

Primary 1 – 3

Return to School Questionnaire Feedback



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How has home learning been like for you?

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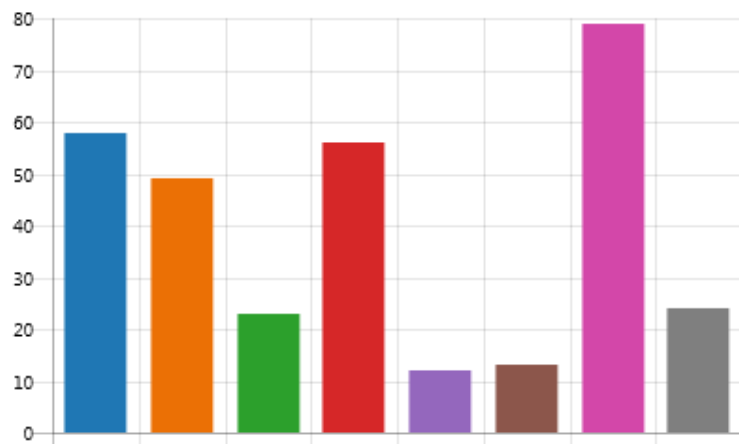
● Good	42
● Okay	58
● Not good	12



What have been your biggest feeling/s during lockdown?

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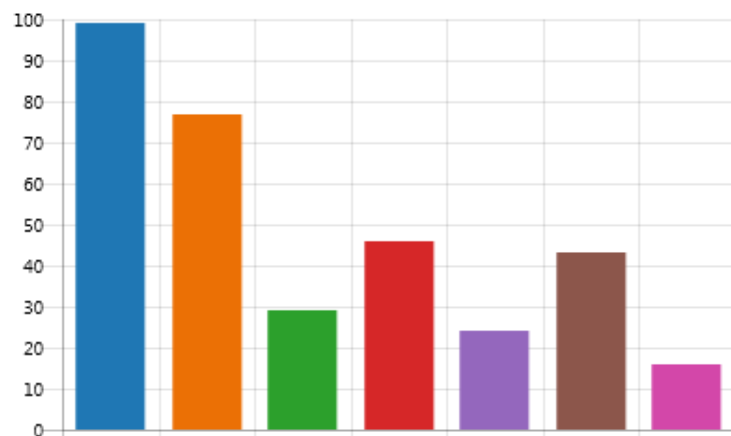
● Happy	58
● Safe	49
● Calm	23
● Bored	56
● Unhappy	12
● Anxious	13
● Missing people	79
● Confused	24



From the following, which are you are most looking forward to about returning to school?

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● Seeing my friends	99
● Seeing my teacher	77
● Learning	29
● PE and games	46
● Having routines	24
● Breaktimes	43
● Time away from home	16



General themes from verbatim feedback

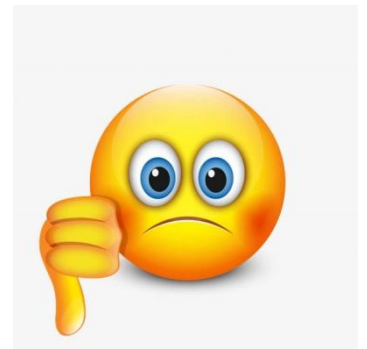
What has been the best thing about being at home and/or learning at home?

- ✓ All the fun activities
- ✓ Spending time and being safe with family
- ✓ Playing
- ✓ Being able to do school work with family
- ✓ Being able to connect with friends and other family over internet
- ✓ It's not as long a day as being at school
- ✓ Getting lots of outdoor time with my family
- ✓ Hearing my teacher's voice online



What has not been so good about being at home and/or learning at home?

- ✓ Missing friends
- ✓ Missing teachers
- ✓ Distractions at home from siblings
- ✓ Learning is easier at home than at school
- ✓ Not having teachers at home to help us with our learning
- ✓ Missing the playground
- ✓ Working online and not being in the classroom
- ✓ Missing family due to lockdown
- ✓ It can be boring being at home for so long and not being in school



Is there anything about returning to school that you are worried about?

- ✓ 38/55 children responded that they had no worries about returning to school.
- ✓ If the routines have changed since they were at school
- ✓ Worried about forgetting where things are
- ✓ It is going to feel like starting school all over again
- ✓ If adults forget to wear their face covering
- ✓ Worried about getting Coronavirus when everyone is back in school



What part of home learning have you enjoyed and/or done well with?

- ✓ The majority of children commented about their enjoyment of numeracy and maths
- ✓ The variety of activities that were available on Seesaw
- ✓ Reading at home
- ✓ Learning to write new letters (handwriting)



- ✓ The craft projects we were given
- ✓ Many children commented how proud they felt of their hard work and their achievements during lockdown.
- ✓ Developing cursive handwriting using the new website
- ✓ Learning phonics in different, fun ways

Was there any learning that you found difficult?

- ✓ Missing friends
- ✓ Being motivated to do work at home / concentration
- ✓ Transitions between playing and work
- ✓ Writing
- ✓ Parents being busy and not being able to ask them questions all the time
- ✓ Sometimes the books are tricky without their teachers there to help
- ✓ Writing sentences and longer pieces of writing



Is there anything else you would like to tell your teacher?

- ✓ Almost all children wrote that they had really missed their teachers and they cannot wait to see them again.
- ✓ Some children want their teachers to know that they are now older and have achieved personal goals that they are proud of – e.g riding a bike.
- ✓ The children are very excited about coming back to school
- ✓ Some children were worried about getting coronavirus in school and hoped children would still be reminded to keep safe by washing hands regularly.



Some additional comments from the children and parents

“All teachers deserve a medal!!!”

“Thanks so much to the teachers for taking the time to give personal messages”

“...all credit to the teaching profession for managing a whole class of 5 year olds!”



“Her face lights up when she sees a message from her teacher”

“Thank you to all the staff for the obvious time and effort that has gone into making home learning work as well as possible and for the attentive feedback.”

“Just to say thank you so much for the effort that has gone into the online resources and making them fun and varied.”

“The quality of resources has been amazing. Thank you.”

“How do you do it with 20 in a class? George Medal for teachers! It's going to be great for * to get to mix with his peers again, but the work put in by the teachers has been fantastic during the home learning phase**

“Thank you for all your support and encouragement.”