

Parent Survey
November 2018

		Yes	No	No Answer	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total
1	My child is happy at this school	163	0	0				163
2	My child feels safe at this school	163	0	0				163
3	My child is bullied at this school	0	163	0				163
	If yes to question 3 please provide more details	Parent 1 - My child is not bullied but is a little conscious about another child's behaviour towards her.						
		Parent 2 - There has been one instance that he has mentioned that made him feel uncomfortable. Forgot the full detail.						
4	Do you think that the schools deals appropriately with poor behaviour (including bullying)?	141	0	22				163
		Parent 1 - Would like to know more.						
		Parent 2 - I have no experience of this.						
		Parent 3 - To a degree. Bullying not experienced						
		Parent 4 - I have talked to the teacher and he has let me know that he will monitor the situation.						
5	The quality of education my child receives at the school is excellent				0	39	124	163
	Additional comments to question 5	I am very impressed with the way children are educated through practical experiences. I am impressed with my child's progress and am so happy we are here. Excellent teaching and support both in and out of lessons. Especially appreciate the effort put in to Theme Weeks. I have seen great development and improvement of my child over their time at the school. Excellent additional curriculum activities. I am always very impressed with the level and quality of teaching and the commitment shown to both pupils and parents. It is a very good school and the teachers are very good. Excellent! She has thrived beyond expectation. The teachers and teaching assistants do an amazing job. The school offers a great education and foundation of learning.						

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6	What do you like/value about the school?	Teachers and staff at Lowbrook are very committed to make children well rounded with special focus on academic excellence. Great teachers and happy children that want to learn. We think that the school has lovely additional activities. High Quality of teaching. Engaging the children in a variety of exciting activities and helping them to enjoy their learning. Helping them to aspire to do well. It's ethos and making sure each child is the best they can be. Focus, commitment and dedication of all staff for our child's education and wellbeing. Opportunities for excellent learning. My children have wonderful friends. We also really love the Theme Weeks. Teaching is amazing in a well organised school. Strong sense of community, quality of teaching and pastoral care. I like the structure and the attention given to develop these young minds.						
7	Do you find the new style end of year pupil reports easy to understand and informative?	134	5	24				163
8	The Lowbrook PTA is looking for helpers. How could you contribute to its success.	Help at events when I can. We both work full time and are time poor but we are happy to support all fundraising initiatives and make a good financial contribution over the year. I can sometimes help outside of working hours. I can provide support at events. Working full time makes it very difficult for me to make it to school to help with PTA events. Happy to help where I can.						
9	Much planning and effort goes into our successful theme weeks: Books, Maths, Science, Sports and Arts and Culture. What skills or resources can you as a parent/caregiver offer to enhance these?	I have/can provide food for Arts and Culture Week and we are happy to contribute financially. I would be happy to talk to the children about art and different artists during Arts and Culture Week. I would be happy to talk to the children during Arts and Culture Week. We value your efforts and enthusiasm and will continue to support Theme Weeks financially. Unable to offer time but happy to contribute financially as we have for previous years.						

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10	We estimate that 3 school trips per year and our Theme Weeks equate to approximately £100 per child a year. With only 65% of parents contributing towards the last Science Week, we as a Staff and Governing Body are reviewing what we offer in addition to our core offer as lost contributions means funding is removed from other curriculum areas (approximately £12,000 if the above trend is replicated throughout this academic year).	Yes	No	No Answer	Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Total
	Will you support future school trips	150	2	11				163
	Will you support future Theme Weeks	150	4	9				163
	Will you pay a voluntary contribution towards a class trip up to three times a year with an upper cost ceiling of £20 per trip.	150	2	11				163
	Will you pay a voluntary contribution for theme weeks up to £12 per pupil per activity week (Currently 4 per year)	144	6	13				163
	Additional comments (re payments)	<p>Cost v perceived value to the child i.e. time spent at location as often the cost seems to be transport heavy. I am happy to contribute but would appreciate notice so I can pay costs easily when required. I believe that £5 per pupil per them week should be sufficient and the theme weeks scaled accordingly. We have always contributed and are very grateful for the opportunities provided. I am more than happy to support any theme weeks/trips. I think it's very important to have school trips. Could we contribute to these weeks online rather than by cash or cheque. Theme weeks are so important, please keep them! Would gladly pay a monthly direct debit of £10.00/month/child to the school to cover trips, theme weeks etc. to allow families to spread the cost and for the school to know its annual budget.</p>						