

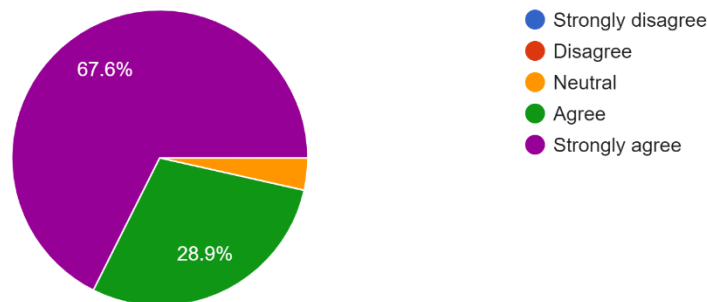
Autumn 2023 Feedback

In school, we talk to the children about how feedback helps them develop as learners. Feedback is of equal value to us as a school so that we can constantly improve the level of care and education we provide. I would like to thank all the parents who completed the questionnaire. It was overwhelmingly positive, which is great to hear and I have shared this feedback with all of our team. Some noticeable highlights are: no parent said their child was unhappy at our school or doesn't feel safe; you feel the standard of teaching is very high; the SEND parents' evenings were very popular, so we will make these a regular event. The main area for improvement is communication. Over the holiday I will review the various ways we communicate with you and then develop an approach which best meets your needs.

Below is a summary of your feedback. Thanks again for the support and trust you show in our school.

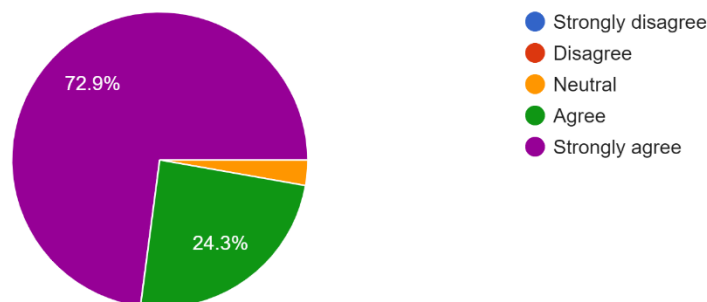
My child is happy at Alexandra Park

142 responses



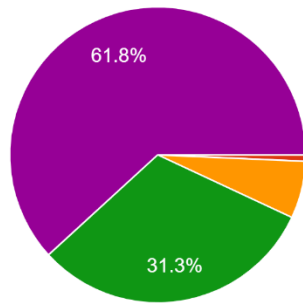
My child feels safe at Alexandra Park

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My child makes good progress at Alexandra Park

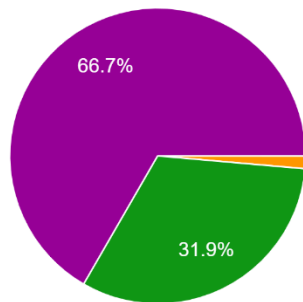
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My child is taught well at Alexandra Park

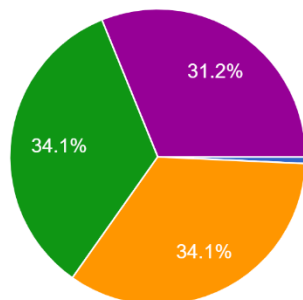
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The school deal effectively with bullying

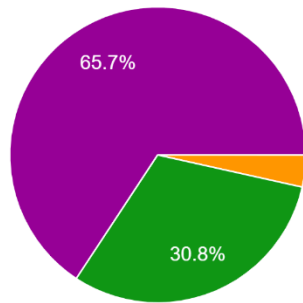
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Relationships between staff and children are positive

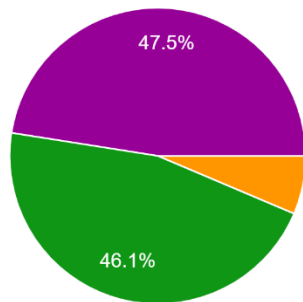
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Alexandra Park ensures pupils are well-behaved

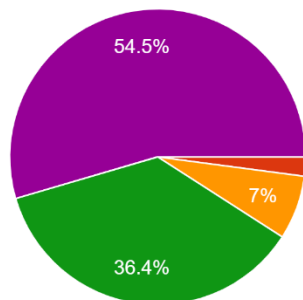
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The school supports my child's wider development

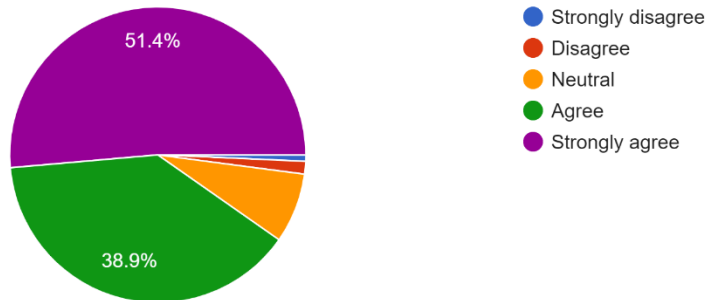
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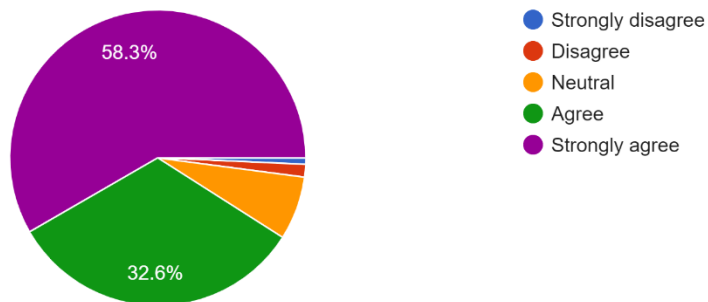
The school has high expectations for my child

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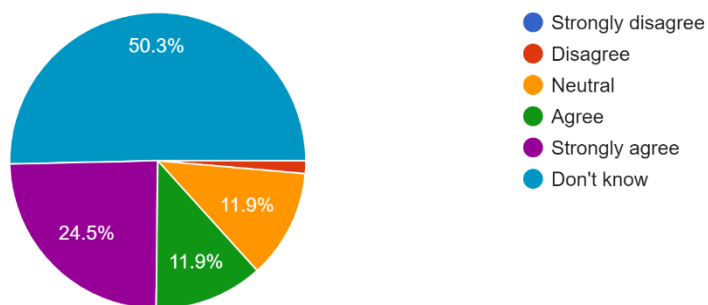
The school promotes equality and diversity, tolerance and respect

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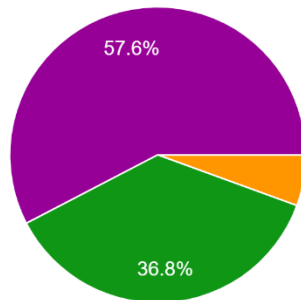
Children with SEND (Special Educational Needs or Disabilities) receive the support they need to succeed

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Alexandra Park is well led and managed

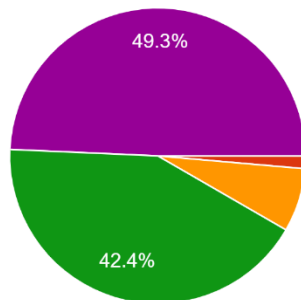
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Pupils mental health and wellbeing is being considered.

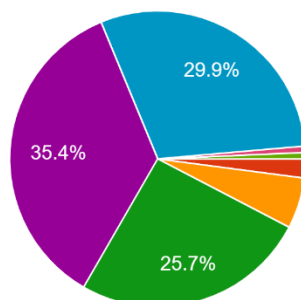
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Alexandra Park responds well to concerns I raise

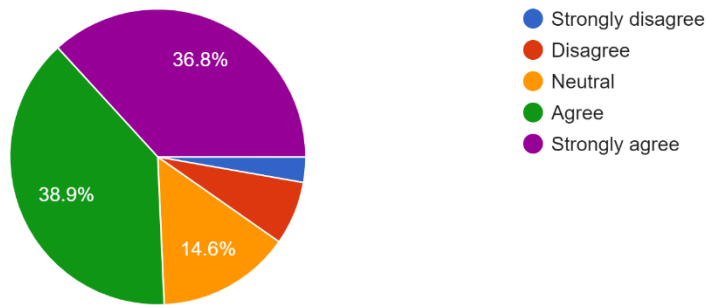
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- Strongly disagree
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- I have not raised any concerns
- Sometimes it depends which staff member
- The class teacher has. 😊

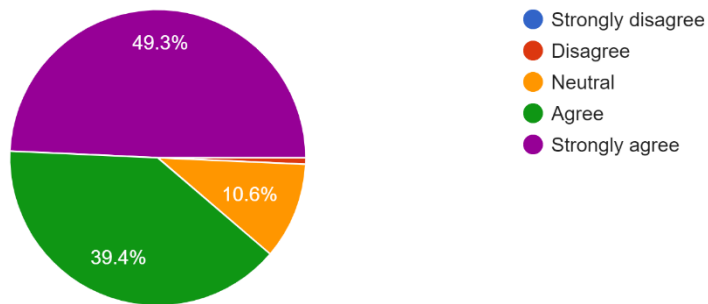
Communication is clear, regular and effective

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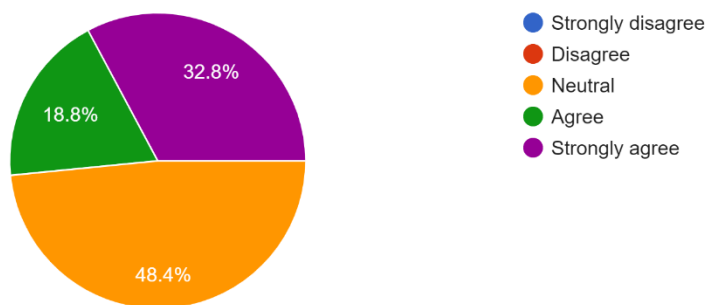
One of our aims is we work with parents and children in partnership to ensure we provide children with the highest level of Care and education. As a school, are we achieving this goal?

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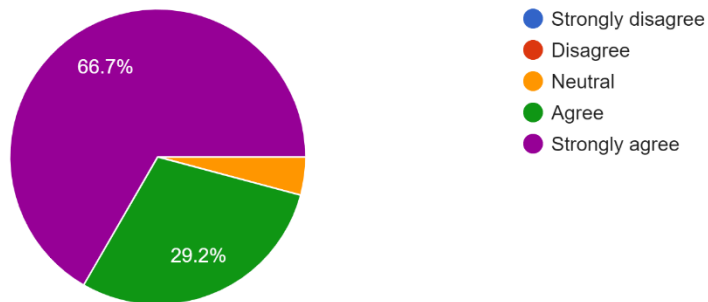
The additional time for SEND parents evening was beneficial

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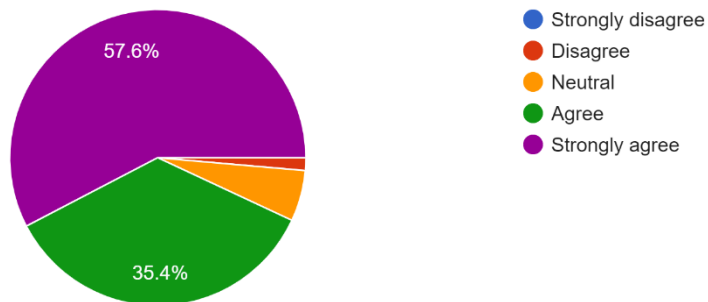
Staff at Alexandra Park are approachable, friendly and willing to help

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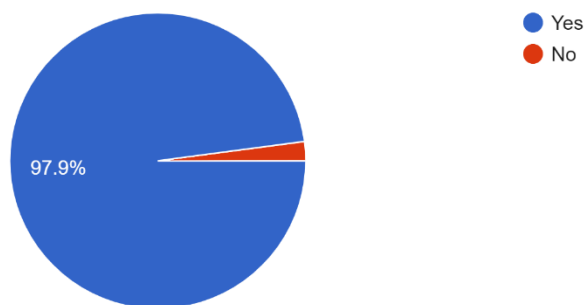
Everything we do as a school starts with our school values: Care, Aspire, Achieve. The school is successful in achieving his goal?

144 responses



I would recommend Alexandra Park to another parent

143 responses



One of our main priorities is on developing every child as a reader. Please could you add any comments if you have noticed any impact on your child's reading ability

*Over the last year my daughter has improved massively with her reading, she is now such a confident reader and it's amazing to see just how well she is doing
My child's independent reading has really improved*

We are seeing our sons reading ability improve week on week. The smaller group daily sessions seem to be very effective as does bringing home one book he has read and something new but based off the weeks learning

My children have really surprised me since starting in reception and how quickly they recognise sounds and letters. My year 1 child is reading her year 2 sister's books with ease.

My year 2 child went up 5 reading levels in year 1. The teaching staff are so dedicated to the children and their love for reading.

My child loves everything about books loves stories and science knowledge booked and is making huge improvements with his reading I believe is credit to the school.

I'm impressed with how he had quickly started to pick up letters. He is below expected but is being fully supported

Please could you add any comments if you have noticed any impact on your child's enjoyment of reading

My son in y3 is very much enjoying the 100 books initiative

I'd also like to add the stay and read sessions are a really lovely way to integrate carers/parents etc with children under a less stressful environment than reading at home. My youngest really enjoys that time on a Thursday morning

His attitude has changed this year towards learning to read he is enjoying it more and talks very passionately about books and things he's had read to him, doesn't give up keeps trying to and making huge improvements.

She loves to read and enjoys a visit to the library.

My daughter loves the 100 book challenge and the way the children review the books with each other in class. She has requested several books for Christmas that have been reviewed by her friends in class as part of the challenge.

Actions:

We are delighted parents are seeing an improvement in both children's love of reading and their ability to read. Some parents with children in the infants provided feedback on how much the children enjoy reading the 'core story book' compared to the 'book bag book'. Both books sent home are matched to the children's phonetic ability. The 'core story book' is one they can read 100% accurately, as they have been using these in class the previous week to learn to read. Some children enjoy this repetition and the sense of achievement it brings, whereas others enjoy reading a new unseen book. Both are designed to work together to improve the children's reading. We have now planned an open morning on Friday 2nd February 9am, where you can come in and see phonics and reading lessons, which we hope will also help you see the benefit of both books.

Additional Comments

I am very pleased with the way my daughter can explain the learning behaviours. She understands clearly that it isn't just about knowledge but the behaviours and skills that are needed to learn new concepts. She amazes me every day with the way she can articulate what she has learnt and how she has learnt it. The lessons interest and engage her and she is very proud of her achievements.

We are so impressed with the school and the staff including our sons teacher Miss Tighe. We have been amazed by his progress this year especially with his writing. In the past he would not want to pick up a pen at any point and after all of the teams help this term he is constantly sitting drawing/writing. We must have gone through multiple notepads in a very short space of time. Thank you for all of your continued love and care. My son is a third generation of student of Alexandra park and i'm so happy to see the school is in safe hands!

Thank you for all of the hard work, dedication and care you go above and beyond to give to our children.

I think overall this school is fantastic. My older son also attended Alexandra Park after leaving another primary school, and the difference we noticed almost immediately with him was amazing! The staff are all amazing and work super hard to make sure they are providing the best for our children and I'm really glad we chose Alex Park!

I think the school is excellent and much of that is down to the staff, who I feel take the time to really know and understand my children and their needs. They're also quick to respond to any queries or concerns. I've also been impressed with all the extra events and opportunities provided too for pupils. Staff interact with parents well. And I'd just like to say I think the staff running after school are fantastic too and I don't really get the chance to say this at the door. Thanks everyone at Alex Park.

An absolute outstanding school I couldn't have wished for a better school for my child to go to. The support that we both receive is second to none

I feel I definitely made the right choice for my son . The school is academic and wants every child to achieve to their best of their abilities. Also there is a general sense of care and warmth from all the staff that is felt from the moment you enter the school.

