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Dear Parents,

Thank you to all those parents who took the time to complete the questionnaire at parents evening. We have collated your responses below. There were **119 responses**.

Parents Questionnaire February 2020	Agree	Disagree	Don't Know
Our strongest responses			
My child feels safe at this school.	119	0	0
My child does well at this school.	119	0	0
There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.	119	0	0
My child is happy at this school.	118	0	1
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.	118	0	1
The school supports my child's wider personal development.	118	0	1
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	118	1 parent responded 'sometimes'	0
The school lets me know how my child is doing.	118	1	0
The school has high expectations for my child.	116	1	2
My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.	115	1	3
Our next best responses			
When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.	113	1 parent responded 'sometimes'	5
My child has SEND and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.	94	1	24
My child has been bullied and the school has dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.	78	0	41
	Yes	No	
I would recommend this school to another parent.	117	0	

*2 parents said they were undecided.

As always, we take the results of our questionnaires very seriously. We are delighted with the results which demonstrate that the vast majority of our parents are happy with the school, and recognise that we genuinely try our very best to please our families, and ensure your children are happy and supported in achieving their potential. I am very lucky to lead a committed and dedicated team of staff who work incredibly hard to make our school the very best that it can be. I could not ask any more of them! They are

keen to form positive partnerships with our families and the lovely comments left on many of the questionnaires demonstrate the positive impact of their efforts. This recognition from our families is very important to the staff and we all want to say a huge 'THANK YOU' to you, our parents!

We recognise that we cannot always please everyone, and I contacted the two parents who had disagreed with some of the questions and were undecided about whether they would recommend our school as we are keen to learn how we can further improve!

Thank you to the parents who left comments, and any concerns raised I can assure you will be addressed. Examples of some of the comments included:

'My child continues to make progress due to the excellent standard of teaching, leadership and wider support. We are very happy with St Michael's and the opportunities provided to him.'

'As always the children love coming to school. All teachers are nice and friendly which is a real plus.'

'The school is brilliant; my child enjoys every day in St Michael's. All teachers are amazing.'

'Great school – pupils and parents well supported.'

'My children thrive at the school and are encouraged to reach their potential. I feel education is a partnership between school and home and as a parent I feel well supported. Thank you.'

'Very supportive and good clubs available.'

'Amazing school.'

'Excellent as usual!'

'Myself and my children have all attended this school, which is a loving, safe place. I am happy with everything and the hard work and help from all.'

'We are very pleased with St Michael's school. My children are well supported and making excellent progress every year.'

'Amazing school, my boys are both so happy here.'

'Thank you for looking after my son and treating him like one of your own children.'

'This school is perfect in my eyes. This school has given my daughter so much support and the SEND support is truly amazing. 10/10 for me.'

'Lovely staff and great support.'

'I think F1 is a credit to the school. I am so pleased with the progress my child is making.'

As I have already said, we acknowledge that we do not always get everything right but we honestly appreciate your kind words & thoughts.

Where parents have been unsure about questions linked to 'bullying' and 'SEND', we want to reassure you that the school always acts swiftly to deal with any concerns linked to both of these areas. If you have any questions in relation to these issues, please contact our SENCO (Mrs Bennison) or myself.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs S Ralph

