

# Glebe Primary Parent/Carer Survey Results November 2024



Dear Parents/Carers,

We are thrilled to share the results of our recent parent/carer survey, which shows overwhelming satisfaction with the school's environment, support, and overall experience. This year we received **180 completed surveys**, which equates to **80.3%** of our families.

We were pleased that **96%** of you reported that your child enjoyed being at school and **99%** agreed that your child's learning is progressing well. Furthermore almost all surveyed agreed the school was well led at **99%**, and you were satisfied with the work of the school also **99%**. With regards to progress, **99%** of parents/carers said their child is making good progress and **99%** said their child is encouraged and challenged to work to the best of his/her ability.

Here's a breakdown of the key findings:

## Overall Satisfaction

**98.8%** of parents/carers are satisfied with the school (131 Strongly Agree, 44 Agree) The majority of parents/carers feel that their child enjoys school **(96.1%)** and is making good progress **(99.4%)** 

98.8% of parents/carers agree that their child is encouraged and challenged to do their best.

## **Key Strengths:**

- Child's Experience: 98.8% of parents/carers agree that their child is encouraged and challenged to do their best.
- Feedback & Communication: 93.8% of parents/carers agree they receive helpful, regular feedback. However, 12.3% noted room for improvement in communication, around home-learning and homework.
- **School Environment:** 97.2% of parents/carers agree their child feels safe at school, and 98.8% feel staff treat their child with respect.
- Parent/Carer Involvement: 98.8% of parents/carers feel they've had opportunities to meet their child's teacher or attend events, and 96.6% agree the school takes their views into account.
- Extra-Curricular Clubs: 87.2% of parents /carers feel their child has been offered opportunities to join lunchtime or afterschool clubs, though 12.8% indicated there's room for improvement in that area.

### **Next Steps:**

- Collect further feedback from parents/carers to improve individual support.
- Review and clarify homework expectations and provide additional guidance for parents/carers.

  Continue to offer additional homework for families who request it. Increase participation numbers at homework workshops and homework clubs.
- Increase offer of clubs to P1 and P2 children. Invite parents/carers with skills into school to lead clubs (supervised by staff).
- Encourage parent/carer-teacher interaction at Learning Cafe's and school events.
- Ensure continued focus on pupil well-being, safety, and emotional support as part of the school review on behaviour and relationships.
- Address concerns by asking those who provided neutral or negative feedback to contact the school to share concerns or suggestions.

Please find the survey results and all 29 received comments below. We're pleased to see overwhelmingly positive feedback and remain committed to addressing any concerns proactively. If you'd like to discuss any aspect of the survey, please get in touch – your views are important to us as we continue to improve.

In partnership

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Statements	Agree/ Strongly Agree	Disagree/ Strongly Disagree	Neutral
My child enjoys being at this school.	96% - 3% from last session	2%	2%
My child is making good progress.	99% + 1% from last session	0%	1%
My child is encouraged and challenged to work to the best of his/her ability.	99% +5% from last session	0%	1%
I receive helpful, regular feedback about how my child is learning and developing e.g. informal feedback, reports etc.	94% Same as last session	2%	4%
My child feels safe at school.	97% Same as last session	1%	2%
Staff treat my child fairly and with respect.	99% + 1% from last session	0%	1%
I feel staff know my child as an individual and support her/him well.	98% + 3% from last session	0%	2%
Behaviour in the class/school is good.	93% -4% from last session	3%	4%
The school seeks the views of parents/carers and takes account of their suggestions.	97% + 2% from last session	1%	2%
Staff explain how I can help my child at home and provide appropriate homework.	88% -7% from last session	4%	8%
The school is well led and managed.	99% -	%	1%
Overall, I am satisfied with the school.	99% + 1% from last session	0%	1%
My child has been offered the opportunity to join a lunchtime or afterschool club.	87% -7% from last session	9%	4%
My child is encouraged by the school to be healthy and take regular exercise.	99% Same as last session	0.5%	0.5%
I have been offered the opportunity to meet my child's teacher and/or attend family learning events, school learning cafes, Learning Conversations (Parents' Eve) or other school events throughout the year.	99% Same as last session	0.5%	0.5%
I am kept informed about the work of the Parent Council/Parent Teacher Association (PTA/PC) and know how to get involved.	99% + 2% from last session	0.5%	0.5%

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### **COMMENTS:**

• My child has started showing concern about moving into P4 because he says there are bullies. This is the first time he has seemed concerned about school.

RESPONSE: We are actively working to address behaviour and its impact, in collaboration with pupils, staff, and families. Soon, we will share our updated guidance and policies, which will include clear actions and consequences.

- Please keep doing what you are doing:)
- My child loves his school and teachers
- Can't make PTA meetings but I do help at school things like fair
- Homework for primary 2

RESPONSE: The class newsletter and homework links are sent out every 6 weeks, providing suggested tasks and links to helpful websites. Additionally, P1 receive reading books and common words in their schoolbags. This will start for P2 in January. If your child has not/does not received these, please contact the Head Teacher.

- Pleased with my child's development.
- The school is great. Our children thrive at Glebe. Brilliant staff!
- Very happy with the school
- Bullying needs to be addressed

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- Not sure what's happening with homework this year? Would like more lunchtime/afterschool clubs RESPONSE The class newsletter/homework links is issued every 6 weeks with suggested homework and links to websites. We offer a variety of clubs catering to all age groups. However, we've noticed that children are generally less interested in lunchtime clubs, as they prefer to play outdoors. After-school clubs are available and can be offered based on the number of volunteers we have. We would greatly appreciate any support from parents and carers willing to assist.
- Fantastic school, best in the catchment area
- Amazing School proud my children are a part of it
- Good school
- Very happy with my child's progress at school and the efforts the school makes to have relationships with families
- Happy with the school and how encouraging they are with my child.
- I'm very happy with my child's learning and progress. Thanks
- Very happy with my child's school experience. Thank you
- Since our daughter has started Glebe in august she has settled in quickly and gets the encouragement to achieve all she can. We as parents are regularly updated in all her learning and activities, well pleased with this school.
- Newsletter and communication is very good compared to other schools Thanks
- Home work would be helpful for parents to support their child's learning and to consolidate learning within class
- Great school
- Thanks for everything that you teach my daughter
- Best school
- Well informed and involved
- Allow P5s to try out for the school football team

RESPONSE: While we understand the interest from P5s, we must limit the number of players due to practical considerations such as space, coaching resources, and time. In order to give more pupils the opportunity to participate, we have already expanded the tryouts to include both P7 and P6 pupils, rather than just P7s. We hope this allows a fair chance for those in the upper year groups.

• A brilliant school- love learning cafes but liked that they were more frequent last year RESPONSE: Last year, we held 6 learning cafes, and 5 are scheduled for this year. Participation data revealed that the majority of parents and carers attended only one session, with fewer than 10% of families attending all 6 sessions last year

- Glad we no longer have to stress over homework- thank you
- My child is worried about the behaviour of a child in P7, but I believe the school is doing work on behaviour so it's being addressed

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Thanks ☺