Pupil Voice questionnaire
Autumn Term 2020

The questionnaire was carried out in order to gain a sense of how the children at Burlington Infant and Nursery School feel about school and different parts of the school day. The Pupil Voice Questionnaire is intended as a quick and straightforward method of collecting pupil views. On collating the views/outcomes of the questionnaire it is intended that action points will be put in place to resolve any issues or concerns that are unearthed. The questionnaire was carried out with Key Stage 1 and Reception children.

The children were asked a question and asked to give their answer by holding up a green, orange or red face visual. The children had a clear explanation of what each of the faces represented.
Green face = yes or happy
Orange face = ok or not worried
Red face = no or unhappy

109 Year 1 children were present for the questionnaire.
112 Year 2 children were present for the questionnaire.
The views of the 221 Key Stage 1 children are represented in the data below.

The outcomes are represented in the following tables.

Key Stage One Outcomes

Summer term 2019 outcomes are in brackets.

	happy	ok	unhappy
How do you feel about school?			
Year 1	96(96)	12(16)	1(1)
Year 2	95(97)	17(19)	0(1)
Total	191(193)	29(35)	1(2)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	86(84)%	13.5(15)%	0.5(1)%

The results show that 99.5(99)% of the children surveyed are happy or feel at least ok about school.

	happy	ok	unhappy
How do you feel about school work?			
Year 1	79(85)	28(28)	2(0)
Year 2	87(90)	25(27)	0(0)
Total	166(172)	53 (55)	2(0)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	75(76)%	24(24)%	1(0)%

The results show that 99(100)% of the children surveyed feel happy or at least ok about school work.

	happy	ok	unhappy
How do you feel about playtime/the playground?			
Year 1	87(92)	20(19)	2(2)
Year 2	93(95)	16(20)	3(1)
Total	180(187)	36(39)	5(3)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	81(81)%	16.5(17.5)%	2.5(1.5)%

The results show that 97.5(99)% of the children surveyed are happy or at least ok about playtimes.

	happy	ok	unhappy
How do you feel about lunchtime?			
Year 1	81(80)	27(23)	1(1)
Year 2	95(95)	17(20)	0(2)
Total	176(175)	44(41)	1(4)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	80(76)%	19.5(22)%	0.5(2)%

The results show that 99.5(98)% of the children surveyed are happy or at least ok about lunchtimes.

	yes	ok	no
Do you know who to go to if you feel worried in school?			
Year 1	88(107)	20(6)	1(1)
Year 2	95(117)	17(0)	0(0)
Total	183(224)	37 (6)	1(1)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	83(97)%	16.5 (3)%	0.5(1)%

The results show that 99.5(100)% of children feel ok about and know who to go to if they are feeling worried.

	yes	Not worried	no
Do you feel safe in school?			
Year 1	89(102)	20(11)	0(0)
Year 2	94(104)	18(13)	0(0)
Total	194(206)	28(24)	0(0)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	87(90%)	13(10%)	0(0%)

The results show that 100(100) % of the children surveyed feel safe in school.

	Yes	not worried	no
Do you have friends in school?			
Year 1	86(97)	23(14)	1(2)
Year 2	87(94)	25(22)	0(1)
Total	173(173)	47(47)	1(3)

% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	78(83)%	21.5(15)%	0.5(2)%

The results show that 99.5(98)% of children have friends or are at least not worried about their friendships in school.

	yes	not worried	no
Do adults help you in school?			
Year 1	98(107)	11(6)	0(0)
Year 2	98(110)	14(7)	0(0)
Total	196(217)	25(13)	0(0)
% of 221 children in Key Stage 1	89(94)%	11(6)%	0(0)%

The results show that 100(100)% of children surveyed feel that adults help them in school or were not worried about the help that they received in school.

Issues raised by the children in KS1 when showing a sad face:

- "Sometimes I feel sad when the craze of the week changes and I don't want it to."
- "I don't like all of the school lunches and I'm not allowed a packed lunch."
- "I feel sad when my friends don't play with me."
- "When I play basketball I don't always get the ball."
- "I get fed up because you have to learn and learn and it makes me tired."
- "I only like it when it's pizza day."
- "I sometimes feel worried about the big children in the lunch hall."

Comments made by individual children in Key Stage 1:

- "I like school because I like to play and my friends play with me."
- "I feel happy and I have lots of friends."
- "I like learning because there is always something new to do like solving maths problems."
- "When you fall over or have an argument there is always someone to help you."
- "Our school is safe because there are so many teachers outside and they help us if we are hurt."
- "When you sit on the rainbow bench a friend will always come to find you."
- "Our school is kind."
- "Our school helps the children."
- "I like playing football because I like running around."
- "I love this school because it helps children to learn."
- "I love all of the reading that we do at our school."
- "I like our school because we learn something new every day."

Action Points

- Children that are struggling with their food in the lunch hall have now been identified and will supported through the lunch support table by Mrs Docwra. If necessary, they will be supported on the lunch support table.

- Children presenting with anxieties/issues around football and basketball will be supported by the adults/referees that are assigned to the areas.
- Mrs Docwra will approach the parents of children that are really not enjoying school lunches and look at alternatives e.g packed lunch
- Children that present with friendships issues, low self esteem etc will be referred to the (ELSA) Emotional Literacy Support Assistant for support.
- A further questionnaire will be completed in the spring term.

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