



# Lee Brigg Infant & Nursery School

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## Parent Feedback Autumn Term 2019

Dear Parents and Carers,

As you are aware, we continue to seek your feedback as to what you feel that we do well as a school, as well as any areas in which you feel that we could improve.

**Thank you to all parents and carers for their comments in the recent Summer 2019 survey. Here is a brief summary of the responses we received.**

### What does the school do well?

- The teachers are very helpful, very one of the teachers seem to know the children's names
- Communication with parents, you are always kept informed
- Approachable staff who are willing to help, there is a good 'presence' e.g. At drop off and pick up
- The Quality of teaching
- Supports, encourages and praises children and celebrates the achievements of children
- After school options are great & varied
- Very well managed
- Helps children to meet their targets
- Sport's days
- Encourages learning at home
- School improvements - play areas - since joining the play area has improved massively

### Do you have any other comments about the school?

- My child is progressing well with reading and phonics
- Since starting reception my son's confidence has shot through the roof!
- Lovely school - I always recommend it to other parents and friends
- It has been astounding how much progress my son has made. Looking how far he has come from September, through just his reading record, you can see a huge difference in reading, writing and maths. Thank you for all your hard work! Because it is!!
- Nice friendly school - they are happy to help
- Good, friendly environment in school for 'kids'
- The school in general is fabulous; I wouldn't have had my child go anywhere else. All the staff go above and beyond to help. Best school around here for sure.



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## Outcomes of Summer Parent Survey 2019

Question	Strongly Agree/Agree	Disagree	Strongly Disagree	Don't know / Not needed this information
My child is happy at this school	100%			
My child feels safe at this school	100%			
My child makes good progress at this school	100%			
My child is well looked after at this school	100%			
My child is taught well at this school	100%			
This school encourages pupils to adopt healthy life styles and make healthy choices.	100%			
This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	100%			
This school deals effectively with bullying	50%			50%
This school is well led and managed	100%			
The school regularly invites parents to school events (e.g. class assemblies, productions, inspire week, sports festivals).	100%			
This school responds well to any concerns I raise	80%			20%
I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress (e.g. parent consultation evenings, end of year written reports, informal chats with class teacher, learning journey sessions).	100%			
This school provides a creative curriculum, which is enjoyed by the children.	100%			
This school celebrates the success of children.	100%			
This school stretches and challenges children.	100%			
This school provides pupils with opportunities to develop self-confidence and to have responsibilities.	100%			
This school communicates effectively with parents.	100%			
This school has a good reputation locally	90%			10%
This school makes visitors feel welcome	100%			
Would you recommend this school to another parent?	100%			



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**As with everything that we do, we appreciate your comments which offer constructive feedback. When asked what you thought the school needed to continue to develop:**

A summary of the main comments as suggestions for improvements	School Comments / Actions
More focus on continued improvement for children who excel in certain areas e.g. Learning with older children for some subjects e.g. Guided reading.	Our results at the end of each key stage show that our more able children, along with their peers continue to excel. There are opportunities during class time for children of different abilities to work together and share their learning. This not only in academic subjects, but also subjects such as P.E and art, where some of our children excel.
More notice of events for those parents whom work.	Where possible our main events throughout the year are set at the beginning of the year e.g. sport's days so we are able to inform parents and carers in plenty of time. Learning Journey sessions run throughout the year. At the beginning of each half term, a form is sent home for you to sign up to a session of your choice. If you find that you cannot attend these session, please speak to your child's class teacher who will arrange another possible time or day for you.
More inter-school competitions (not sport) eg. Spelling / maths	Waterton Multi-Academy trust provide our children will many opportunities across the year to take part in inter-school competitions. I would agree that at present these usually focus on sport. I will therefore put this suggestion forward to the Headteacher board and hopefully we can achieve this.
More insight into the children's day via Twitter	It has been a bit of a trial year for our Twitter account this year; however, we are hoping to share more images and information with you in this way!
Parent pay or something to enable online payments for trips etc	We have recently purchased a card reader in school to be able to take non-cash payments. We are currently looking into further software to receive payments online.
Allowing an area for dogs	I am afraid that according to council and Multi-academy policy, dogs are not permitted on school grounds. We appreciate that we may have some considerate dog owners, who would ensure that their pet is kept under control however; we also have to provide a safe and secure environment for those children with allergies and fear of dogs and other animals. We are regularly visited in school by a therapy dog to support some of our children; however we manage this in a way that does not affect our vulnerable children
Parking	Irresponsible parking can be an issue around most schools at drop off and collection times, however this does not make it acceptable and we are as concerned as some parents are, with the level of irresponsible parking at times. We regularly liaise with the police support patrols and highways, as well as Taxi firms if we witness irresponsible parking or incidents, and when they are brought to our attention. Our school councillors have also brought this to the attention of Normanton Town Council. We have no jurisdiction



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or powers as a school to stop irresponsible parking, but we can continue to encourage parents and carers to park responsibly for the safety of all of our children. We urge parents and residents to support us with this by reporting any incidents to Councillor Jacquie Speight, by email to [jspeight@wakefield.gov.uk](mailto:jspeight@wakefield.gov.uk)

Where some issues were highlighted for individual children in specific classes, this information has been passed on to the appropriate class teachers. If you do not feel that your concerns or comments have been addressed, please contact Miss Gordon to discuss any further issues.

Thank you to all parents and carers for their comments in the parent survey, we were really pleased with all of the positive feedback that we received. The next parent survey will be issued later in the autumn term, however if you have any comments or feedback in the meantime please do not hesitate to email [headteacher@leebrigg.wakefield.sch.uk](mailto:headteacher@leebrigg.wakefield.sch.uk).

Many thanks,

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