

# February 2020 Fawkham C.E. Primary Pupil Questionnaire

## WHOLE SCHOOL

### Things I like most about our school

#### QUALITY OF EDUCATION

- Teachers X 29- my teacher because she is kind and helpful also she is funny and also pushes us to the best of our abilities, they are really nice and look after the classroom properly, they teach us, they are so pretty, they give us advice, I like them a lot, they are nice, I love the teachers because they are nice, they are great, when they help me, they teach us nice things, they let us play and give us new learning choices, being taught by the teachers because it makes everyone learn and be clever, I like how kind and caring the teachers are because I always have fun, the teachers listen to me and smile at me because they are so nice, they teach us fun lessons, I like the fact of how good our teachers are, Mrs Fenton because she takes us up into the woods, they are nice and they help also they are fun, they make good rules, they make me focus, they make the rules fair, they are nice
- PE X23 - fencing is fun to play and I like learning about it, we change what we do and not do the same thing every term, I love sport, we get to exercise, as PE is very important for our health and PE is always fun, I get to try and learn new sports, it uses us my energy and it's healthy, football - I like it, fencing because it's like sword fighting, they are really fun and good, we have different teachers teaching it, we do different things, special fencing teacher, you really get energetic
- Forest School X 12 - to make camps, you can listen to the birds and see rabbits, I like exploring the forest, it's fun and we play, climbing trees, it's nice seeing the wildlife
- Book corners - X 10 we have so many books to read because all the teachers made an amazing book corner, we have an amazing book corner and we get to go to the library every week and read different books, I love our book corner - books are exciting, as it's a place where you can relax and set your mind on the book, I like all of the cuddly toys
- Maths X 8- we get taught things that I might not have heard of before, I always learn new things, so I can learn numbers, I like learning new things, it is fun, to count

#### QUALITY OF EDUCATION

- Art lessons X 8- we learn different styles of painting, Summer art work linked to the topic because I can do what I want, I like to make stuff Colouring in activities, I like drawing and doing art, because we can express ourselves, it is fun and exciting
- Lessons X 5 because they are interesting, I like how they are fun so we don't get bored, because I know a lot of things, so I be can be smart, school gives me lots of things to learn in my mind
- Sports Day X 5 because there are lots of activities, I get to stretch my limits, everyone gets more competitive and put their skills to the limit
- Times tables Rockstars because you get to learn times tables in fun ways
- Tests X 4 - At the end of terms we get to do tests I like this as I get to show off my learning I like that we don't have any help in tests, because it's quiet
- Homework that's craft X 4 because I like craft, I am always happy when I make it, I like how art is respected
- Library - X 4 because I love to read different books and we have lots of different books in the library, we have lots of books, I like taking a book
- School trips X 3 - they are fun and interesting, we go to paintings and museums
- Science lessons X 3 - they are cool and fun as they make learning fun, it's my favourite subject
- Classroom X 3 - it's so good, I like the colour, the home corner, construction toys
- English X 2 - we get to work in groups and improve each other's work, we get to write in the 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> person
- Learning choices X 2- I like drawing, I like learning because it's fun Learning new things as it's fun
- Homework displays outside each classroom because you can show off how well you did on making it.
- School trips - they are fun
- RE - we learn about God
- Science because we do activities
- PSHE
- The classroom it is pretty
- I like go-disco

## BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDES

- Playtimes X 25- as we get to socialise, have fun with my friends, we get fresh air, so I can play, like wet playtimes when we get to stay in and play with all of the toys, I like playing, as we have all the play equipment out, playing with my friends, we have two different places to play and we have somewhere to sit down, we can do handstands on the field, we have tons of toys, so we can play with our friends
- My friends X 15 - I can play with them, they help me, because they have faith in me, Having friends because it's fun, playing with my friends because they are so kind to me, because everyone's so kind at school I like playing with my friends, are really nice because we all share and help each other, people help me with my work, I like that everyone can talk to each other so you can make a lot of friends, My buddy - Connor
- Camp night X 14- you get to have a sleepover with lots of people, do cool activities, you can interact with friends, it's cool and fun, it's a great opportunity, because the teachers spend a lot of time thinking about it
- I love our Fawkham Family X6 because people are nice, you can trust them, All of the Fawkham Family are kind
- Lunchtime X 5 - eating my packed lunch from home, you can put your own food in there, it's tasty School dinners, from TCS because they are different meals every day and they are nutritious and delicious, School dinners because we have hot stuff
- Toys in the classroom X 3
- Displays - I like them because they help me with my work
- Children
- When people are kind to me and share toys
- I like house points and seeing which team has won

## PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Clubs X 29 - you can have fun with your friends after school, they are new and fun, you learn new things, football, sticky fingers, street dance to learn new moves, craft club is really fun, story club because I like listening to stories, we do lots of clubs, football club, craft club, they are really fun like archery, they are fun and you get to do it after school, football club - we have a good teacher, because most schools don't have them
- World Book Day - X7 as we get to dress up as our favourite book character, we get lots of fun activities like dressing up, we have a parade
- Fof Activities - X 3 Discoes, film night
- Story night X 2- because there are different stories and the teachers read them to us, because the teachers spend more time with us
- Discoes
- Pantomime visits
- House Team days because it's nice going round the school with my house team
- Our uniform as it's very comfortable and smart
- Eating packed lunch outside on hot days as we get more fresh air.
- My classmates are really funny and always make me laugh
- Tag Days as you get to express yourself through your clothes
- Discoes - we get to dance
- Home time - we get to see our mummies and daddies
- I like having my sister and brother at the same school
- Pantomime visits
- Tag Days as you get to be your personal self
- I like all of the competitions as it's fun

### LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

- Leadership teams - X 10 because they bring fun activities like when the play leaders did outdoor learning day, you help to make the school better, it helps our school be a better place, we all get a role in the school, they let you have input into how the school is run, I love being on the eco team because I love the environment, it shows we also have an important role in Fawkham

### Things I would like to change about our school to make it even better

#### QUALITY OF EDUCATION

- Go to the forest more often X 10
- More explosive science experiments X 3
- Visit the school library more often X 2
- More fun lessons X 2
- Less reading X2 so 3X a week rather than 5X a week
- More lessons outside as the scenery makes you more calm so we can focus on our work more
- Buy our own reading records as ours are blank and not fun
- More PE X 2, fencing before worship
- Swimming X 2 as we only do it in Years 3 and 4, Swimming pool to have swimming lessons
- More fun lessons X 2
- More help on work because I sometimes get confused
- Write stories in English lessons because story writing is fun in my opinion
- More cooking lessons
- A painting lesson
- Turn the reading corner into a toy place
- The teachers should do fun work instead of hard.
- Do different things in fencing to practice more
- Tests because they are hard
- I don't want PE
- Go to the forest more often
- More PE
- Teach us basketball
- It's unfair that only Badgers go swimming, Squirrels can Hedgehogs should too
- We should take more than one reading book home
- Have lessons in other classes
- More books

#### PERSONAL DEVELOPMENT

- New clubs X 11 boxing, baking, help other people, karate, forest school , I'd like there to be a computing club, When people can't get into clubs because they are full they feel sad, rugby club as we would learn more
- All of Squirrels should be allowed on the top of the amphitheatre
- Have playtimes in the forest
- Have more playtimes on the field
- Not so much Christianity because some people don't believe in God
- More worship
- Have a park on the field with swings and slides
- Have our own pencil cases as our stuff magically disappears!
- More show and tell
- No spiders because they scare me
- To play games with the teachers
- I will change the plateau to grass
- Non see through bottles because I can have any bottle I like
- Worry box so people who are scared can be heard
- More film nights
- On a school trip I'd like to go to a horse farm - you get to feed and stroke them

### BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDES

- More playtimes X 17 if you are at the back of the pudding queue you get less playtime, we would get more fresh air, play more with our friends, they are too short and I get angry when they end, playtimes go too quickly, time to run around outside, I like playing outside
- Change the school uniform X 9- different to express our feelings, it's too dark, it's really dark, so we can be more comfortable, Change the school uniform to bright colours as I don't like dark colours
- More toys at playtimes X 6 - hula hoops, climbing frame, More toys at playtimes
- I'd like more tag days X 4- to raise money, perhaps every Friday
- Have more silent time X 2 - to be quiet
- Football every day at playtimes X 2
- Completing more fundraisers for charity X 2
- New books in the library
- Completing more fundraisers for charity-
- No more attendance awards as some people have illnesses and they need to take time off of school and they feel like they are letting their class down
- No football at playtimes as it's boring
- People
- Better food so it can be tasty
- Make the school kinder to the animals around the school
- Get better whiteboards because they are broken
- House points because when a house wins some says it's unfair.
- More camp nights - we only have one a year
- Dress up as Pudsey Bear
- More cups so more people are happy
- Have shorter basketball hoops so shorter people can play

### LEADERSHIP AND MANAGEMENT

- Don't want to change anything X 25
- Less school time - X 5 Finish school at 1:30pm on Fridays, have half days, less time at school
- A better sink because all of the sinks are dirty X2
- Have a pool
- Get a chance to vote what our topic is for next term
- More reliable laptops as the current ones always break and stop working
- More people in our school so we can have more friends
- More visitors to school to come and talk to us about their jobs
- Decorate the school
- Less school time - we have 6 hours, some other schools only have 4 hours
- Change how we do lunchtime - Years 3,4,5,6 play and then come in and eat lunch.
- Play leaders should buy more play equipment
- Have more events organised by school leadership groups like reading ambassadors