

## Rothersthorpe C of E Primary School



### Parent Questionnaire Results - June 2018

55 Responses

Questions	Strongly Agree	Agree	Disagree	Unsure
My child is happy at school.	43	11	0	1
My child is encouraged to work hard and try their best.	42	13	0	0
School newsletters, emails, texts, general letters, facebook, twitter, website, notes on the board, etc, provide me with clear information regarding what has happened/future school events.	39	14	1	1
The termly, end of year report and parent consultations provide me with the information that I require about my child's progress and achievement.	37	14	1	3
I am given enough information about how to support my child.	26	25	3	1
The school ethos, motto and Christian values have a positive effect on my child.	33	22	0	0
I think the school's system of rewarding and praising children is effective e.g. achievement cards, stars of week, stickers, value stones, assemblies etc	44	11	0	0
There is a good standard of behaviour at school.	38	16	1	0
My child is safe at school.	46	9	0	0
The school helps to promote a healthy lifestyle e.g. snack, lunches, PE activities etc.	35	18	0	2
The school provides a range of before/after school and lunchtime activities/clubs - football, rugby, rounders, multi-skills, hot-shots, gardening, Food Tech, Art, choir/recorders, boxercise, gym & dance.	36	16	1	2
The school encourages parents/families to play an active part in school life through a range of ways e.g. FoRS, Sport, Tea Dance, Culture week, Friday assemblies, May Day, Harvest, Christmas etc.	41	14	0	0
I can approach someone in school if I have a concern.	35	17	0	3
The school is well led and managed.	40	14	0	1
I am aware of the School Governors.	29	21	1	4
I would recommend the school to another family.	44	9	0	2

#### Overall Positive Comments:

We would like to say thank you for all the lovely, kind and supportive comments. It really is a pleasure to be the Headteacher of such a wonderful school community.

I have included some of the comments below:

**It is just like one big happy family, where everyone knows everyone else, and all look out for each other.**

Staff go that extra mile for the children with clubs, competitions, sports, residential, plays etc.

**Community spirit and kindness.**

Rothersthorpe always provides a positive experience for its children - thank you.

**Classes all interact really well and are very supportive to each other, particularly class 4 and Reception with the buddy system and lunch tables.**

Providing the new email system is very helpful.

**Rothersthorpe is a positive place for children in ensuring pupils are happy whilst learning.**

Rothersthorpe is very good at ensuring ALL children partake in the activities.

**Staff are enthusiastic, positive, have a good sense of humour and produce engaging learning.**

Teachers know the children individually and focus activities and support to help children improve.

**Rothersthorpe children are polite, helpful and supportive of each other.**

Creating a caring learning environment, where children are happy and supported with their learning and able to reach their potential.

Developing the whole child - building their confidence, public speaking, helping others, buddy/house system, rewards for learning, behaviour and attitudes.

Every child is encouraged to do their best and are rewarded. Very happy with the school.

Fantastic teaching and learning. Great out of school activities.

There is nothing we would change about this school. A fantastic school!

Family orientated. Rewarding success. Buddy system and houses encouraging relations across year groups.

Creating a safe, happy and inclusive environment.

Supporting and valuing each child.

Nice ethos, friendly and warm. Organising key events throughout the year. Personal care.

Good variety of clubs.

Giving the children confidence.

Communication between school and parents is fantastic.

Very thankful to all the teachers and staff for all the help and support through the years.

I am very happy with the very high standard of education and care my child received.

We will be sad to move on from our time at Rothersthorpe, but know our child has had the best start we could ever ask for.

Thank you to all the staff at Rothersthorpe for doing a brilliant job.

**Overall response for improvement suggestions**

7 questionnaires requested either reception club, KS1 club, Tennis club, non-sport club, homework club.

**School Response/Action**

We have re-started the Art/Craft club for classes 2 & 3. A Science club will start in January for Y2-Y6. Gardening, Food Tech and Choir clubs will continue. We feel Reception children are too young to start clubs and would need extra support that we wouldn't be able to offer. We only have the equivalent of 4 full-time teachers at our school, yet we offer 10 clubs and take KS2 to a range of sporting competitions after school. If anyone is interested in volunteering to run an after-school club we would be happy to support this.

I am given enough information to support my child.  
3 disagree and 1 unsure.  
Reports/consultations provide me with enough information: 1 disagree and 3 unsure.

Could these parents please ask their child's class teacher for extra information/support as they are very happy to provide it. Also come along to our yearly Reading and Maths workshops where teachers are available to support you.

I am aware of the school governors.  
1 disagree and 4 unsure.

Our governors with their responsibilities and roles are listed on our website. Governor information was detailed in our June and November newsletters. Governors always attend events and we will endeavour to introduce them more.

**All staff members are happy to help or advise a parent/carer who ticked an 'unsure' statement in the questionnaire.**

**Thank you to everyone who completed a questionnaire. We thank you for your positive comments and take on board your suggestions for improvements.**