

William Austin Infant School : Parent Survey

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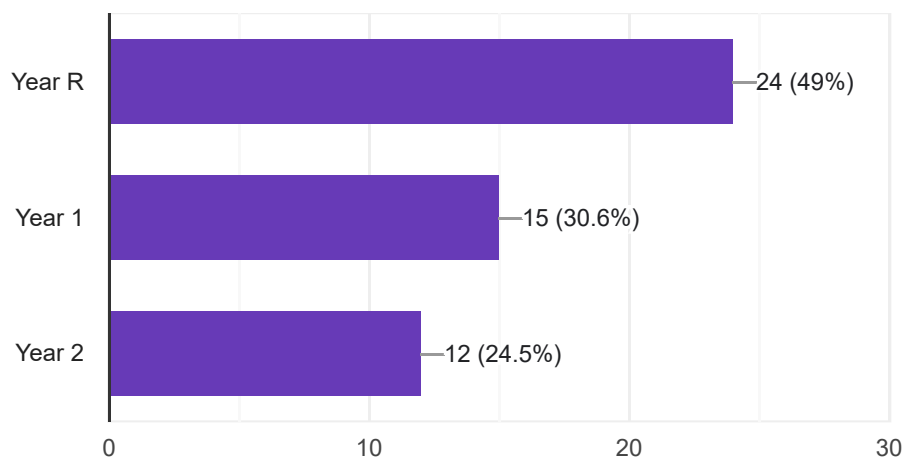
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My child is in

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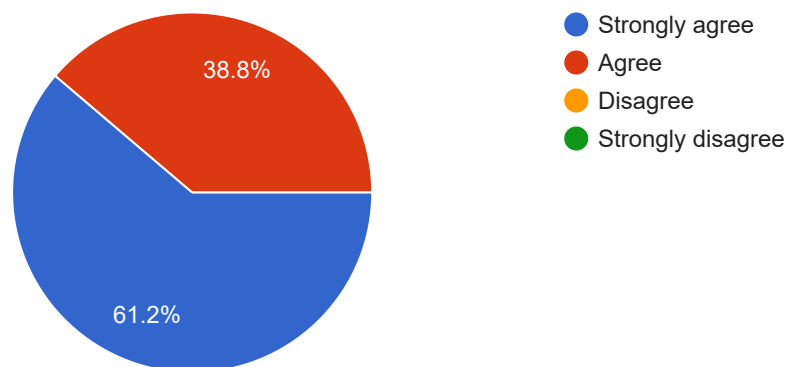
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My child is happy at this school

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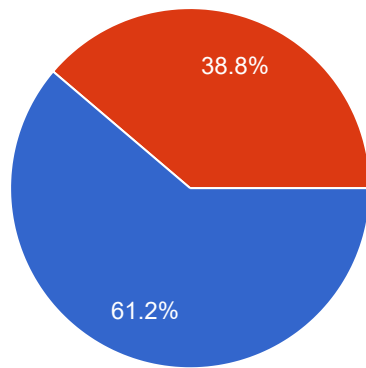
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My child feels safe at this school

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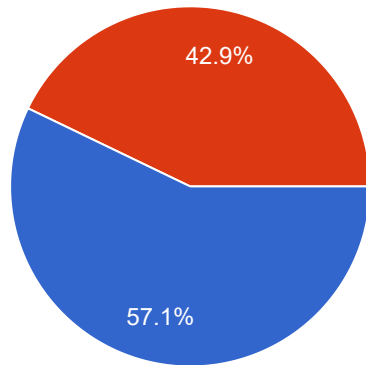


- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree

The school makes me aware of what my child will be learning during the year

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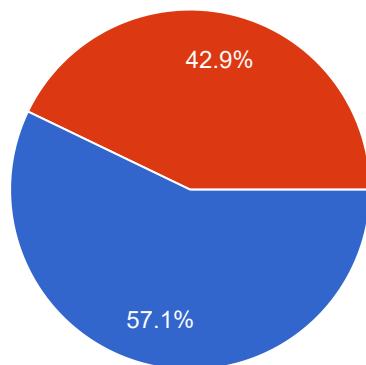


- Strongly agree
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- Strongly disagree

My child is taught well and is making good progress at school

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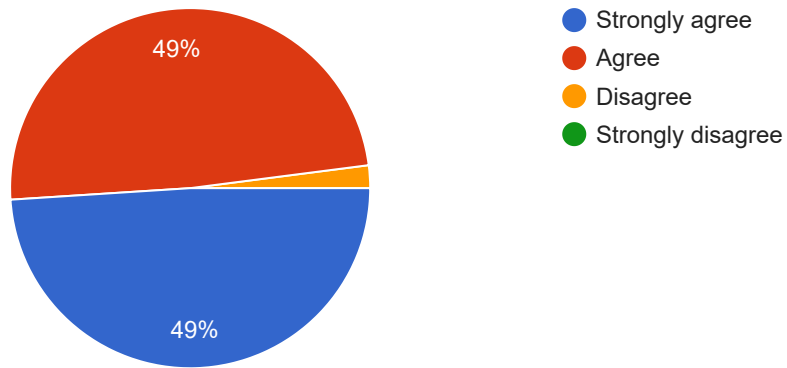
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There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school

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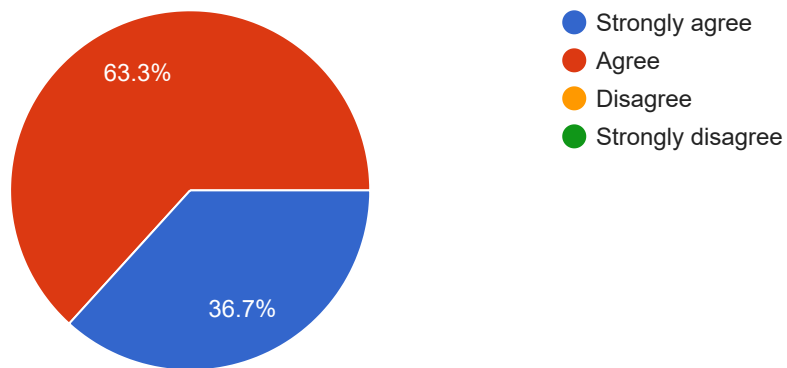
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The school has high expectations for my child

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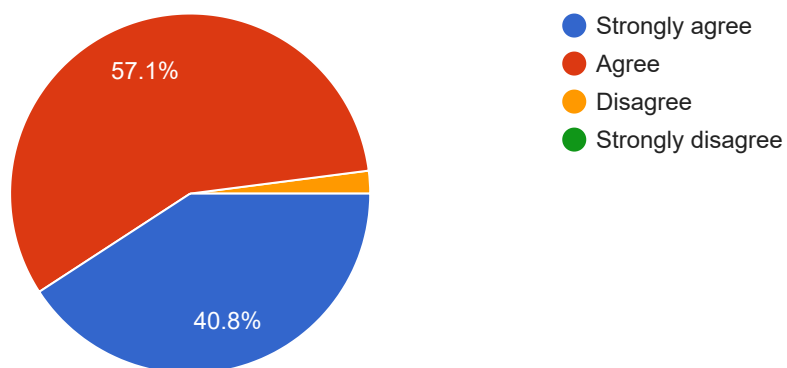
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The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved

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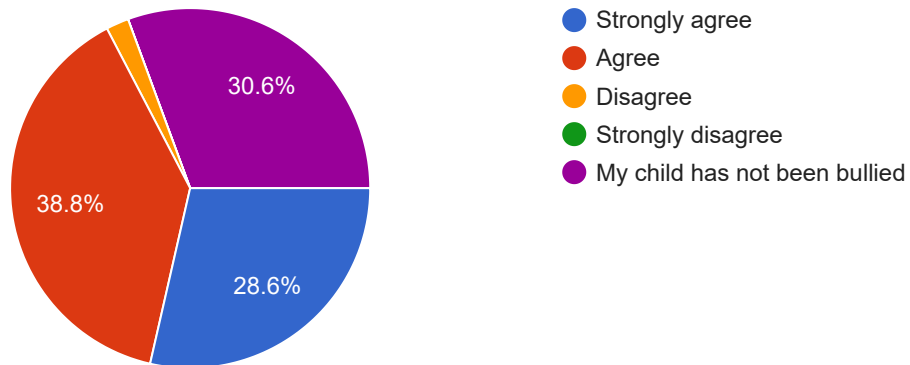
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The school deals effectively with bullying

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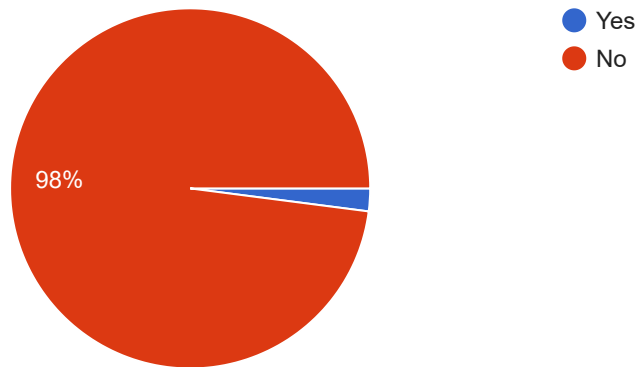
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Does your child have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)?

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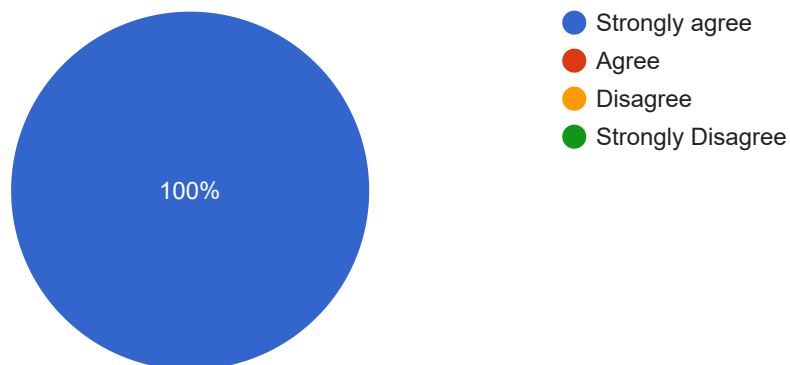
SEND

How strongly do you agree with this statement:

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My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to progress

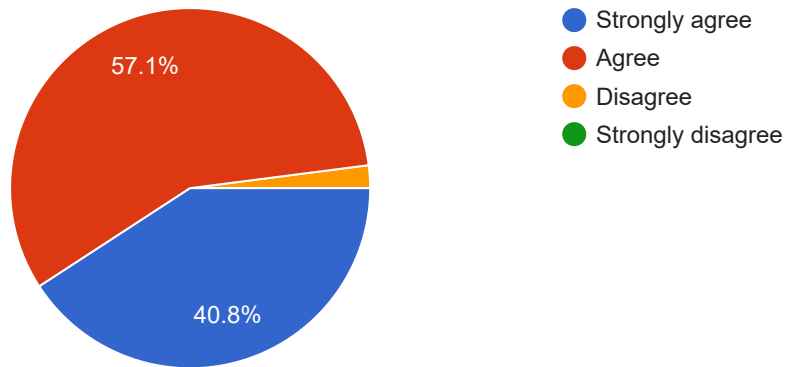
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The school responds well to any concerns I raise?

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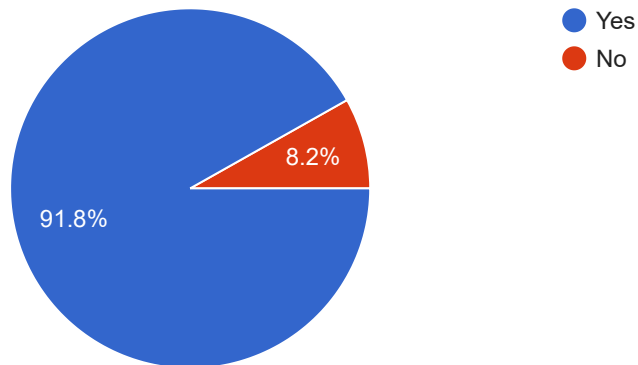
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I would recommend this school to another parent?

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If you have answered 'disagree' or 'strongly disagree' to any of the above questions, please use the space below to tell us what you think needs to improve. Please remember to leave your contact details if you would like us to get in touch.

10 responses

N/A

All good

Keeping parents informed of important dates. Regular parents evenings

Hi,

I think children are given too much homework (learning log, maths, spellings/phonics). They're still young and loose concentration very easily. Majority of the time the homework is adult led and it takes a lot of time to complete the homework. Maybe give a phonics/spelling homework and alternate maths and learning log homework.

Everything is on spot.

Well broad range of subjects would mean teaching them about real life, managing day to day financing, about the tax and the NI system, travelling and seeing and experiencing different cultures and religions. However, the schools strict an and forbids travel during term time unless it is exceptional circumstances but to date I have found even a death is not considered exceptional, children needing a break exceptional. The school does not meet the emotional needs of the children by restricting travel and is aware that most parents cannot afford holiday let alone one during school holidays. The policy is draconian and unfair, even if the child has 100% attendance for the rest of the year.

I think the school should offer more extra curricular activities, school trips and outdoor experiences

The breakfast and afterschool provisions need to be better and more accommodating for working parents. The offer you have at the moment is below par in comparison to other local primary schools.



Please use the space below to tell us what you think we do well.

18 responses

Teaching

Looking after all children and teaching them well

My daughter transitioned through the year and the school was extremely helpful about it. I was extremely worried about my daughters learning and if she would settle in or not but her teachers both Mrs Jones (Year 1)& Mr Herbert (Year 2) have been by far the best teachers anyone could ask for. She settled in so well I was in utter shock and extremely impressed. I hope the school are able to find more teachers like them as I've seen a HUGE difference in her learning & the amount she's learnt!! There's times she's corrected me and using big words to express herself. Hats off to them & their exemplary teaching skills. Also a huge huge thank you to the teaching assistants & lunchtime staff for being kind to my daughter always. She has a different perspective when treating others now!!

All good

the good thing about school is its teachers.I am really happy with my child class teacher.well done to Mrs Qureshi .my son joined late this school but he was very comfortable and happy to join his class.Special thanks to Mrs qureshi.

Great reading scheme and inviting parents over for workshops.

Each and every person of school staff is really very responsible. All are doing fantastic work. Thankyou

Well trained staff, Parents are welcome to speak to teachers in the morning and afternoon.

Workshops for parents

Workshops for parents, attending lessons and working with our kids

The school put great emphasis on reading which has helped my child develop his reading and phonics skills. In the beginning of the year my child didn't enjoy reading but now loves to read and loves listening to stories. The teachers in my son's class have gone above and beyond any expectations and I am truly grateful for all that my son has achieved in his time at William Austin so far. Any parent thinking of sending their children to William Austin Infants will be making the best decision to guarantee a great start in their child's educational journey.

Teaching using phonics is excellent, it's fun and effective, as the children use it not just in school, but also in their daily life.

The school needs balance its terms time holiday policy. There is no balance. Travel is important for the development of a child to see and experience different cultures and people.



Children need to be taught about management of day to day finances, domestics, inventions, how to run their own business, the tax system, the no system, the welfare state etc etc.

I think it is good, nothing to change

First I thankful for all staff in William Austin Infant school. I'm happy to say that they are very supportive, careful. Their performance is so good. Teachers are learning perfectly our children. They're very kind and helpful.

The teachers communicate well with me.

Challenging and supporting each learner based on their needs. Classroom staff (including TA's) are kind, compassionate and encouraging.

Thank you for completing the William Austin Infant School Parent Survey

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