



# St Bridget's C of E Primary School

*Together Everyone Achieves More*

## YEAR 6 LEAVERS - PARENTS QUESTIONNAIRE - SUMMER 2013

For how many years has your child attended St Bridget's? (Please tick)	<b>7 years</b> 73.68%	<b>4-6 years</b> 10.53%
Gender of child at school: <b>Male (57.89%) Female (36.84%)</b>		
<b>Please tick the box to reflect your response to the following statements:</b>	<b>Agree</b>	
1) My child has enjoyed a broad and varied curriculum that has catered for their particular needs and abilities.	<b>94%</b>	
2) I am pleased with my child's standards of attainment.	<b>94%</b>	
3) My child has made good progress with their learning.	<b>94%</b>	
4) The homework set for my child has been relevant and I believe it has contributed to the value of their learning for that week.	<b>89%</b>	
5) I have been pleased with the way in which the school has contributed to my child's personal development and wellbeing.	<b>94%</b>	
6) I have been pleased with the way in which the school has contributed to my child's spiritual development.	<b>79%</b>	
7) The school has helped my child understand the importance of adopting a healthy lifestyle (e.g. exercise, healthy diet).	<b>94%</b>	
8) School trips and visitors to school have provided worthwhile experiences and added value to my child's learning.	<b>100%</b>	
9) The school offers a good selection of extra-curricular activities.	<b>84%</b>	
10) The school provides a safe environment in which to learn.	<b>94%</b>	
11) The school has worked effectively to deal with incidents that have concerned my child.	<b>75%</b>	
12) The children at St Bridget's are generally well behaved and well mannered.	<b>94%</b>	

	<b>Agree</b>
<b><i>Please tick the box to reflect your response to the following statements:</i></b>	
13) The school has good communication systems in place (paper, email, website & phone) to ensure I am kept informed.	<b>94%</b>
14) The new school website has provided a useful access point for school news and events.	<b>100%</b>
15) I have all the information that I need to understand the school's events and procedures.	<b>90%</b>
16) I feel I have had enough information concerning my child's learning activities at school.	<b>90%</b>
17) I have found parents' evenings well organised, informative and specific to my child.	<b>94%</b>
18) I found my child's annual reports to be informative and an accurate reflection of my child's achievements and areas for improvement.	<b>90%</b>
19) The teachers have been accessible and approachable, enabling me to discuss any concerns I have had.	<b>100%</b>
20) The school office has been friendly, welcoming and helpful.	<b>100%</b>
21) As a parent, I have had the opportunity to play an active part in the life of the school e.g. helping on trips, attending merit assemblies and services.	<b>94%</b>
22) School leaders manage and lead the school effectively.	<b>84%</b>
23) The school has equipped my child with valuable life skills.	<b>90%</b>
24) The school is well thought of in the local community.	<b>100%</b>
25) I would recommend the school to other families.	<b>94%</b>
26) The school 'lives up' to its motto - TEAM (Together Everyone Achieves More).	<b>84%</b>

**The following comments were made in response to asking about the strengths of the school:**

*"The children's behaviour is respectful of others".*

*"The teachers are a credit to the school".*

*"The Rights Respecting Schools Programme has really captured the children's imagination and helped them understand some very adult concepts".*

*"A lovely safe environment for learning with high standards of teaching".*

*"Strong participative leadership".*

*"A fantastic first school experience, thank you".*

*"I feel blessed that my child has had a lovely and successful time at primary school".*

*"Very good teaching staff who work exceptionally hard and are very approachable".*

*"Kind hearted Headteacher and friendly, helpful team in the office".*

*"A strong educational approach, with very good results".*

*"Good at keeping parents informed and involved".*

*"Assemblies and how you invite such a wide variety of people to entertain and educate".*

*"Artistic talents are very well encouraged".*

*"The team ethic is particularly strong and our children enjoyed feeling a part of the school".*

*"High standard of teaching".*

**The following comments were made in response to asking about potential improvements that the school could make:**

*"More feedback on my child's homework".*

*"An insistence that long hair be worn tied up at all times, to help prevent the spread of head lice".*

*"More tennis".*

*"Positions of leadership for the children to be shared out".*

*"Please improve the reading scheme".*

*"The sports activities after school could cater for a wider variety of age groups".*

*"Encourage more independence among the children e.g. baseline assumption should be that children can walk home in older classes".*

*"More structure around the home reading for older children".*

*"Brighten up the appearance of the school e.g. more colour".*

**These results were generated from an 35.18% (19 questionnaires) return rate. 1 questionnaire returned with absence of gender and duration of attendance information.**