



# St Peter's Church of England (VC) Primary School

## Parental Engagement Survey 2018

1. Please provide the following:

2	Your child's year group:	100.00%	42
1	6		
2	4		
3	2 and 4		
4	6		
5	1		
6	3		
7	Year 3 & year R		
8	2 & 5		
9	Reception		
10	Year r		
11	year 1		
12	5		
13	3		
14	2,4 & 6		
15	2 and 4		
16	R		
17	R		
18	Year 1		
19	4		
20	5		
21	6		
22	R		
23	2		
24	Reception, 4 & 5		
25	3		
26	Reception		
27	2		
28	Year 2		
29	4		
30	1		
31	Reception		
32	1		
33	reception		



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34	2 & R		
35	5		
36	5		
37	Year 3		
38	3,1,1		
39	R		
40	R		
41	2		
42	3,1		
		answered	42
		skipped	1

## 2. Academic Achievement

2. Our school does an excellent job teaching the following subjects.								
	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total	
English	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	9.5% (4)	59.5% (25)	23.8% (10)	42	
Maths	2.4% (1)	0.0% (0)	2.4% (1)	9.5% (4)	52.4% (22)	33.3% (14)	42	
Science	14.3% (6)	0.0% (0)	4.8% (2)	14.3% (6)	33.3% (14)	33.3% (14)	42	
Art	12.2% (5)	0.0% (0)	2.4% (1)	36.6% (15)	36.6% (15)	12.2% (5)	41	
RE	9.5% (4)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	14.3% (6)	54.8% (23)	21.4% (9)	42	
Physical Education	9.5% (4)	4.8% (2)	16.7% (7)	11.9% (5)	45.2% (19)	11.9% (5)	42	
Music	11.9% (5)	4.8% (2)	2.4% (1)	19.0% (8)	38.1% (16)	23.8% (10)	42	
Overall, I feel well informed of how my child is performing in relation to the expected standards and what they need to do to improve	0.0% (0)	2.4% (1)	14.3% (6)	16.7% (7)	33.3% (14)	33.3% (14)	42	
							answered	42
							skipped	1



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## Matrix Charts

2.1. English						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1	
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					9.5%	4	
5	Agree					59.5%	25	
6	Strongly Agree					23.8%	10	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.93	Std. Deviation:	1.01	Satisfaction Rate:	78.57	answered	42
	Variance:	1.02	Std. Error:	0.16				

2.2. Maths						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					9.5%	4	
5	Agree					52.4%	22	
6	Strongly Agree					33.3%	14	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.1	Std. Deviation:	0.95	Satisfaction Rate:	81.9	answered	42
	Variance:	0.9	Std. Error:	0.15				

2.3. Science						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					14.3%	6	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					4.8%	2	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					14.3%	6	
5	Agree					33.3%	14	
6	Strongly Agree					33.3%	14	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.52	Std. Deviation:	1.65	Satisfaction Rate:	70.48	answered	42
	Variance:	2.73	Std. Error:	0.25				

2.4. Art						Response Percent	Response Total
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2.4. Art						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					12.2%	5	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					36.6%	15	
5	Agree					36.6%	15	
6	Strongly Agree					12.2%	5	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.22	Std. Deviation:	1.39	Satisfaction Rate:	64.39	answered	41
	Variance:	1.93	Std. Error:	0.22				

2.5. RE						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					9.5%	4	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					0.0%	0	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					14.3%	6	
5	Agree					54.8%	23	
6	Strongly Agree					21.4%	9	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.69	Std. Deviation:	1.34	Satisfaction Rate:	73.81	answered	42
	Variance:	1.79	Std. Error:	0.21				

2.6. Physical Education						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					9.5%	4	
2	Strongly Disagree					4.8%	2	
3	Disagree					16.7%	7	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					11.9%	5	
5	Agree					45.2%	19	
6	Strongly Agree					11.9%	5	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.14	Std. Deviation:	1.46	Satisfaction Rate:	62.86	answered	42
	Variance:	2.12	Std. Error:	0.22				

2.7. Music						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					11.9%	5
2	Strongly Disagree					4.8%	2



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2.7. Music						Response Percent	Response Total
3	Disagree					2.4%	1
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					19.0%	8
5	Agree					38.1%	16
6	Strongly Agree					23.8%	10
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.38	Std. Deviation:	1.57	Satisfaction Rate:	67.62	answered
	Variance:	2.47	Std. Error:	0.24			

2.8. Overall, I feel well informed of how my child is performing in relation to the expected standards and what they need to do to improve						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1
3	Disagree					14.3%	6
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					16.7%	7
5	Agree					33.3%	14
6	Strongly Agree					33.3%	14
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.81	Std. Deviation:	1.12	Satisfaction Rate:	76.19	answered
	Variance:	1.25	Std. Error:	0.17			

### 3. School Resources

3. Please tell us if you agree or disagree with the following points:							
	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total
My child receives a good or better standard of teaching and learning.	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	16.7% (7)	50.0% (21)	26.2% (11)	42
My child has access to a variety of resources that help them learn.	9.5% (4)	2.4% (1)	7.1% (3)	16.7% (7)	40.5% (17)	23.8% (10)	42
Our school's facilities are well maintained.	2.4% (1)	4.8% (2)	4.8% (2)	19.0% (8)	59.5% (25)	9.5% (4)	42
The school website is informative and attractive.	7.1% (3)	0.0% (0)	9.5% (4)	28.6% (12)	38.1% (16)	16.7% (7)	42
My child has made good or better progress this academic year.	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	4.8% (2)	14.3% (6)	40.5% (17)	35.7% (15)	42



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## 3. Please tell us if you agree or disagree with the following points:

	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total
						answered	42
						skipped	1

## Matrix Charts

3.1. My child receives a good or better standard of teaching and learning.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1
3	Disagree					2.4%	1
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					16.7%	7
5	Agree					50.0%	21
6	Strongly Agree					26.2%	11
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.88	Std. Deviation:	1.05	Satisfaction Rate:	77.62	answered
	Variance:	1.1	Std. Error:	0.16			

3.2. My child has access to a variety of resources that help them learn.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					9.5%	4
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1
3	Disagree					7.1%	3
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					16.7%	7
5	Agree					40.5%	17
6	Strongly Agree					23.8%	10
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.48	Std. Deviation:	1.47	Satisfaction Rate:	69.52	answered
	Variance:	2.15	Std. Error:	0.23			

3.3. Our school's facilities are well maintained.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1
2	Strongly Disagree					4.8%	2
3	Disagree					4.8%	2



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3.3. Our school's facilities are well maintained.						Response Percent	Response Total
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					19.0%	8
5	Agree					59.5%	25
6	Strongly Agree					9.5%	4
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.57	Std. Deviation:	1.05	Satisfaction Rate:	71.43	answered
	Variance:	1.1	Std. Error:	0.16			

3.4. The school website is informative and attractive.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					7.1%	3
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0
3	Disagree					9.5%	4
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					28.6%	12
5	Agree					38.1%	16
6	Strongly Agree					16.7%	7
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.4	Std. Deviation:	1.27	Satisfaction Rate:	68.1	answered
	Variance:	1.62	Std. Error:	0.2			

3.5. My child has made good or better progress this academic year.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1
3	Disagree					4.8%	2
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					14.3%	6
5	Agree					40.5%	17
6	Strongly Agree					35.7%	15
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.95	Std. Deviation:	1.13	Satisfaction Rate:	79.05	answered
	Variance:	1.28	Std. Error:	0.17			

### 4. School Values and Ethos

4. Please rate the following areas of service.							
	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total



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## 4. Please rate the following areas of service.

	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total	
Pupils in our school show respect for one another.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4.8% (2)	11.9% (5)	47.6% (20)	35.7% (15)	42	
Our school's behaviour policy is fair and effective.	4.8% (2)	0.0% (0)	2.4% (1)	16.7% (7)	50.0% (21)	26.2% (11)	42	
I am aware of and understand the schools Christian Vision and Ethos.	4.8% (2)	0.0% (0)	9.5% (4)	2.4% (1)	54.8% (23)	28.6% (12)	42	
Our school provides staff and pupils with a safe and friendly environment.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	4.8% (2)	35.7% (15)	59.5% (25)	42	
Staff at our school demonstrate a genuine concern for the well being of pupils.	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	0.0% (0)	7.1% (3)	28.6% (12)	59.5% (25)	42	
Pupils at our school demonstrate a genuine concern for other pupils.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	2.5% (1)	20.0% (8)	35.0% (14)	42.5% (17)	40	
Pupils and Staff in our school work hard to prevent any form of bullying	7.1% (3)	0.0% (0)	7.1% (3)	16.7% (7)	45.2% (19)	23.8% (10)	42	
							answered	42
							skipped	1

## Matrix Charts

4.1. Pupils in our school show respect for one another.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0
3	Disagree					4.8%	2
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					11.9%	5
5	Agree					47.6%	20
6	Strongly Agree					35.7%	15
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.14	Std. Deviation:	0.8	Satisfaction Rate:	82.86	answered
	Variance:	0.65	Std. Error:	0.12			

4.2. Our school's behaviour policy is fair and effective.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					4.8%	2





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4.2. Our school's behaviour policy is fair and effective.						Response Percent	Response Total	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					16.7%	7	
5	Agree					50.0%	21	
6	Strongly Agree					26.2%	11	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.86	Std. Deviation:	1.12	Satisfaction Rate:	77.14	answered	42
	Variance:	1.27	Std. Error:	0.17				

4.3. I am aware of and understand the schools Christian Vision and Ethos.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					4.8%	2	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					9.5%	4	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					2.4%	1	
5	Agree					54.8%	23	
6	Strongly Agree					28.6%	12	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.88	Std. Deviation:	1.2	Satisfaction Rate:	77.62	answered	42
	Variance:	1.44	Std. Error:	0.19				

4.4. Our school provides staff and pupils with a safe and friendly environment.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					0.0%	0	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					4.8%	2	
5	Agree					35.7%	15	
6	Strongly Agree					59.5%	25	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.55	Std. Deviation:	0.59	Satisfaction Rate:	90.95	answered	42
	Variance:	0.34	Std. Error:	0.09				

4.5. Staff at our school demonstrate a genuine concern for the well being of pupils.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1
3	Disagree					0.0%	0



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4.5. Staff at our school demonstrate a genuine concern for the well being of pupils.						Response Percent	Response Total
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					7.1%	3
5	Agree					28.6%	12
6	Strongly Agree					59.5%	25
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.36	Std. Deviation:	1.07	Satisfaction Rate:	87.14	answered
	Variance:	1.13	Std. Error:	0.16			

4.6. Pupils at our school demonstrate a genuine concern for other pupils.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0
3	Disagree					2.5%	1
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					20.0%	8
5	Agree					35.0%	14
6	Strongly Agree					42.5%	17
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.18	Std. Deviation:	0.83	Satisfaction Rate:	83.5	answered
	Variance:	0.69	Std. Error:	0.13			

4.7. Pupils and Staff in our school work hard to prevent any form of bullying						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					7.1%	3
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0
3	Disagree					7.1%	3
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					16.7%	7
5	Agree					45.2%	19
6	Strongly Agree					23.8%	10
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.64	Std. Deviation:	1.31	Satisfaction Rate:	72.86	answered
	Variance:	1.71	Std. Error:	0.2			

### 5. Parent - School Communication

5. Please rate the following areas of service.							
	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total



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## 5. Please rate the following areas of service.

	Don't Know	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Neither Agree Nor Disagree	Agree	Strongly Agree	Response Total	
Parents feel welcome at our school.	0.0% (0)	0.0% (0)	2.4% (1)	11.9% (5)	28.6% (12)	57.1% (24)	42	
We take into account parents views when it comes to making school decisions.	9.5% (4)	0.0% (0)	14.3% (6)	19.0% (8)	31.0% (13)	26.2% (11)	42	
I understand the schools leadership and management structure.	4.8% (2)	0.0% (0)	7.1% (3)	11.9% (5)	50.0% (21)	26.2% (11)	42	
The Headteacher is approachable and fair.	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	2.4% (1)	7.1% (3)	26.2% (11)	59.5% (25)	42	
I am kept informed of the decisions the Governing Body make in setting the strategic direction of the school.	0.0% (0)	4.9% (2)	9.8% (4)	17.1% (7)	36.6% (15)	31.7% (13)	41	
I am given regular opportunities to engage with school life.	2.5% (1)	0.0% (0)	10.0% (4)	10.0% (4)	42.5% (17)	35.0% (14)	40	
I am given sufficient guidance on how to support my child with their learning at home	0.0% (0)	9.5% (4)	21.4% (9)	23.8% (10)	21.4% (9)	23.8% (10)	42	
							answered	42
							skipped	1

## Matrix Charts

5.1. Parents feel welcome at our school.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					11.9%	5	
5	Agree					28.6%	12	
6	Strongly Agree					57.1%	24	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.4	Std. Deviation:	0.79	Satisfaction Rate:	88.1	answered	42
	Variance:	0.62	Std. Error:	0.12				

5.2. We take into account parents views when it comes to making school decisions.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					9.5%	4



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5.2. We take into account parents views when it comes to making school decisions.						Response Percent	Response Total	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					14.3%	6	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					19.0%	8	
5	Agree					31.0%	13	
6	Strongly Agree					26.2%	11	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.4	Std. Deviation:	1.48	Satisfaction Rate:	68.1	answered	42
	Variance:	2.19	Std. Error:	0.23				

5.3. I understand the schools leadership and management structure.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					4.8%	2	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					7.1%	3	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					11.9%	5	
5	Agree					50.0%	21	
6	Strongly Agree					26.2%	11	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.81	Std. Deviation:	1.18	Satisfaction Rate:	76.19	answered	42
	Variance:	1.39	Std. Error:	0.18				

5.4. The Headteacher is approachable and fair.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					2.4%	1	
2	Strongly Disagree					2.4%	1	
3	Disagree					2.4%	1	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					7.1%	3	
5	Agree					26.2%	11	
6	Strongly Agree					59.5%	25	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	5.31	Std. Deviation:	1.12	Satisfaction Rate:	86.19	answered	42
	Variance:	1.26	Std. Error:	0.17				

5.5. I am kept informed of the decisions the Governing Body make in setting the strategic direction of the school.						Response Percent	Response Total
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0
2	Strongly Disagree					4.9%	2
3	Disagree					9.8%	4



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5.5. I am kept informed of the decisions the Governing Body make in setting the strategic direction of the school.						Response Percent	Response Total	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					17.1%	7	
5	Agree					36.6%	15	
6	Strongly Agree					31.7%	13	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.8	Std. Deviation:	1.13	Satisfaction Rate:	76.1	answered	41
	Variance:	1.28	Std. Error:	0.18				

5.6. I am given regular opportunities to engage with school life.						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					2.5%	1	
2	Strongly Disagree					0.0%	0	
3	Disagree					10.0%	4	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					10.0%	4	
5	Agree					42.5%	17	
6	Strongly Agree					35.0%	14	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.95	Std. Deviation:	1.12	Satisfaction Rate:	79	answered	40
	Variance:	1.25	Std. Error:	0.18				

5.7. I am given sufficient guidance on how to support my child with their learning at home						Response Percent	Response Total	
1	Don't Know					0.0%	0	
2	Strongly Disagree					9.5%	4	
3	Disagree					21.4%	9	
4	Neither Agree Nor Disagree					23.8%	10	
5	Agree					21.4%	9	
6	Strongly Agree					23.8%	10	
<b>Analysis</b>	Mean:	4.29	Std. Deviation:	1.3	Satisfaction Rate:	65.71	answered	42
	Variance:	1.68	Std. Error:	0.2				

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6. If you have any further comments that you would like to share regarding any of the questions in this survey, then please feel free to input them below.			Response Percent	Response Total
1	Open-Ended Question		100.00%	20



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**6. If you have any further comments that you would like to share regarding any of the questions in this survey, then please feel free to input them below.**

		Response Percent	Response Total
1	Brilliant school all the teaching and support staff are all really great. My child is just about to leave St. Peter's and I can say they have enjoyed their time at St. Peter's and it's defiantly on the way up and feel very proud to say St. Peter's has been a big part in my child life. Wish we could stay forever but we must move on.		
2	Feel more needs to be done around retention of staff as the changes can be unsettling for pupils Also feel more challenging work should be given to better performers. More sports should be undertaken. The morning mile used to benefit children		
3	Some of these answers are historical and may be subject to change under new leadership.  But I have never understood what governors do? Although they recently held a meeting for parents which I attended.  SPSA also very clicky and difficult to approach or find out who they are. (I do know who chair is by default through Friends of friends but would all our new reception mums know who they are ....no)  I also have no idea what my son is learning in year 3. With the loss of weekly homework (which also helped me!) I have no idea what he is doing. He has mentioned finding maths hard but I don't know what or how it is taught so can't help??? The homework books helped me to understand what he is being taught in 2018 (very different to when I was taught). I know not everyone agrees with homework but at least I could see what is expected of my children and how maths and English is challenged today.  But overall I love the school and the staff and most importantly my children love it.		
4	Our children continue to perform well and are extremely happy at school. We are great supporters of Mr Holditch and have faith that with his leadership and with the fantastic staff, the school is in the best hands which is extremely reassuring.		
5	Overall I am so pleased how my child has settled into reception at this school , she has learnt and developed much more than our first expectations. The reception teaching staff have been amazing at keeping us informed of all aspects of care . The school is a friendly place and we couldn't any happier of how her first year has gone. Well done to all the school staff.		
6	Schh should be more understanding of working commitments of parents in scheduling events so that children don't feel disappoint when parents cannot attend. Wrap around care should not stop one week and a half before the end of the academic year so as to consider parents needs		
7	I think since mr holditch arrived at St. Peter's I have seen changes for the better and think he brings a lot to the school. The children think he's great and parents also. A great asset to St. Peter's.		
8	I feel my child has not made the progress that they should have made this year Too many changes for changes sake in the school, and not all good some were.		
9	I have pulled a child out of the school as I feel they have let her down and I'm waiting to get the other child out to. I feel the head teacher is not approachable to raise any more of my concerns with		
10	I feel that in my child's class 4 & 5 their are certain pupils that most definitely need to be in a special needs school and not in a mainstream school as they are disrupting my childs learning and the class as a whole. Alternatively put them in a separate classroom where they can't disrupt the people who want to learn.		
11	Firstly we'd like to emphasize how pleased we are with the school and our child's experience of St Peters. Areas which we personally feel could improve our experience is to have a little more communication from the teacher. For example a note or message to explain why the children aren't getting homework, if they are told to practice things at home/time frame of this, any small but ongoing issues. Having received our child's report we note a couple of areas he could improve in terms of effort; we think it would be helpful to be approached about this in advance/when noticed to see if there is anything we can do at home to support this. It would also be helpful to have a copy of the timetable to help with conversations about the school day! Thank you		
12	Mr Holditch has introduced a very "parent supportive" role to the school. His understanding of parents needs as		



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	well as those of the pupils is an asset to him/the school. I believe homework should be reinstated for KS2 in addition to the project work, to prepare them for the "chore" that is homework that we will have to cope with at secondary level. Retention of excellent teachers needs to be a focus to offer stability to the school structure.		
13	Huge information gap between reception and Year 1, especially regarding how children can be supported at home and which specific areas they can improve in.		
14	<p>I said I disagree about the maintenance of the school being good because the KS2 toilets are far from acceptable and desperately need attention.</p> <p>On another note, I would like to comment on the communication between school to parents and students, as I have recently noticed that this has not always been consistent. It seems that there are occasions when the children are given information at school, such as for the recent whole school homework, which I understand was optional for year 2, on perseverance. My son mentioned it to me a few times, but I had no idea what it was, what he was supposed to do, or by when. Similarly, when we received the update on not bringing sweets into school to celebrate birthdays, it seemed that the children hadn't been told about the change. Consequently, I know of a child arguing with their mother about bringing sweets to school for their own birthday as they were disappointed their mum wouldn't let them do what their friends had done all year. However, this week, one of my children brought home sweets for someone's birthday. I was quite pleased by the change of rules, particularly as it often causes arguments between my children if one of them has sweets, and I was disappointed that the new rule hadn't been upheld. It seems to me that there needs to be more consistency in communication to ensure that we as parents are able to support our children adequately (as in the case of homework) and also to ensure that parents feel adequately supported by the school when telling our children of new rules and procedures (as in the case of the birthday sweets).</p>		
15	A few brilliant teachers trying to hold up an overall lack of drive from top management to push upward the academic overall standing and results of the school as a whole.		
16	The only concerns I have are around more able pupils and whether they are making the same amount of progress as their class mates. I have had comments that things are too easy or not challenging enough. I know that TA's duties have been changed and look forward in seeing what difference this makes for the more able. Great survey by the way, very easy to complete :0)		
17	<p>Communication with pupils and parents needs to be clearer. An email sent on a Monday morning for a meeting with the Parents on a Wednesday afternoon is very poor, considering that the school is aware that this happens earlier than the rest of the school year. 53 hours notice is not sufficient for working parents to request for time off to attend this meeting, which I believe is very crucial to my child's education and learning agreement with the class teacher. This is unacceptable especially if the attendance at the meeting was poor. I will appreciate if the meeting can be rearranged, giving parents enough notice to arrange their day in order to be present. This does not show that the school is ready to engage and work with parents, which is very important for child's success.</p> <p>Sending information in the newsletter on a Friday for an event happening in school on a Tuesday again is very poor and children do get distraught if not given the chance to take part in a school activity. Such information must be sent out on text as well, and preferably much earlier.</p>		
18	<p>I appreciate that we are all working parents, but when meetings are set or parental interactivity is required, I would strongly suggest that adequate notice be given for this.</p> <p>Moreover, I have noticed that some messages come through as text and some come through as email, I would prefer if there was consistency with both in the future.</p> <p>Thank you for listening</p>		
19	Many of the questions which I have said "neither agree nor disagree" I like to think I would agree with but to be honest I have not had enough exposure to pass comment. Overall I think the school does a great job. An area whereby things could be improved is communication. My wife and I both work full time and with a young family it's sometimes difficult to keep on top of correspondence which are circulated each week. Not an easy one I know because as parents we need to be kept informed but maybe this could be done in a more targeted or concise way?		



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20	It feels like the teachers focus on bringing the less able children up to standard more than encouraging the brighter ones. If they are performing at the expected level, that's good enough. From my point of view, it is not good enough. I don't feel like my daughter's basic areas of reading, maths, comprehension have improved at all this year. I have attended parents evenings, raised my concerns and been told she is fine. I have refused to read the books sent home for my son as they are massively below his reading ability and yet they continue to come. My son can help his older sister with her reading when she struggles and still, is given Alphablock books!! It is a lovely school, I love the small intake and atmosphere of friendliness and the way the children integrate with kindness and tolerance but unfortunately, the academics are falling short. PE is often neglected for other activities and Year 1 came home with their kit a week and a half before the holidays so presumably haven't done any physical activity since then. Mr Holt leaving seems to have affected sport. My son would love to be on a school football team as I'm sure many children would, and I'm not aware of this being a possibility.		
		answered	20
		skipped	23