



Sprowston Community High School – Parent Survey Summary (March 2016)

Dear Parent and Carers,

On behalf of the schools governing body I am writing to thank those of you who have taken the time during the past school year to complete a parent survey at the end of your child's parents evening. Almost 270 questionnaires have been completed throughout the year.

The results of each school year have previously been published on the schools website and as governors we have now collated all of these outputs into an overall summary, effectively giving us a 'whole school' view.

The governing body have reviewed these results and we wanted to share this information with you all and at the same time look to you as parents and carers to help us understand what we, as a whole school community need to be doing more of, to improve these results.

Some of the questions provide a very positive picture of the great things going on in school, particularly around children being happy, safe and well looked after at school with questions 1, 2 and 4 all scoring above 90% for strongly agree and agree.

On reviewing the results other questions led to us asking ourselves as governors 'what more could we be doing?' e.g. Question 11 – 'I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress' where 22% did not agree or strongly agree. We wanted to remind all parents that every half term tracking reports of your child's progress are provided to you. In addition, information is stored at school about students in a system called SIMS, and SIMS Learning Gateway is a way of enabling you to access real time information about your child, for example, attendance, achievement and behaviour data. You will also be able to view their latest report online along with key assessment data.

Finally, we wanted to focus on a couple of the questions with a view to seeking your feedback to better understand from a parental view point what more the school could or should be doing to address some of the reasons behind the responses received. We would appreciate your thoughts and ideas to address questions 7 – 'This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved' and question 10 – 'This school responds well to any concerns I raise' both of which had a high score for disagree.

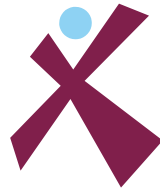
Could we please ask that you pass your constructive feedback and ideas to chairofgov@sprowstonhigh.org by Friday 10th June to allow sufficient time to collate any responses in time for our next meeting where we will again discuss the results.

Thank you once again for your continued interest and support.

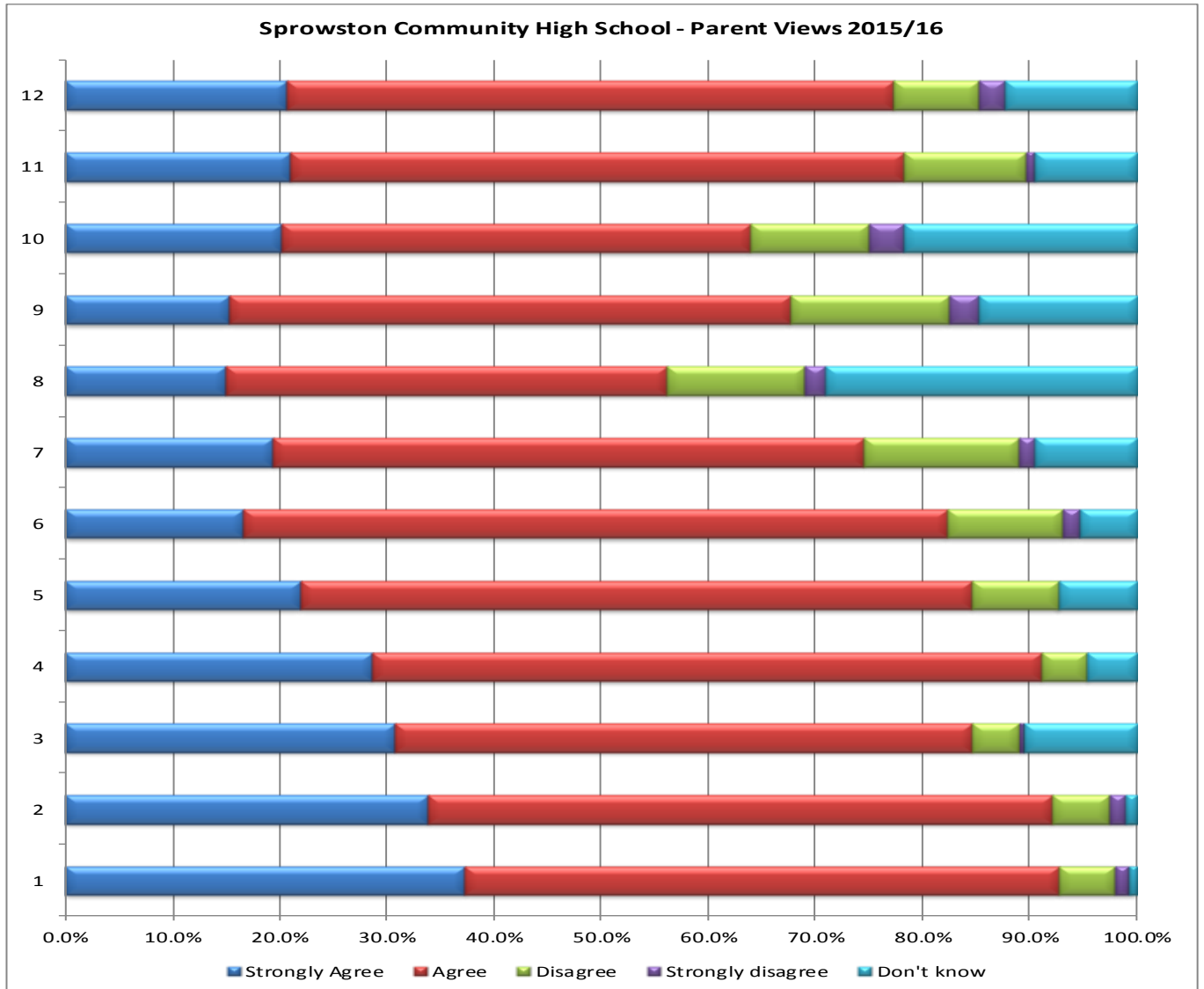
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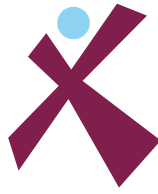


1. Overall Summary of Questionnaires

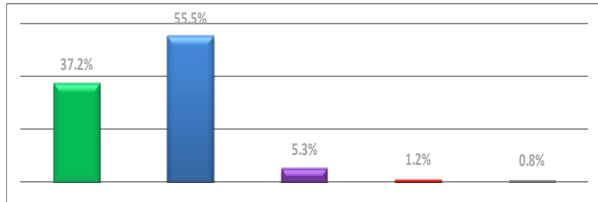


- 1 My child is happy at school
- 2 My child feels safe at this school
- 3 My child makes good progress at this school
- 4 My child is well looked after at this school
- 5 My child is taught well at this school
- 6 My child receives appropriate homework for their age
- 7 This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved
- 8 This school deals effectively with bullying
- 9 This school is well lead and managed
- 10 This school responds well to any concerns I raise
- 11 I receive valubale information from the school about my child's progress
- 12 Would you recommend this school to another parent?

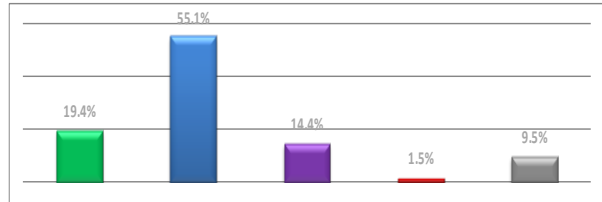




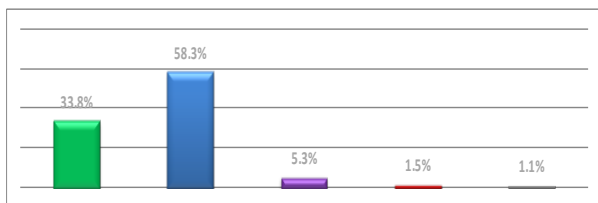
2. Breakdown of Questions Asked



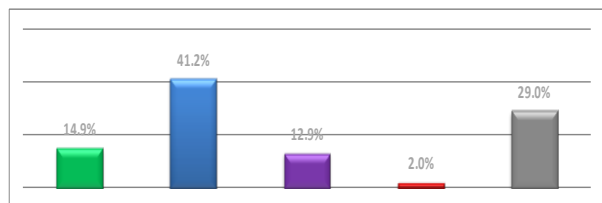
Q1. My child is happy at school Total number of responses 247



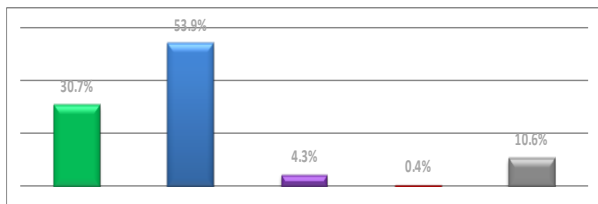
Q7. This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved Total number of responses 263



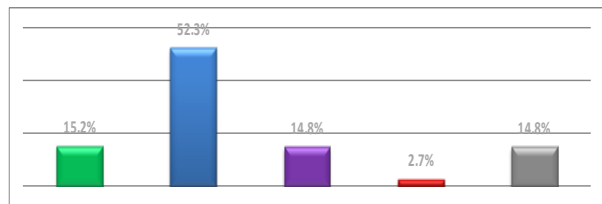
Q2. My child feels safe at this school Total number of responses 266



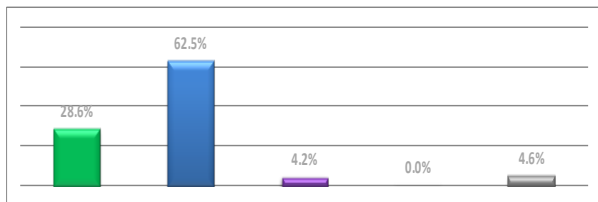
Q8. This school deals effectively with bullying Total number of responses 255



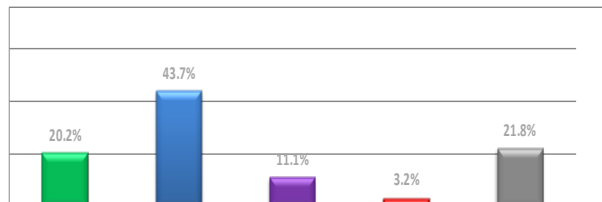
Q3. My child makes good progress at this school Total number of responses 254



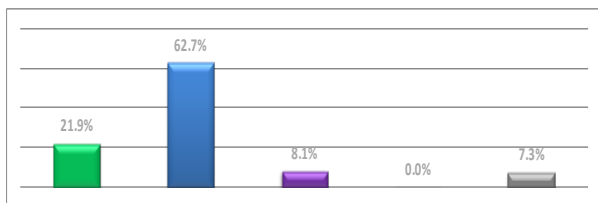
Q9. This school is well lead and managed Total number of responses 256



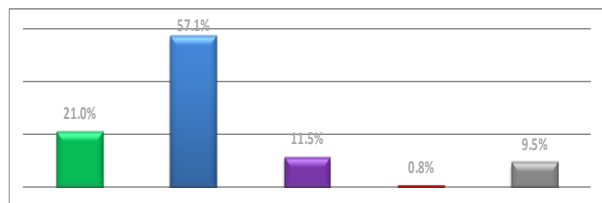
Q4. My child is well looked after at this school Total number of responses 259



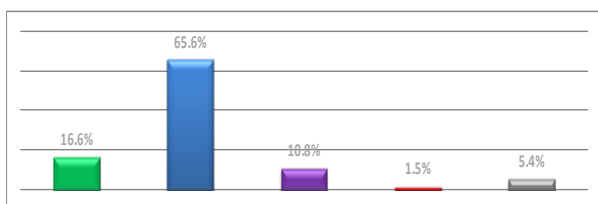
Q10. This school responds well to any concerns I raise Total number of responses 252



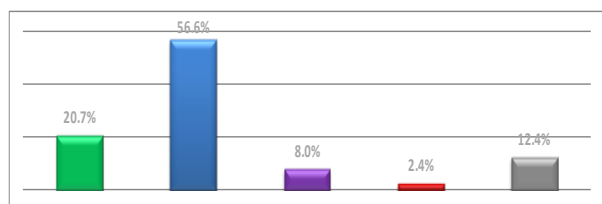
Q5. My child is taught well at this school Total number of responses 260



Q11. I receive valuable information about my child's progress Total number of responses 252



Q6. My child receives appropriate homework for their age Total number of responses 259



Q12. Would you recommend this school to another parent? Total number of responses 251

