



## Parents’ Questionnaire Summer Term 2019 Results

As part of our annual cycle of self-evaluation we have asked parents/carers for their feedback. We are really pleased to say that there has been an overwhelmingly positive response to our questionnaires (we received 28 paper & 4 online responses).

We work hard to ensure that we provide the best provision for all of our children and families – this is only possible with your support. Your suggestions and comments are greatly valued as they inform future improvements.

Please remember that completing the questionnaire is not a substitute for coming into school to speak to Mr. Buttery or your child’s teacher about any uncertainties you may have at any time. We want to hear from you and would encourage you to do this whenever the need arises.

Please see below for the results of the most recent survey:

		Strongly agree/ Agree	Disagree/ Strongly disagree	Don’t know
1	My child likes coming to Crayke School.	100%		
2	My child is making good progress.	100%		
3	Behaviour at the school is good.	97%		3%
4	The teaching in this school is good.	100%		
5	I am kept well informed about my child’s development.	94%	3%	3%
6	The school expects my child to work hard and achieve his/her best.	100%		
7	The school works closely with parents.	97%	3%	
8	The school is well led and managed.	100%		
9	The school is helping my child become mature and responsible.	100%		
10	The school seeks the views of parents and takes account of their suggestions and concerns.	94%	3%	3%
11	The arrangements for my son/daughter to settle in when he/she started at the school were good.	100%		
12	The school is a caring one built upon a clear Christian foundation.	100%		
13	This school caters well for pupils of all abilities.	91%	3%	6%
14	Communications from school work well.	97%	3%	

15	I feel comfortable about approaching my child's class teacher about a question or concern.	100%		
16	I feel comfortable about approaching the Headteacher about a question or concern.	100%		
17	The school provides a very good range of extra-curricular activities.	91%	9%	
18	The homework arrangements work well.	94%	6%	
19	The school helps my child to have a healthy lifestyle.	100%		
20	The school keeps my child safe.	100%		
21	The school has high expectations of its pupils.	100%		
22	The school effectively promotes British values as part of pupils' spiritual, moral, social and cultural (SMSC) development.	97%		3%
23	The school website is useful.	97%		3%
24	I am happy with the way the school is governed.	97%		3%
25	I am happy with the school meals service.	82%	12%	6%
26	I have had opportunities to become involved in the life of the school.	100%		
27	I feel certain Crayke Church of England Primary School is the right one for my child, and I am happy she/he attends it.	100%		

I think the strengths of the school are (*a selection of the comments received*)

- *How they care for every student as an individual, get to know them and then meet their needs to allow them to achieve their full potential.*
- *Some amazing teachers and an excellent head teacher. Sense of community and caring for each other.*
- *Integration of all year groups together makes it feel an inclusive and supportive environment.*
- *Frequent informative pupil feedback.*
- *Crayke is a wonderful school, providing an excellent learning environment.*
- *The children have a wide range of before/after school activities to attend.*
- *Great communication, positivity towards all students and excellent work ethic & values.*
- *Staff throughout the school are amazing. The progress my daughter has made since joining Crayke is an absolute credit to all staff involved.*
- *Christian ethos promoted effectively.*
- *The Headteacher is extremely dedicated and consistently maintains clear expectations regarding the behaviour/ethos of the school.*
- *My child is happy and confident – therefore eager to learn!*
- *Fantastic teachers and teaching methods.*
- *Wonderful admin support.*

I would like the school to consider these areas for improvement (*a selection of the comments received*)

- *Encourage parents not to leave vehicle engines running whilst stationary in the school lay-by.*
- *Better School meals.*
- *To always consider the values of the rural community the school serves.*
- *Year 5 children have their chance of better parts next year no matter how talented they are.*
- *After school clubs for younger years e.g. Lego Club.*
- *I know many schools use Tapestry, perhaps the school could consider this so parents get as involved and integrated as possible?*
- *Participate in more Cluster sport activities e.g. netball and cricket.*

Other comments (*a selection of the comments received*)

- *I can't fault the support both the teacher and Headteacher have given my family and I, through some very difficult times.*
- *Speaking to friends of children at other primary schools they have not received half the information and help Crayke have given to us.*
- *School Terms – summer to be shorter time off. Spread out more even over the year to stop 7/8 week stint.*
- *We think Mr. Buttery has been an excellent Headteacher during his time at Crayke. He will be sorely missed, but we wish him all the best in his new Headship – the school will be lucky to have him.*
- *Our children have attended Crayke School for the last ten years, we couldn't have wished for a better more rounded educational and pastoral experience for them. We would like to thank the many teachers, staff, volunteers and governors for everything they have done for our family.*