



Moving Forward Together - Parent Survey 2023/24

Thank you for completing our Parent Questionnaire at Parents' Evening. We have listened very carefully to your feedback and used your comments to further shape our School Improvement Plan for this year. We value your feedback and we thank you for your time in completing the questionnaire. Please always let us know what is great and where we can be even better.

Lisa Buffery
Executive Headteacher

		Agree	Disagree	Don't know
1	My child is happy at this school.	99%		0.5% (1)
2	My child feels safe at this school.	99%	0.5% (1)	0.5%
3	The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.	99%		1%
4	School deals with any bullying issues raised quickly and effectively.	86%	1% (2)	13%
5	The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	98.5%	1%	0.5%
6	When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.	94.5%	0.5%	5%
7	The school has high expectations for my child	99%		1%
8	My child does well at this school.	100%		
9	The school lets me know how my child is doing	100%		
10	There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.	100%		
11	My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.	99%	0.5%	0.5%
12	The school supports my child's wider personal development	98.5%	0.5%	1%
13	I would recommend this school to another parent.	99%		1%
14	My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.	100%		

What are the great things about Manor Way Primary Academy (Thank you, we had so many comments we couldn't add them all!)

- Support for parents and children from staff - Thank You.
- The school supports my child in all aspects of learning. Children have amazing opportunities to take part in lots of activities which I feel is as important as the standard of learning.
- Manor Way is a lovely, caring school and we would highly recommend it.
- The opportunity for children to choose lots of extra activities to get involved in around learning.
- Friendly, kind and approachable, welcoming staff on the playground
- Celebrating achievement every week across the school
- The teachers love what they do and they children love being here
- Good communication about what my child is learning at school
- Nice teachers and office staff. Very helpful and co-operative.
- Staff go above and beyond for the children and they are given many opportunities to progress academically and in wider areas of their lives too.
- Really attentive to children's development and excellent teaching standards.
- Encourages self awareness and confidence.
- Excellent focus on mental health
- Excellent support system.
- Opportunities for sports and after school activities - Ipad integrated learning
- Y6 opportunities for leadership and junior leadership roles preparing the children for life

- Every teacher and member of staff goes out of their way to ensure my children are happy, supported and safe. We are very proud and happy parents.
- Everything is organised perfectly
- The variety of activities, trips and clubs always allows for extra learning opportunities outside of curriculum days e.g. elf day, The staff are all really friendly, knows everyone's names and very approachable, kind and supportive staff
- Great staff who really care – very hard working, go above and beyond.
- A community in itself. I am very impressed with the way the school is run and how well my child is supported.
- Friendly and approachable teachers and a great Head Teacher!
- Friendly, patient, kind, offer lots of additional activities, organised, great facilities, well structured learning and development potential.
- Preschool being very much part of the school
- You have made us feel very welcome and helped my child to settle in wonderfully.
- Ensuring the safety of children
- My child loves school and their teacher.
- The outside area / play areas and the climbing wall!!!
- The clubs with other schools in the Trust
- The teachers always put children first. The school has a lovely 'family' feel with teachers who are always there for my child
- The teaching staff are incredible and the Deputy and Head are the best
- Loads of options – forest school, bikes, creative
- I feel confident my child is looked after at Manor Way. He is happy every night when I collect him.
- Fantastic school– lots of fun activities for children, high expectations, fabulous teachers.
- A lovely family feel to it, great teachers and a general desire to help every child to be the best they can be.
- Always kept up to date with Dojo, great communication.
- They go above and beyond with things like Christmas, all the trips, ipad, etc.
- Pre-school teachers and assistant are all amazing and Activity club
- Teaching staff are genuinely committed to giving the best learning experience they can.
- Extra curricular opportunities are excellent and loads of sports available for the students
- Parental Involvement
- Nurturing environment

How can we make further improvements to Manor Way Primary Academy?

You said...	Action we are Taking...
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Class pets – lizard 	We are in discussion with the teachers and we will let you know the outcome! It might not be a lizard!
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Netball Club 	We held a netball club last year and haven't had enough pupils sign up to make it viable. We hope to get back to netball soon, as soon as numbers grow!
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bring back art club with Miss Ahmed 	We have! Art Club started in Jan 2023 for KS1 and we hope to offer it is KS2 later this year.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Inform parents of song / sound of the week so we can do it too. 	We have asked Nursery, Reception and Year 1 to share this with you.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Advance notice if there's a change to PE days. 	Thank you we have discussed this and sometimes due to events or absence there may need to be an occasional change . We will aim to give you at least a week's notice.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incorporate more project-based learning and activities. 	Thank you, Mrs Brettle is going to look at the curriculum offer and incorporate this.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Well being and mindfulness activities 	Well being and mindfulness is high on our agenda and we have run Relax kids programmes and clubs in school previously. We have decided to celebrate world wellbeing week in June and you will have more information about this to come.
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pay for clubs to be half termly making it more affordable. 	We have actioned this and now offer this option
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reduce the phone calls to parents for minor incidents 	We always let parents know if there has been a bump or accident in order to have clear communication about health and wellbeing. We also feel that making contact is important as letters given to children aren't always guaranteed to reach parents with the amount of information about our response, first aid and the nurture provided in enough detail.

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Celebrating Black History Month in more depth 	<p>Thank you for your feedback on this and we agree we can celebrate this more widely. We have already started planning using some great resources and ideas shared by our parents.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ensure activities and rewards agreed happen i.e. stickers, ipad time, etc 	<p>Thank you, we have codified our approach and will be mindful of this request.</p>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making opportunities open to all individuals representing the school in sports. 	<p>We have lots of opportunities for all children including children new to a sport, children who want to take part but not compete yet, competitions for SEND children and then competitions for children who have been identified for competitive teams to take part in leagues. We have a wide range of enrichment opportunities and have increased our residential offer as well. All children's participation is tracked to ensure all children have taken part in events and had a leadership opportunity before they leave us.</p>