Wren's Nest Primary School Parent/Carer Survey - May 2023 - RESULTS



It is really important to me as Head Teacher that we capture your thoughts and opinions of how Wren's Nest supports your child in school and in addition, your family. Improving where necessary and striving to offer the best provision, to both children and their families, is what drives us as a team here at Wren's Nest.

Parents' Survey May 2023 141 responses (41 online)					
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My child is happy at this school.	82%	15%	3%		
My child feels safe at this school.	88%	9%	3%		
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved (in school)	76%	19%	4%	1%	
School deals with the bullying quickly and effectively.	81%	15%	3%	1%	
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	84%	13%	2%	1%	
When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.	85%	12%	3%		
Does your child have special educational needs and/or disabilities (SEND)? (yes/no) If yes, how strongly do you agree with this statement: 'My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.'	98%	2%			
The school has high expectations for my child.	87%	13%			
My child does well at this school.	86%	10%	4%		
The school lets me know how my child is doing.	90%	9%		1%	

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There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.	90%	9%	1%		
My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.	91%	8%	1%		
The school supports my child's wider personal development.	84%	11%	5%		
I would recommend this school to another parent.	91%	8%	1%		

Please share any comments or ideas for future developments:

- Parents' Evenings could do with being a bit longer as there is limited time to go through books before being called in. I am otherwise really happy that that my children were accepted into this school as it is a brilliant school that goes above and beyond for each child and their families and the community around it
- I think this school does the job perfectly. I have nothing to add. More than satisfied my child is more than good at this school thank you for your involvement and support.
- Don't have any, great school.
- Wren's Nest school is the best. H has come on leaps and bounds I'm very grateful for all of the help he has been given while at the school. Keep up good work all the teachers. Well done Wren's Nest.
- M has always enjoyed school and loves her friends and teachers. She was upset a few weeks
 back but Mrs Whitworth was very helpful and supported me and M very well which I really
 appreciate. M loves Art Week and is gaining good knowledge of artists which is fab.
- My child was put into a smaller group for her lessons for her extra needs as she was falling behind in lessons. Only point I can't get my head round is she has difficulties but have never been classed as having learning difficulties and there is no send in place for her when she goes up to high school. If my child does have these difficulties to be in a small group she's going to need extra support when she does go to high school. If a meeting could be put in place I would really appreciate it so I can get my views across as well as those of her teachers.
- This year there is a better understanding of my son, now he has an autism diagnosis. The
 extra clubs such as 'Inside out', has really helped my son and I think it should be done in the
 normal school timetable as well as each child's emotions and mental health is important to
 every child not just children with special needs.
- J wanted to do guitar lessons but was turned down last time. They said they would choose
 him next time. I purchased a guitar for him and he never heard anything after that. He's now
 hoping to learn it in high school.
- L isn't a fan of the school menu. The odd occasion she came home and said she asked for beans but was told they can only be had with a jacket potato or she had to pick something else. It would be good for children to be able to choose what they would like.
- More dressing up days, take part in more charity events i.e. Children in Need, more praise children.
- It took a while for bullying to be sorted and my son is still quite behind.

- On the whole we are really pleased with L's development. L appears to have grown up a lot in Year 2 and looks forward to school. However, I still do worry regarding friendship groups since the incident/separation from S, L has avoided her. L for weeks was very anxious and avoided playing with girls from her year group; she opted to play with Year 1. My worry is that when she moved to Year 3, she will be isolated again and become anxious as she won't see her friends from the year below.
- M is happy the school has started celebrating more [World Book Day and Kings Coronation] it's lovely to see the children excited on a morning. Do you have some questions regarding
 the new trips and visits tab online. Trips that are listed haven't taken place? Also what
 happened to rewards for Merits and achievements and book bingo?
- I found starting school beyond difficult and it was such a struggle for him and us the reception staff really supported him and put so much in place for him to be able to find his feet and feel comfortable at school. The confidence club he attends an boys group he does in the afternoons has had a really positive effect on him and we have seen big changes at home because of it too for that we are very grateful. Something we have felt a little sad about though is that we have never had a stay and play with I. We have so many lovely memories and happy photos of us doing this with Callum, but we've never had the opportunity to do any in school activities with I. Understandably it couldn't happen last year but I think something could have been put on this year even if it was slightly adapted.
- Previous comments we have made as a family have been about the more social fun side of school and we have been pleased with some of the things happening this year such as world book day and the king's coronation. It definitely brings joy to our boys. I think the only things we question at the minute is the lack of trips and rewards that are sold to the children but then don't come to fruition. We paid a little more this year for trips but there has been significantly less than in previous years and also what it states on the school website. As parents, we would like to add a personal thank you to Mr Baglin for the way he has changed C's opinion of school since starting in year three we have not had any difficulty in getting C to school or any upset mornings C thinks of him very highly and always comments and how calm and fair he is as a teacher.
- I feel confident and happy sending F to Wren's Nest Primary although sometimes F does not like coming to school. I feel that Wren's Nest have exceeded expectations with the level of support F has been given and the support we have received as a family. We are listened to when we have concerns and frequently kept up to date with F's progress. I've asked F if he wants to share any thoughts about school but he doesn't want to.
- Keep doing what you are doing.
- Z loves school and she's very happy and settled. Cannot praise the school and staff enough
 hence why she is still attending even after moving out of the Dudley borough. We will be all
 sad at the end of this academic year when Z will be leaving.
- L loves School. I would like to thank you for everything you are doing with L.
- Recommend 110%:).
- School identified my child's talents and praised her efforts. Provided tuition opportunities for areas she requires support in.
- K loves coming to school, he has made lots of friends and he's doing well in all subjects.
- P says she enjoys school.
- All of the school's staff are very attentive to understand the hardships of families and they give support and help. My little one and I recommend this school for every parent. Thank you!
- I thank everyone who worked so hard in the school for the development of the education of our children. My prayer for you is that God bless you and always grant you the strength to assume the responsibility of teaching our children for the best of their future as you always do.

- R really enjoys Nursery. He loves to talk about his peers and loves showing me the letters he
 can write.
- I just wanted to say how fantastic the team is at Wren's nest, never had a problem and the support I have had from the beginning is amazing, forever grateful. So happy C is progressing with this school and all the staff should be proud.
- I feel the school offers a lot for my child and I'm very happy with the with my child progress.
- As a family we love the school! We have moved to Walsall apologies for punctuality at times traffic can be a real pain! We are reluctant to change schools as they both love it - love the school!
- A is doing well in school I don't have any concerns. I'm happy with how she's doing.
- We are so grateful for all of the teachers in Time for Twos. They have helped O develop so much. They always take time to make sure parents are well too. Could not be happier.
- As a parent, I am very pleased with my son's progress at Wren's Nest.
- I am delighted to have C attend Wren's Nest Preschool. I feel confident that she's in good hands, a caring environment, and that any concerns I have are genuinely listened to and helped with [where possible]. In the past school year, staff have shown kindness and compassion for my personal circumstances and have offered support and helped put me in touch with relevant services C adores her teacher and has made lots of friends in her group. I asked C how she feels at Nursery and she said, "I am a hedgehog and my best friend is piper. I like playing outside at Nursery."
- My child comes home every day with knowledge about different things. I am very pleased with his educational development and the support he receives from his teachers. Breakfast Club is being the most helpful for our family.
- Sharing lovely photos from the school books digitally.
- I would never put my children in a different school as I can never knock this one.
- Happy how the school operates.
- Fab school and friendly approachable staff.
- The school has supported J in many aspects of his development whether it be his academic needs or his emotional/social needs.
- Introducing First Aid was a brilliant idea and was really helpful. This would be a good idea to do regular sessions.
- The school are already working at high standards.
- All teachers are very good my son wants to go to school even on holidays thank you.
- P and T love going to school.
- Show and tell would be fantastic for the children to bring something in from home and tell the other children about it. My child is always dying to bring things in.
- Phones should be allowed to be brought in for older years.
- It's great that the school really seems to care about its children who attend like offering breakfast club and other after school activities which are free. All the stuff are great, really friendly and hard working.
- I would like to thank teachers Miss Dunn and Mrs Edwards as whenever I have raised concerns or needed help with the children's needs they have always been very helpful especially Miss Dunn with G's anxiety/bladder issues. It's very much appreciated and makes me at ease knowing G is settled and she understands his needs. I can't fault Wren's Nest Primary at all.

•	My three children have gone here and the staff and school are amazing in all ways. My two eldest have lots of fond memories and my youngest loves school. His teachers and friends help him through everything he struggles with and go above and beyond to help all kids. My child has progressed so much at Wren's Nest. All the staff are so supportive and if I have any problems they are dealt with quickly and feedback is always given there is always someone to talk to.
•	There are a wide range of After School clubs available and also Breakfast Club. We are kept up to date on everything that goes on in school via the website and Parent Hub. The weekly videos are very informative. I would recommend this school.