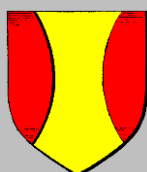


Number of children	77 inc Nursery
Number of Q returned	32
% returned	57%

	% Strongly agree	% Agree	% Combined score Strongly Agree & Agree	% Neither Agree or Disagree	% Disagree	% Strongly Disagree
Teaching						
My child is happy at school	80	16	96	2	2	0
I feel that my child is receiving a good education	91	5	96	5	0	0
The staff understand what my child needs	77	14	91	7	2	0
The school listens to any concerns I have and addresses them quickly	79	9	88	7	2	2
Subjects						
My child is encouraged to read regularly, both at home and in school.	91	2	93	5	2	0
My child has the opportunity to take part in a wide range of activities inside and outside of school (clubs, trips, residential, visitors, musical and sporting events, etc.)	77	9	86	9	5	0
Personal Development						
My child is encouraged to be respectful, kind and to think of others.	93	2	95	5	0	0
My child has trusted adults within school that they are able to talk to.	84	9	93	7	0	0
My child gets on well with other children	84	9	93	5	0	2



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Looking after my child						
The school is a safe and secure place for my child to work	93	2	95	5	0	0
Any behavioural or friendship problems that arise are dealt with quickly and effectively	77	16	93	2	5	0
Parents and Community						
School lets me know about events that happen in school through letters, email, texts, newsletters, website and Facebook.	91	0	91	7	2	0

Comments
Things that I think the school is doing well
My child absolutely loves the staff and everything about school!
Use of zoom for parent/teacher communication. Outward bound sessions within the school gave our child lots of confidence and helped them to communicate with adults.
I can't find a fault everything is completed with care and compassion very good communications and is a lovely place to be part of
She is always enthusiastic about Science and Topic, and has taken a lot from the external visitors you have organised. You provide lots of opportunities to participate in sport and other activities which she thoroughly enjoys. Her maths has improved greatly this year and she loves coming to school each day. Thank you
Engaging with my child, he is always happy and excited when he gets home.
I feel like the school really takes into consideration the feelings of the child and if any problems occur the child is made to feel that their voice is heard. The staff are amazing and I truly appreciate all the effort put in to make all the trips and exciting visitors they get
School really support our children even when we have issues that may cross over from home. They listen and do what they can to help our children, which is an invaluable support.
Really like the weekly email reminders on a Friday for the next weeks plans. I really like the new car park drop off and pick up arrangements- much safer in the car park. Thank you. Really grateful for all the extra curricular activities the kids can take part in even when covid is ongoing.
My child has had an exceptional year - despite the ever looming threat of COVID 19 which has disrupted so many aspects of everyone's lives. Lanercost has done it's best to maintain a high

standard of education, both in the home learning situation and in the school setting. My child has developed well and is achieving greater depth in both reading and maths, which is heart warming especially as they are in the youngest quarter of the class. They have a tight knit group of friends which has been maintained despite the 3 months of home learning. I feel the daily zoom call with their class mates and teachers helped tremendously to make them still feel a part of the school. The school demonstrated it's inclusive nature by the way in which new pupils were gradually transitioned into school setting. A new child to my child's class during lockdown was introduced over several days in a calm and controlled way, first being spoken about joining the class and then a special zoom class to introduce them to the class and the class to the new pupil, this was done prior to the student officially starting. Communication has been excellent with regular newsletters and emails. The whole school offers a wonderful, caring setting in which my child has continued their learning journey. My child is happy to speak to any member of staff, as would I be, if I had any concerns. The extra curricular activities have again, been amazing. One of the joys of sending my child for their education to Lanercost is the extra miles that each and every staff member is willing and able to go to, despite the restrictions placed by the pandemic. I recognise this fact and that each and every staff member from head teacher down, truly cares for my child and every other child's well-being, by offering a caring nurturing Christian environment among the many reasons why my child attends this school.

The aim appears to be to get outside as much as possible, which is super! We are also astounded by the breadth of subjects (e.g. music and art) and including different sports. Thank you for giving our girls such an excellent start to their school life at Lanercost!

The teachers really know my children and their abilities. They are not just a number. Teachers are accessible and willing to talk if I need to discuss something. I love and appreciate the work put on Tapestry, so I know what they are doing at school. When I ask my children they 'can't remember!!' Love all the different activities and opportunities the school provides. Kirsty is outstanding with regards to always responding quickly to any queries and she is always extremely helpful and knowledgeable.

You meet his individual needs. You make learning exciting and memorable through English and Topic, and having external people visit school. He loves learning and enjoys the challenges you give him. You encourage him to be open minded. Thank you.

My child likes her teacher very much, as we do. Her teacher makes learning fun.

Most areas are well ran

I feel Lanercost is doing well with providing good afterschool sports clubs. Also I love that kindness in school is encouraged and it feels like a happy place for my children to go.

We have been really impressed with the school's/ staff's proactive nature in recognising and quickly responding to issues that they have recognised or we have raised. An example of this is that I mentioned that my child struggled with learning people's names. A few days later they were given a key ring with the pictures and names of all his class. My child also explained that one of the teachers had got all the class to reintroduce themselves in small groups to help them learn their names. We really like that the whole school studies the same topic. We have noticed that as a consequence our children discuss it far more at home because they can share what they have learnt. This did not seem to happen as much at their previous school when they studied different topics. We also think it is really valuable that the School helps the children engage in the local geography and culture. We thought it was wonderful that our children studied the local river in such depth rather than it purely being about the Nile and

Amazon etc.
Knowing what my children need and being supportive and encouraging.
School has continued to offer an outstanding education throughout all the constantly changing Covid restrictions. Instead of having a mentality of "school can't do that", there has been a dedicated and successful approach of "how can we do this" to allow our children to experience and learn and grow in their home and academic environments. This includes opportunities and special classes via hybrid teaching to the extra and extended risk assessments for field trips and community opportunities. Providing in depth learning experiences, specialist teacher interactions, and dynamic feedback. I think children at Lanercost are aware of the expectations of peer relationships and are some of the kindest peers and friends. I believe the school does an excellent job of integrating the values of the school into social and peer relationships. All of the staff are supportive of parental concerns, and work diligently to make sure they provide as much support to individual children as possible.
The school is great at ensuring that some issues are dealt with quickly. Children are given the correct amount of homework. Children are supported in their learning. Children have good friendship groups in the school and staff are able to deal with small squabbles effectively.
Communication good, varied rich curriculum, sport, flexible, helpful
Communication through email and newsletter weekly
The kids are loving all the clubs and I love the project studying other countries
Adapting to using zoom etc for parents to communicate with staff wherever possible. Having each class do its own Christmas story play was great as we were able to see and hear our child. Also not having to buy "another costume" for this.
Lunches!
It has been such a strange 18 months during this pandemic, and I would like to take this opportunity to thank you all for the time and effort that has been invested in finding a broad range of activities to support learning since the children have returned to school. I feel that the teaching effort has ensured that the boys have not suffered any real impact to their learning and development, despite missing so much time in school. If only all children had access to such a fantastic setting! Also, I wanted to thank Kirsty for consistently being so proactive, responsive, and friendly :)
The education the school have offered during covid and with the barriers in place has been excellent. The school is exceptional
Communication
I think really everything is superb thank you.
I think school has done an excellent job. Keep up the good work!
Suggestions for how we could improve:
More feedback on Tapestry would be welcomed
The EYFS staff try to capture as many moments of learning as possible and try to upload these onto Tapestry to give parents an insight into the learning taking place in school. Unfortunately, this does

not happen daily as our priority is always to deliver the sessions and support the children in class, therefore the feedback has to come secondary to that. Having said this, we are always happy to answer questions about any child's learning, so if ever a parent feels they would like an update, please do get in touch.

Stop the school plays in summer and at Christmas as this time should be used to help our children get extra tuition to enable them to catch up with the education they have lost during the lock downs.

Broaden the children's view of the other faiths/cultures around us. Visit mosques/synagogues/temples around our area

During lockdown, we ran a full timetable of lessons to ensure the continuity and continuation of education. Interventions to support learning have been a priority since returning to school. All children who have needed these have had them timetabled in and implemented weekly. School plays are a huge part of life at Lanercost and the children get so much out of these opportunities, therefore this is something we will be getting rid of at this point.

Within every year group, the children are taught about a range of faiths and cultures through our R.E lessons. We had hoped to visit the Kagyu Samye Ling Monastery this year, however this wasn't possible due to the Covid restrictions in place. We hope to continue our usual variety of trips and visitors next year.

Opening up afterschool club to nursery children to help working parents also starting breakfast club from 7:30 to allow commute to work. A Friday option would have been amazing.

Is there any possibility that after school wrap-around could be extended a little, perhaps until 5:30pm?

Unfortunately, we cannot begin breakfast club before 7.45 as we do not have outside staff who come in to run these sessions and it makes the working day extremely long for the staff who work these sessions already. From September we will be welcoming nursery into Stay and Play. We will still run a first come, first serve basis.

We will explore the possibility of extending after school Stay and play club to 5pm, however this will depend on numbers. Extending to 5.30pm is not possible at this time.

Communication is sometimes overwhelming in its methods and volume and we feel this does contribute to missing some information, although we fully accept it's our responsibility to read the emails properly.

We agree that sometimes the amount of information we have needed to send out can be a little overwhelming. We will make it a priority to explore ways to streamline this in order to make it easier for parents to keep on top of the information.

Keep striving to do the best for all pupils.

We certainly will!

In the recent parents evening online, it would have been helpful to have received an initial overview of progress rather than go straight into data. But this is a really minor point and we're really pleased with the school. Thank you to all the staff for all their hard work.

In previous parents' evenings this is something we have done, however because our parents' evening had to be postponed to the summer term because of Covid (usually we would hold this in February/March) we did not prepare this information in advance as we felt it may be too similar to the school reports going out at the end of term. Next year, we will continue our normal procedure of sending home some information prior to parents evening appointments.

amount of info and days of non uniform could be steamlined

We will explore how to make this information more streamlined ready for the Autumn term.

I would like to know more of what is happening within my child's learning, there doesn't seem to be as much information as previous terms about achievements of things like Maths passports etc. Class dojo is presumably not being used anymore.

We decided to move away from Class Dojo during the last lockdown as we didn't want to confuse the situation with multiple learning platforms. Having said this, the staff also feel like we would like to re-explore how we share day to day information/photos with parents as this is something we would like to do more of again.

The only thing I would maybe suggest is that as a parent coming in part way through the year and school, perhaps a brief parent induction or information pack just to give a bit more indication as to what additional support was expected from home in terms of supporting the curriculum. I do however appreciate that all this is and has been more complicated due to Covid restrictions and parents not having the same contact with the teachers as may be normally the case.

Thank you for this feedback, unfortunately Covid has had a big impact on how we induct new families into our school. On reflection, a help pack would certainly have been helpful and is something we could explore in the future. However, our hope is that we will be able to run as normal in September and would be able to have more visits and discussions with parents as we have been able to do in previous years.

Possibly offer some more options for less sporty after school clubs. I sometimes feel it might be nice to have a little more variety. Drama was well received by my children, I'm not sure if that will be returning? Other thoughts are chess club, computing club, book club, cooking club.
Thanks.

We fully accept that the majority of clubs have been sport based this year. This is a direct result of the Covid restrictions which have been in place for the majority of the year. In addition to this, the increased workload for staff meant that additional clubs were not explored to help manage the work/life balance. In September, we hope to run our usual range of clubs as we have in previous years and look forward to enjoying these sessions with your children again.

More after school club options, school dinners,

Please see the above comment which addresses after school clubs. With regards to school dinners, we will continue to explore a variety of options to ensure there are daily food choices available to suit every child in our school.