

Autumn Term 2022 Parent Feedback Form -RESULTS - 64 reposnses (64% of parents)

0 - 0%7-11% 57 - 89%MOST OF THE TIME 1) Is your child happy is school? YES NO 0 - 0%3 - 5%61-95% MOST OF THE TIME 2) Does your child feel safe in school? YES 100% 0 - 0%3) Do you feel that your child has settled quickly into their new class routines? YES NO 59 - 92%5 - 8%4) Has your child made friends/ relationships with peers this term? YES NO

5) Are there any specific areas of difficulty which you face as a family which you feel we could support through offsite learning?

Areas identified (in order of frequency/most requested)

Road Safety, Shops, restaurants, behaviour around other children, hairdressers, independence, water safety, stranger danger, absconding, dentists, parks, fireworks, animal safety, construction sites and unexpected loud noises.

Additional comments included;

'Since being at Middleton, my childnow loves going to the supermarket, whereas before she was terrified of them, so this has been perfect' 'Thank you for encouraging and supporting my child in this way – his communication skills have improved' 'when he was younger he struggled with the outside world, but since he has been at Middleton he no longer struggles in this way' 'Taking my son out has been much easier since he has been going off site with school'.

6) We aim to communicate with parents through a variety of forms including home/ school books, newsletters, telephone calls, face to face meetings, text, email etc. Are there any other mediums of communication which you feel would be effective between families and school?

Happy with current level of communication -51 = 88%

Comments include;

'The communication from Middleton is great' 'we receive daily communication in the home/school book' 'I think you already cover all aspects of communication with parents' 'I really appreciate the face to face parents evenings' 'the orange school book is great' 'the home/school book means both our child's homes gets the communication and sees this' 'I have been really impressed, as a new parent, by the level of home/school communication' 'We previously used the TAPESTRY App but found it time consuming and find the home/school book much more accessible' 'Middleton has always been excellent at communication and giving information' 'Communication from Middleton is excellent. We find the home/school book really useful. Reminders from Gateway are great too'

7 families (12%) made suggestions as follows;

Better use of the Middleton Facebook group - 3 families

An APP (such as TAPESTRY) where pupil achievements and actions can be shared and photos / videos be uploaded between school and home – 3 families

Providing virtual (ie Zoom) options for consultation as well as face to face appointments -1 family Class WhatsApp groups -1 family

- 7) Which aspects of the Middleton Curriculum do you believe are the most valuable for your child?

 Results demonstrate most commonly identified areas and then the weighting each area carries;

 Literacy 16% Off site learning 12% Life skills 11% Numeracy 10% Swimming 10%

 Communication 9% Social skills 8% Cooking 7% Independence 4% PSHE 4%

 PE 2% Creative Arts- 2% Play- 1% M Team 1%
- 8) Would you like to volunteer within school? Do you have any particular skills or talents that you believe would be beneficial to the school?

I would like to help with Friends of Middleton – 2 families

I would like to help with events and outings – 4 families.

I would like to support in classes – 9 families

Admin and office based activities - 2 families

I already volunteer! - 1 family

I would like to be a governor – 1 family

Makaton Sign - 1 family

Teaching children Spanish – 1 family.

Advice on general health and well being - 1 family

Data Protection Advice - 1 family

Technology – 1 family

Art and Design - 1 family

Journalism – 1 family

9) Are there any specific areas of training or information sessions that you would like to access as a parent?

Sign language - 8 families

Behaviour management – 4 families

Teaching of reading and writing – 3 families

First Aid – 2 families

Supporting learning outside of school – 2 families

Autism - 2 families

Social and communication skills – 2 families

Creating visuals for home – 2 families

Transition from KS2 to KS3 – 1 family

Puberty – 1 family

The Middleton Curriculum – 1 family

Toilet training – 1 family

ADHD – 1 family

Use of ICT – 1 family

You may elect to remain anonymous or if you prefer you may add your child's name here;