased that 90% of you felt the recent changes to the school had contributed to improving the atmosphere/feel.
- **I believe the school is well led and managed**
93% of you believe the school is well led and managed.

Key areas for Development

The responses to the questionnaire were overwhelming positive however a key area for development was the number of 'neither' responses over 20%.

- **I believe the school achieves high educational standards**
Our children leave KS1 and KS2 achieving higher with higher attainment when compared to other children nationally. For more information visit our website:

http://www.weaverhamforest.cheshire.sch.uk/serve_file/81239

- **I receive good information on the progress, attainment and welfare of my child/children in school**
We currently have three teacher/parent meetings (1 'meet' the teacher and 2 parent appointment evenings) and we produce one written report at the end of the academic year. Parents are welcome to make an appointment to meet with teachers at any point in the year if they have any concerns regarding their child. To further improve this area we have redesigned our end of year written report and would appreciate parental feedback.
- **I receive good information about the welfare of my child/children in school**
To find out more about what information you would like I have asked Mrs Rushworth to make this a focus of her 'Working Together' group.
- **I understand the role and responsibility of the governing body**
Please look out for more information about the role and responsibility of our governing being added to our website/newsletters over the coming weeks.

If you have any further comments or suggestions to make, then please do not hesitate to contact either myself, one of the school's leadership team or a parent governor.

Yours Sincerely
David Erne
Headteacher