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Wednesday 28th March

Parent Questionnaire

Dear parents,

Thank you to all those who completed the Parent Questionnaire at Parents' Evening this week. It is wonderful to hear that you feel welcome in our school and that your children feel safe, are making good progress and are taught well. We value the strong relationship we have with families and always welcome feedback on what we are doing well and ways we could improve.

We have acknowledged your responses on how we could improve at St Bernard's.

A few parents said that communication could be improved.

We have tried really hard over the past year to shape our communication strategy according based on parents' access to apps and mobile technology. We ensure that all events are posted on our school website. Texts are sent out to notify parents of any letters sent home. You can access the events calendar on the school website and can download the app on your phone. We aim to provide enough notice for school trips and events. Sometimes opportunities crop up at the last minute, but we always aim to ensure parents know what is going on. Please come and speak to us if there is anything specific you think we could do to improve communication. Letters are sent electronically unless a reply slip is needed, as we aim to be an eco friendly school.

Another area that people mentioned was sports Clubs

We always aim to give our children opportunities to take part in sport. It is a big part of our school curriculum. As well as the two hours of PE a week we have half termly inter house sports events. We are also part of the Cheshire Oaks School Sports Partnership and so far this year pupils have attended tournaments for dodgeball, cross country, netball, football, tag rugby and indoor athletics. After school sporting clubs this year have included judo, dance, football, cross country and Brazilian dance. In the summer term a football club will run again alongside tennis and fitness.

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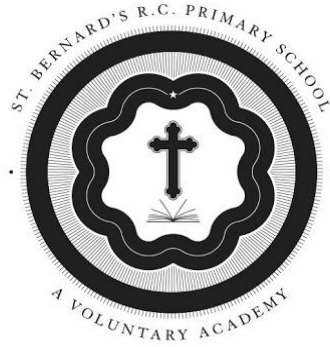


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As well as these areas there was much that parents said we did well. These included-

- Making lunchtimes enjoyable for the children
- Building children's confidence and good social behaviour
- Staff are approachable and parents feel comfortable coming into school with any concerns
- Making school a happy experience
- Treating children as individuals
- Encouraging children in all aspects of their development
- Teaching is of a high standard
- A well thought out and interesting curriculum
- Dealing with behaviour issues
- Listening to both children and parents
- A close community feel and everyone is welcoming
- Any concerns are dealt with quickly and efficiently
- Pastoral care

Yours sincerely,

The Senior Leadership Team

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