







Results from the 2024 Annual Parental Survey

This year there was a total of 45 responses to our survey.

1. My child is happy at Stoke Prior First School

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 Insights


 Strongly Agree	34
 Agree	11
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	0








100% agree/strongly agree that their child is happy at Stoke Prior First School

2. My child feels safe at Stoke Prior First School

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 Insights

 Strongly Agree	36
 Agree	9
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	0








100% agree/strongly agree that their child feels safe at Stoke Prior First School

3. Stoke Prior First School makes sure its pupils are well behaved

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 Insights


 Strongly Agree	25
 Agree	20
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	0








100% agree/strongly agree that school makes sure its pupils are well behaved

4. My child has been bullied and school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively

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 Insights

 Strongly Agree	2
 Agree	1
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 My child has not been bullied	42








93% of people answered 'my child has not been bullied'

5. The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.

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 Insights


 Strongly agree	14
 Agree	24
 Disagree	4
 Strongly disagree	1
 Don't know	2








84% agree/strongly agree that school makes them aware of what their child will learn

6. When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.

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 Insights

 Strongly agree	14
 Agree	9
 Disagree	1
 Strongly disagree	0
 I have not raised any concerns	21








47% have not raised any concerns. 51% agree/strongly agree concerns raised have been dealt with properly.

7. The school has high expectations for my child.

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 Insights


 Strongly agree	21
 Agree	20
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	4








91% agree/strongly agree that school has high expectations of their child

8. My child does well at this school.

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 Insights


 Strongly agree	27
 Agree	16
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	2








96% agree/strongly agree that their child does well at Stoke Prior First School

9. The school lets me know how my child is doing

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 Insights


 Strongly Agree	9
 Agree	29
 Disagree	5
 Strongly disagree	1
 Don't know	1








84% agree/strongly agree that school let them know how their child is doing

10. There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.

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 Insights


 Strongly agree	21
 Agree	20
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	4








91% agree/strongly agree that there is a good range of subjects available

11. My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.

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 Insights


 Strongly agree	31
 Agree	12
 Disagree	2
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't know	0








96% agree/strongly agree that there is a good range of clubs and activities

12. The school supports my child's wider personal development.

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 Insights

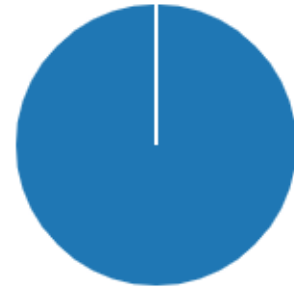
 Strongly agree	20
 Agree	19
 Disagree	0
 Strongly disagree	0
 Don't Know	6



86% agree/strongly agree that school supports their child's wider personal development

13. I would recommend this school to another parent.

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100% would recommend this school to another parent

Parents and carers were also asked for any additional comments that they wished to make. Below is an anonymised summary and response where appropriate

Comments about the school (anonymised if required)	Senior Leader Response
I think school lunches could be healthier, more forest school would be wonderful and a staff member at wrap around could be more friendly and also not shout at the children unnecessarily which I've heard her do	<i>We have recently reviewed the lunch menu, after consulting with parents, to ensure a varied, healthy selection is available. We are always open to meal suggestions. In September children will be having learning outside of the classroom regularly all year long, as well as forest school, to take their learning outside more as this has huge benefits on their mental and physical wellbeing.</i>
More information on learning and outcomes. Parents evening in the hall felt busy and rushed, missed the opportunity to see child's classroom and work displayed.	<i>Although parents' evening has been moved to the hall, the allocated time for each parent is still the same (10 minutes). We have also introduced Open Classrooms to ensure you have the opportunity to visit your child's class.</i>
All the staff at Stoke Prior are amazing, every teacher goes above and beyond always friendly and approachable which makes it a lovely school and my child happy to go to school	<i>Thank you!</i>
This is a great school and my child loves attending. I would like to see children offered lessons on playing musical instruments earlier than Y3. I would also like to see a holiday club offered during school holidays	<i>A survey was sent out to parents last year with regards to setting up a holiday club. Unfortunately, there wasn't enough uptake for this to be</i>

	<i>viable with costs. We may look at this again in the future.</i>
It's been a fab seven years (2 children, from YR through Y4). Thank you.	<i>Thank you!</i>
Response in communication can be slow in some instances non existent recently- maybe busy at this point in the year. Would be nice to be able to contact staff without sharing every detail with the office first.	<i>We are sorry to hear that you have not always had a response. We always aim to reply promptly to any communication.</i> <i>If you prefer to speak to teachers directly, you are able to write in the reading diary, catch them at the end of the day or pass a message to the office or staff on the door in the morning, who will then ask teachers to call/arrange a meeting with you at their earliest available time.</i>
Thank you for starting my daughter's school journey so positively, the team in reception have been amazing! The only improvement for us would be seeing a holiday club attached to the school.	<i>Thank you – please see previous response with regards to holiday club.</i>
More club options for reception children would be good. My child really enjoyed singing club and it was a shame when it was cancelled. Gardening club could be extended throughout spring and summer and offered to reception children as well	<i>We are always reviewing our club offer, and are looking at different options for all year groups, including Reception.</i> <i>In response to feedback in February, we organised a club for Reception this term, however there was very little uptake for this and it was subsequently cancelled. We will continue to look for clubs suitable for all age groups. Singing club runs for Spring term and will be back again after Christmas for children to attend. Gardening club is a new club which we started in Spring, and we intend for it to run all year round where possible.</i>
More clubs for years R and 1	<i>Please see response above.</i>
Develop more clubs that can be offered to the Reception children. There is very limited choice in their first year compared to other year groups. It is great to see that the library is beginning to be used but twice every half term still doesn't feel a lot of opportunities for the children. Consider developing a sensory room or space to support children with PSED, C&L and sensory needs. However all children could benefit from this space.	<i>Due to the size of the library, three groups per class is working well, ensuring the children have space and time to really explore the books on offer. Children will also have access to the library weekly on a Wednesday lunch time as well as having regular access to their classroom library and the outdoor library every day.</i> <i>Our Nurture room is in the process of being redesigned/develop for this very purpose.</i>

<p>The schools values are clear and considered. I am very pleased with my daughters progress and feel the staff have her best interests at heart.</p>	<p><i>Thank you.</i></p>
<p>It is essential for the children to be sent home with spelling and homework the last term of the school year? It is a shame parents feel under pressure to ensure children complete these task when they could be encouraging the children to enjoy the summer nights playing outside. I understand the school holidays follow shortly after but they work hard enough at school. I don't agree with spelling and homework every week.</p>	<p><i>Our new homework policy is being sent home in September, where we have made significant changes to how much/type of homework children are expected to complete, as we agree that children should have time to be children outside of school. Look out for this on the first newsletter back!</i></p>
<p>Wrap around provision needs to offer short and long sessions for after school.</p>	<p><i>A parent survey for wrap around provision is being sent out in September with regards to the hours/structure to gather thoughts on this.</i></p>
<p>My child enjoys going to school, I would like to ask to change girls uniform to include shorts under the skirts/dresses. Considering the girls sit with their bottoms on the floor cross-legged in the grass, etc. it can result in infection and unnecessary skin irritation in private bits since pants quite frequently get dislocated, especially of younger age girls. Additionally, girls uniform for older girls might be limiting factor in exercising, if they are concerned about their private parts they might be less likely to exercise freely due to the existing uniform, which is unfair on them. (bbc article on uniform: https://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-england-cambridgeshire)</p>	<p><i>Girls are welcome to wear shorts under their skirts and dresses. They are also welcome to wear shorts and trousers if they prefer, as our uniform policy is not gender specific.</i></p> <p><u>Stoke Prior First School - School Uniform</u></p>
<p>Lovely school with a friendly welcoming feel. There has been a good amount of opportunities to come into school and interact with my child i.e. stay and plays and the owl art activity, it would be good however to be have more regular feedback for how they are getting on, perhaps a parents evening for each term? There could be more activities available for reception age children but looking forward to trying them out from next year. Thank you for a lovely first year at school.</p>	<p><i>We offer a parents' evening in Autumn and Spring term, followed by a detailed school report in Summer term. This approach ensures parents are informed every term on their child's progress.</i></p> <p><i>Alongside this we have tried to find additional ways to share what children are learning on a regular basis, using our 'this week in school' section of the newsletter and our 'latest news' section on the website. There is also the curriculum overviews and information on our website.</i></p> <p><i>If you ever have concerns or questions about your child's progress it is encouraged to talk with the class teacher directly, either by appointment, at collection or through the reading diary. We are always happy to talk about how your children are getting on.</i></p>

I've been a parent here since 2016 and it has grown
from strength to strength

Thank you!