

Parent Questionnaire — June 2014

The results of the questionnaire (from 97 parents) are displayed below.

The survey was undertaken in order to ascertain Parental Views about the school within a number of key aspects. In addition, parents also had the opportunity to add personal comments about Marsh Hill Primary. All parents are reminded that if they have any worries or concerns that they must not hesitate to contact the

We asked 'How can we make school even better?'

Some of your replies

Text message or email about forthcoming events

Response: While we try to give advance notice of school events, occasionally we have to arrange some at short notice. However, we have responded to comments in the questionnaire by including the year's events in the the end of term newsletter.

I don't think that bullying is dealt with well enough

Response: A copy of our Anti Bullying Policy is posted on our website - you will then be able to see clearly how we deal with issues in school and can also take advice from the policy should you need to.

Due to the constraints of space, I have not been able to include every single comment we have received as some were duplicated. However, I have commented on all the issues that were raised.

While I consider this to be an important annual exercise for us to gain the views of our parents, I must stress that your partnership with us is of the utmost importance to all of us in school and I always welcome hearing from you at any time during the year.

We asked 'Why did you send your child to Marsh Hill?'

Some of your replies

Close to home

Local school and siblings attended

School is near home, better standard of education

Because it is local and generations of family and myself all attended Marsh Hill School

I heard good things about the school so when I moved into the area I chose this school

I'm glad we picked this school for our son. The educational standard of Marsh Hill Primary is absolutely fantastic. I would recommend this school to any parent.

It was close and was recommended

Because her older sister was happy and achieved good results at this school. It has good teachers and a strong leadership team.

We asked 'What do you like the most about Marsh Hill?'

Some of your replies

Friendly atmosphere

All the staff are very friendly and listen to parents concerns

The school is clean and well managed

It is very much family orientated the staff are very helpful and approachable

My son says 'I like to learn letters. I like the teachers because they help me learn and are nice'.

There's always an opportunity to all parents to discuss their child's progress and any personal issues or worries.

I like this school everyone is treated fairly, any issues are dealt with. The fact that it is local.

98% of parents say that their child is happy at this school

93% of parents say that their child feels safe at Marsh Hill Primary

96% of parents say that their child makes good progress at this school

98% of parents say that their child is taught well at Marsh Hill

96% of parents say that the school ensures their child is well looked after

96% of parents say that their child receives appropriate homework for his/her age

85% of parents say that the school ensures that children are well behaved

66% of parents say that the school deals effectively with bullying

93% of parents say that the school is well led and managed

94% of parents say that the school responds well to any concerns they raise

98% of parents say that they receive valuable information from school about their child's progress

95% of parents say that they would recommend this school to another parent

93% of parents say that meetings between parents and teachers are helpful and informative

96% of parents say that the school has explained how they can help their child's learning at home

92% of parents say that the school is good at keeping parents in touch with what is going on

100% of parents say that their child enjoys taking part in special days, events, visits and extracurricular activities

90% of parents say that their Marsh Hill has a good reputation in the community

92% of parents say that the website and newsletter gives them regular information they need about the school

93% of parents say that they feel welcome in school

100% of parents say that the office staff are approachable and helpful