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Dear Parents,

We had a great response to our electronic questionnaire (when people were finally able to access it)! Apologies for the technical issues. 75 parents responded and although this is not quite as high as it normally is when we do it on 'Parents Evening', we are really pleased and grateful to all those who persevered and took the time to complete it.

Parents Questionnaire April 2021	Agree	Disagree	Don't Know
Our strongest responses			
I would recommend this school to another family.	74	0	1
My child feels safe at this school.	74	0	1
My child is taught well at St Michael and All Angels	74	0	1
My child is making good progress at St Michael and All Angels.	74	1	0
The school responds well to concerns I raise.	74	1	0
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	74	1	0
My child is happy at St Michael and All Angels.	73	0	2
The school is well led and managed.	73	1	1
I feel well informed about what is happening in school.	73	2	0
The school informs me about my child's progress.	73	2	0
The school supports my child's mental health and well-being.	70	0	5
My child receives appropriate homework for their age.	70	1	4
Our next best responses			
The pupils are well behaved at St Michael and All Angels.	69	1	5
Prior to Covid, the school offered a good range of extra-curricular activities.	68	0	7
St Michael and All Angels deals with cases of bullying effectively.	55	1	19

To see so few 'Disagrees' helps us know that we must be doing something right which is reassuring for myself and all the staff. It is however our job to make sure you know things too and so we will continue to work hard to inform you about different things including how we support our children's mental health and

how we deal with bullying. Our website is an excellent source of information and so I would urge you to have a good look at it if you haven't already.

As I always say to all parents, if you do have any concerns or worries or want to ask a question at any time, please do not hesitate to speak to your child's class teacher and if they can't help you, Mrs Bennison or I are also happy to help. Don't leave any concerns or worries until we have our next questionnaire as we cannot 'fix' something if we do not know about it. We always want to work in partnership with our parents and know that together this makes for a happier school and happier children.

Thank you to all those parents who left lovely comments, some of which are below. I have shared these with all the staff who always work incredibly hard but never more so than over the last 12 months. Your support and appreciation really does mean a lot to us all.

I continue to be amazed by the level support and care the staff at school afford for my children. They always go above and beyond. I cannot thank the whole team enough for their commitment to children and the community during the pandemic. They certainly deserve high praise. Thank you is simply not enough.

Thank you for the amazing job you all do, especially this last year.

I am impressed with how much my daughter has learnt this year. All of lessons she takes part in sound engaging and exciting and she is always so enthusiastic about what she has learnt in school each day. I know that's down to the amazing staff at school. I have also felt as a parent completely informed with all the major decisions/changes due to covid. This has taken some of the pressure off such a tough year as I have known my daughter is happy and in safe hands.

I am so grateful for all of the support the staff give both of my children at school and for all of the extra work they put in to ensure that the children are well provided for, particularly during Covid.

We are really pleased with the progress my son has and continues to make this year. Staff have worked incredibly hard to ensure that the children have been provided with opportunities which have allowed them to transition back into school life and routine despite the incredibly difficult circumstances they have faced. The dedication, support, hard work and commitment of all staff as well as excellent leadership are truly appreciated.

I think the school and staff have done a fantastic job especially in the difficult times of the last year or so.

I would highly recommend this school to any parent, the teachers of all years are truly amazing to the children and also parents.

Outstanding school. Thank you so much.

My child loves the school. The staff the headteacher are always welcoming and react to any issues you may have.

St Michael and all angels has the best leadership and best teachers. We are truly grateful for all.

I am made up with the progress my child has made since starting the school.

As I always say if you ever have any questions or concerns you want to raise, do not hesitate to get in touch.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Ralph