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Dear Parent/Carer

Parent Survey - January 2024

I hope you and your families are well as we approach the end of another very busy and productive term. For Year 11 and 13 students, attention is very much turned to forthcoming examinations. You should be aware of our 'Route to Exams' processes for both year groups, and upcoming Easter Revision school.

There will be an end of term letter next week, which will detail key dates and reminders for the summer term.

You will recall that earlier this term we distributed our online parent survey. The same survey was conducted at the same time by all schools across the Redhill Trust. I am very grateful for those who took the time to complete the survey. Almost 300 parents/carers completed the survey, which was extremely pleasing. The survey report is extensive and includes responses and breakdowns to all 42 questions, as well as any comments made. This detail is useful for the school in identifying the experience of families in relation to different aspects of school.

One of the most gratifying results was to Question 39: ***On a scale from 1 to 10, how likely are you to recommend this school to other parents?*** 87% of responses to this question were positive, which was well above the Trust average.

Included with this letter is the survey executive summary, which I hope you find useful. This shows Brookfield's results, along with how these compare to overall Redhill results. The Redhill average is the 'benchmark' shown in the attached document.

Results are being analysed to identify what parents feel is working well, and which areas are viewed less positively. At this stage, possible actions we will be taking following the survey results include:

- **Tutor Review meetings** - introduced this year as a Redhill initiative. The format is likely to change next year to one which does not involve school closing early to accommodate these online meetings.
- **Homework** - we are looking to introduce a new homework system from September.
- **Communication with parents** - we are exploring a new platform for introduction from September which will streamline and simplify different communication methods.

Thank you once again for your support during this term.

Yours faithfully

Mr K Hirst
Headteacher

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Equality and Achievement

Parent Experience: Survey for Parents and Carers

January 2024 | 285 respondents

Benchmarked against Redhill Academy Trust - Jan 2024

Key Performance Indicators

Positive responses	Against benchmark	
69%	+12%	In general, how satisfied are you with the school's efforts to engage you as a parent?

Module summary from most to least positive

Positive responses	Against benchmark	
87%	+14%	School accessibility
81%	+10%	Pupil needs
79%	+9%	Parents' events
78%	+12%	General
78%	+11%	Mutual trust and respect
77%	+5%	Parental confidence
77%	+5%	Informing parents
73%	+8%	Communication methods
69%	+10%	Relationship with the Trust
63%	-2%	Bespoke

Strengths: top three results

Weaknesses: bottom three results

96%	Relationship with the Trust 35) Your child's school is part of a group of schools working together in a multi-academy trust. Are you aware of this?	62%	Informing parents 6) How informed do you feel with regard to your child's learning progress?
95%	Pupil needs 26) How easy or difficult is it for your child to access the Internet at home? (This information would be valuable for teachers when planning homework.)	55%	Relationship with the Trust 36) How clear to you is the role of the Trust in this school?
91%	Informing parents 9) How informed do you feel with regard to your child's attendance?	55%	Relationship with the Trust 37) How confident are you that being part of the Trust is beneficial for pupils?

Top three results, compared to benchmark

Bottom three results, compared to benchmark

+15%	School accessibility 16) How easy or difficult is it to contact the school if you need to?	-2%	Bespoke 19) How useful to you are tutor review evenings?
+14%	Relationship with the Trust 36) How clear to you is the role of the Trust in this school?	0%	Informing parents 8) How informed do you feel with regard to your child's behaviour at school?
+13%	General 39) On a scale from 1 to 10, how likely are you to recommend this school to other parents?	+1%	Parental confidence 31) How confident do you feel in supporting your child's learning and development at home?