



Outcome of parents/carers questionnaires 2024-2025

Thank you to all parents who returned their parent questionnaire. 96 questionnaires were returned and the questionnaires were extremely positive. There were only a few suggestions made about what we can do to make the school even better.

Here is a summary of the general comments made about what you like about Brookland Infant and Nursery School:

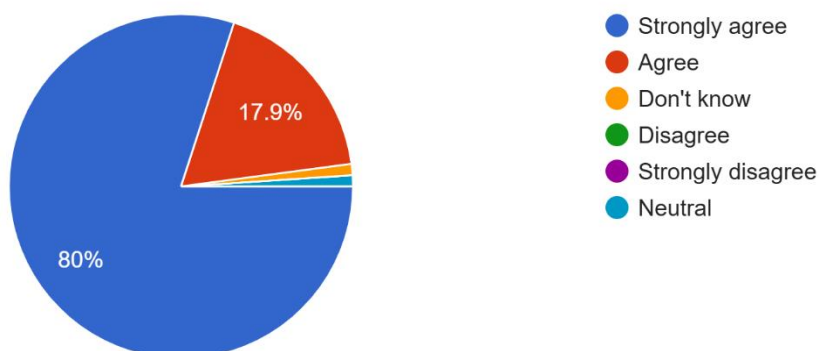
- **Welcoming and Friendly Staff** – The school is a welcoming place where staff are friendly, warm, and always make families feel included.
 - **Strong Sense of Community** – There is a great community spirit, and families feel part of a big, supportive school family.
 - **Caring and Supportive Staff** – Teachers and staff genuinely care about each individual child and go above and beyond to support them.
 - **Happy Children and Parents** – Many parents say their child is happy at school, enjoys learning, and looks forward to going every day.
 - **Great Teaching and Learning** – The school provides a high-quality education where children are making fantastic progress.
 - **Nurturing and Child-Centred Approach** – The school is warm and nurturing while also being academically aspirational. Staff know the children well and focus on their individual needs.
 - **Lovely Atmosphere and Environment** – The school has a positive learning environment, a lovely feel, and a spacious setting.
 - **Exciting Activities for Children** – Children take part in a lot of activities and always have something to talk about when they come home.
 - **Inclusive and Respectful** – The school fosters an inclusive environment where children feel valued and respected.
 - **Safe and Supportive Learning Space** – Parents appreciate that their children are in a safe space where they can grow, learn, and develop.
 - **Children Build Strong Friendships** – Many parents mention that their child has made great friends and enjoys being part of the school community.
 - **Dedicated and Hardworking Staff** – Teachers and staff are hardworking, professional, and always supportive of the children.
 - **A School That Celebrates Diversity** – The school celebrates different cultures, and children learn a lot from each other.
 - **Strong Values and Ethos** – The school has a clear ethos, and staff truly believe in and uphold its core values.
 - **Strong leadership** – The headteacher is always present, knows the children by name, and leads the school with passion and dedication.
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If I could use one word to describe Brookland Infant and Nursery School it would be:



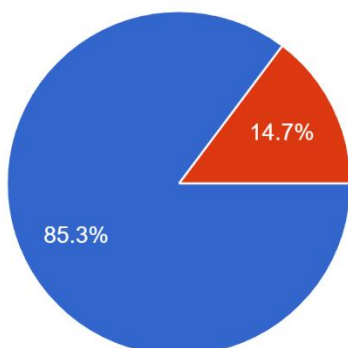
I am always made to feel welcome at Brookland Infant and Nursery School

95 responses



My child is happy at this school

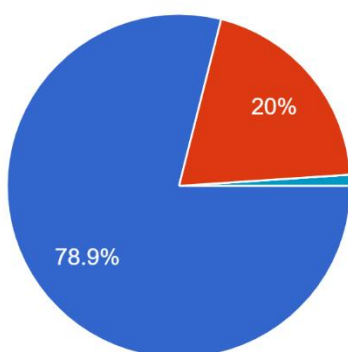
95 responses



- Strongly agree
- Agree
- Don't know
- Disagree
- Strongly disagree

My child feels safe at this school

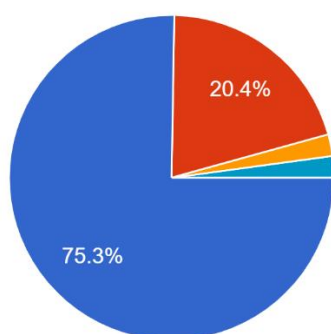
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- Neutral

The school expects my child to work hard and do their best

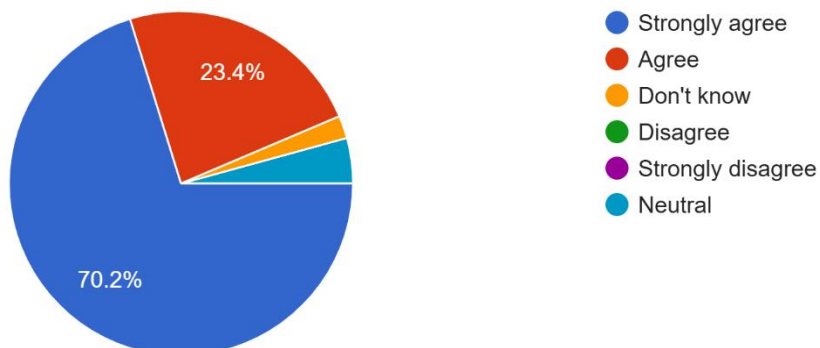
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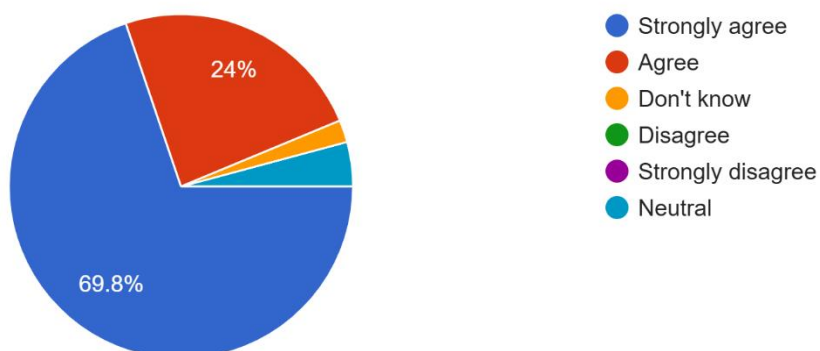
My child makes good progress at this school

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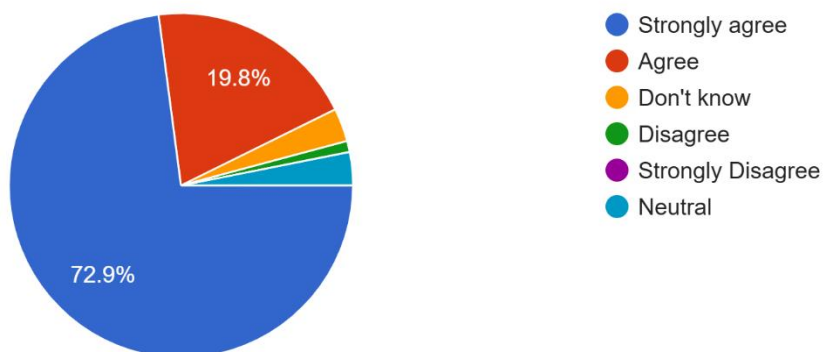
I think the teaching in the school meets the needs of my child

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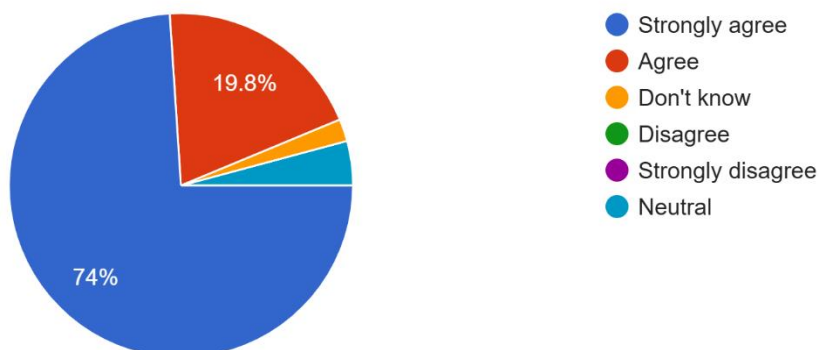
The curriculum is exciting, interesting and meaningful to my child

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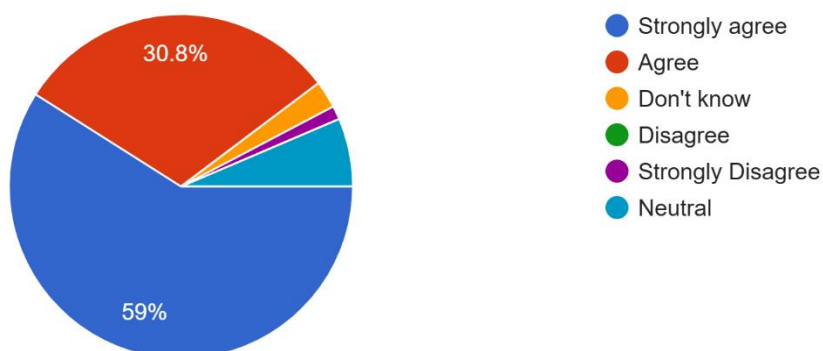
There is a good range of activities, including trips and visitors to the school

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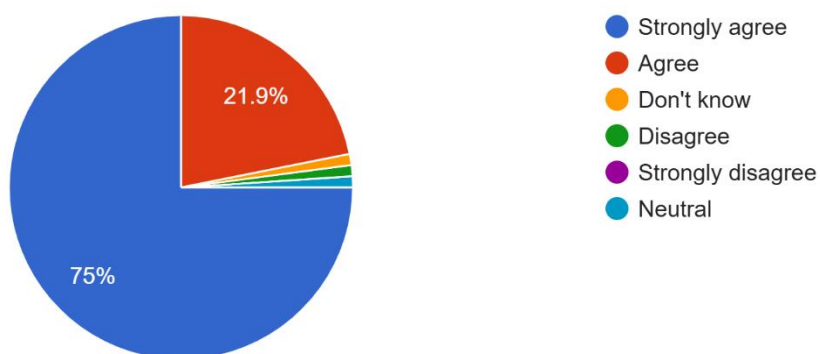
The school sets appropriate homework for my child (only for Year 1 and Year 2)

78 responses



I have opportunities to talk to staff about my child

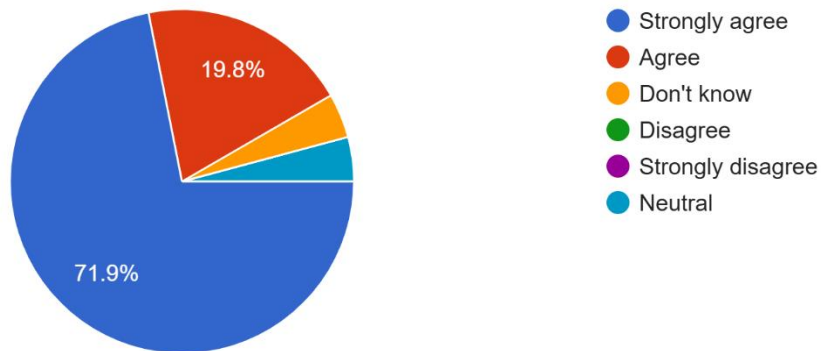
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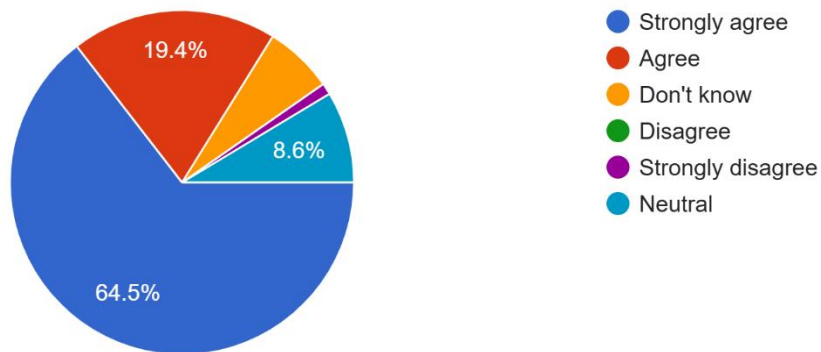
I think the school has a good approach to dealing with behaviour

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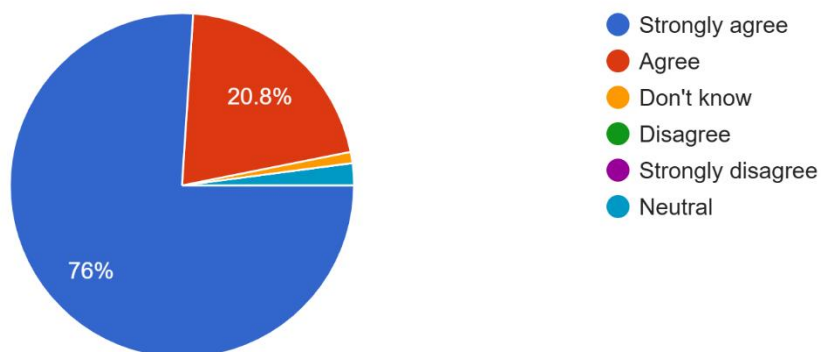
The school deals effectively with bullying

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I am kept up-to-date and informed about what is going on at the school

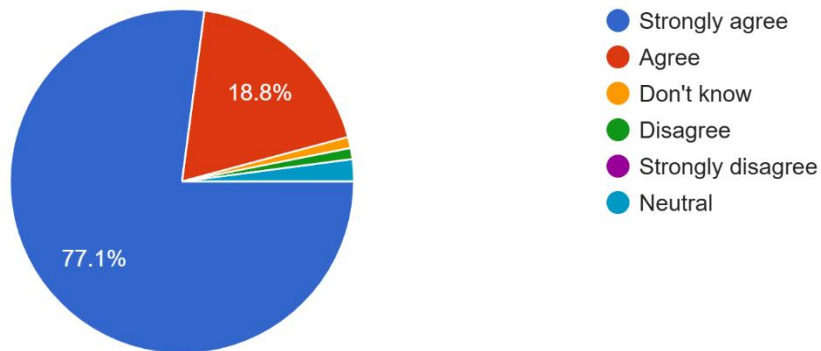
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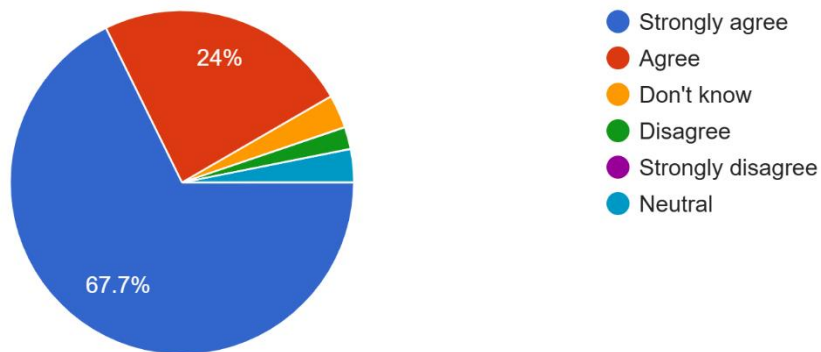
I feel comfortable about approaching the school with questions or a problem

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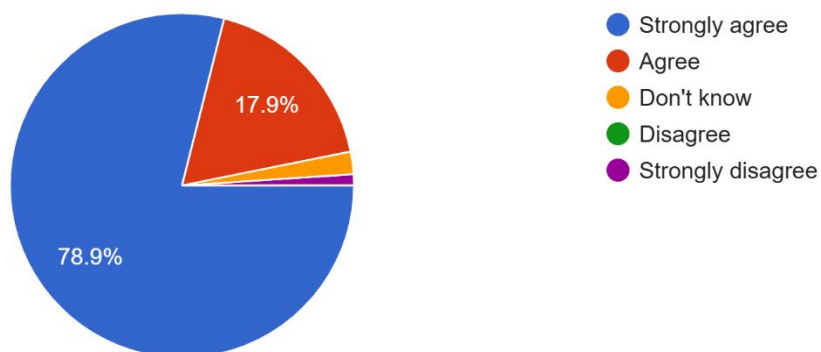
Issues are dealt with quickly

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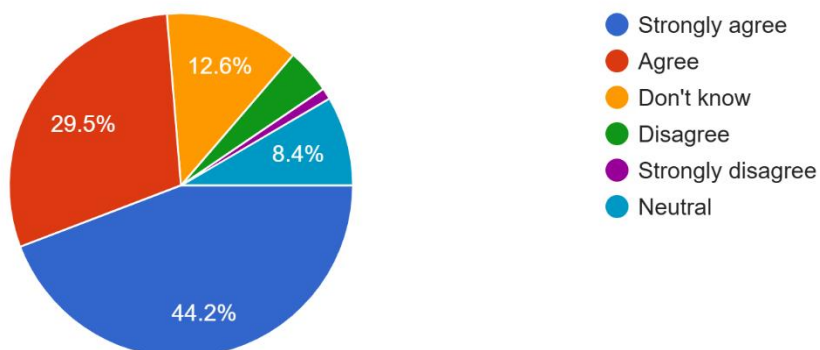
The school is led and managed well

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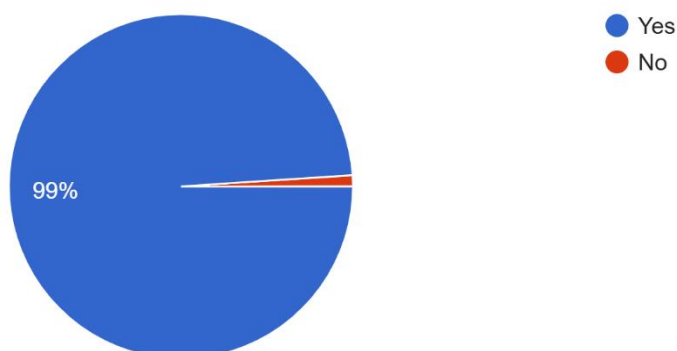
I know about the role of the Governing Body and how Governors support the school

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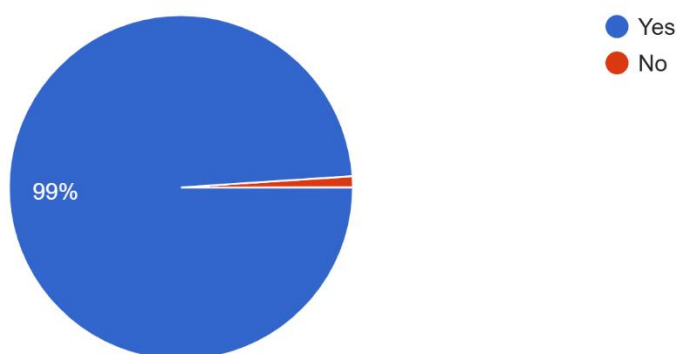
Overall, I am happy with my child's experience at this school

96 responses



I would recommend the school to another parent or carer

96 responses



Friendship

Honesty

Respect

Responsibility

Courage

Tolerance

Summary of Comments:

Please see below a summary of comments made of how we can make Brookland Infant and Nursery School even better.

- **Positive Feedback & Appreciation (6 mentions)**
 - Many parents express gratitude and support for the school's efforts.
 - Acknowledgment that staff and teachers are doing their best within budget constraints.
- **Meals & Nutrition (3 mentions)**
 - Concerns over unhealthy meal options, excessive sugar, and ultra-processed foods.
 - Requests for more balanced meals and reducing dessert frequency.
 - Ensuring all children are encouraged to try varied meals at school.
- **Homework & Learning Support (3 mentions)**
 - Preference for weekly homework instead of termly to help children develop independence.
 - Requests for clearer homework instructions and more feedback from teachers.
 - More information on how children are progressing in comparison to borough and national levels.
- **Communication & Parent Engagement (3 mentions)**
 - More frequent parent-teacher meetings with longer time slots.
 - Quick one-on-one updates at pick-up on a child's day.
 - Increased transparency in feedback on children's behaviour and academic progress.
- **Traffic & Safety Concerns (3 mentions)**
 - Morning drop-off traffic is chaotic and unsafe.
 - Suggestions for a one-way system, traffic controllers, or volunteer wardens.
 - Parents worry about potential accidents due to current road conditions.
- **School Environment & Facilities (2 mentions)**
 - Reception classrooms need refurbishment; suggestions for a fundraiser.
 - Improvements of internal areas in the school.
- **Extracurricular & Activity Suggestions (2 mentions)**
 - More engaging activities during school hours, such as cooking and daily exercise.
 - Greater variety of after-school clubs, particularly for SEND students.
- **Parent Participation & Community Engagement (2 mentions)**
 - More opportunities for parents to volunteer in school improvements.
 - Encouragement for fundraising participation to enrich student learning.