

Parent Survey Results - Autumn Term 2024

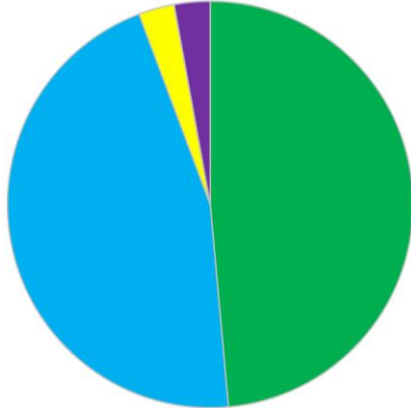


Our latest parent survey was carried out in the second half of the 2024 Autumn term. It was lovely to see such a positive response from our parents and carers. Whilst these responses give us at St. Mary's much to celebrate, we will also use them to further improve our school. Thank you to those that took part.

Key for graphs:

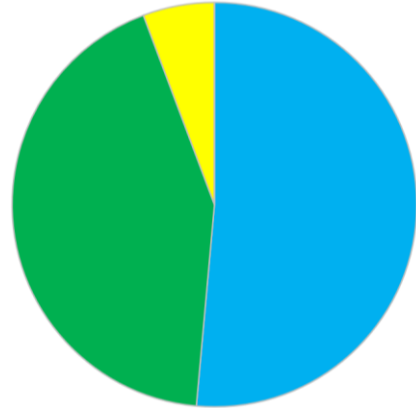
Strongly Agree ■ Agree ■ Disagree ■ Strongly Disagree ■ Don't Know ■

My child is happy at St. Mary's



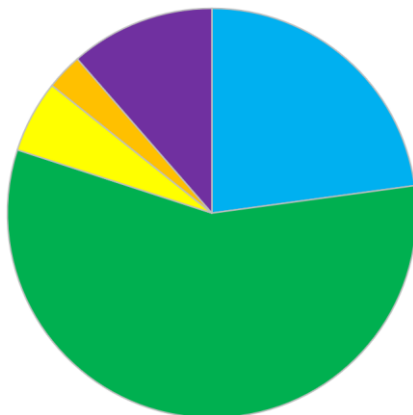
Strongly Agree/Agree = 94%

My child feels safe at St. Mary's



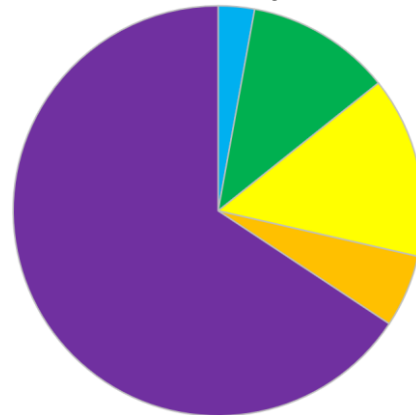
Strongly Agree/Agree = 94%

St. Mary's staff makes sure its pupils are well behaved.



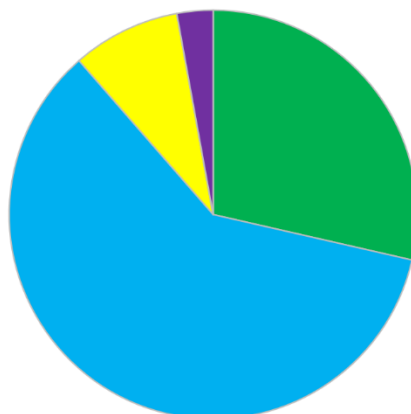
Strongly Agree/Agree = 80%

My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.*



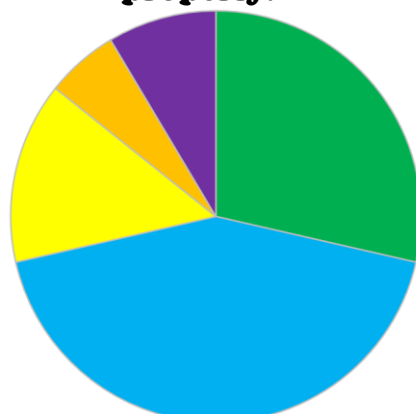
Strongly Agree/Agree = 14%

The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.



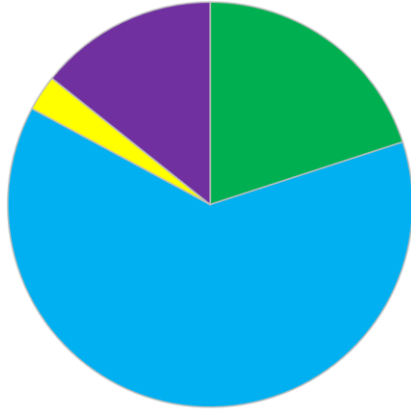
Strongly Agree/Agree = 89%

When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.**



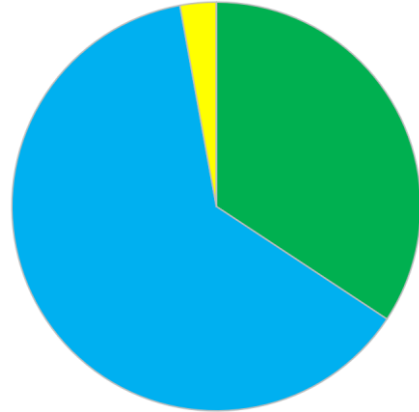
Strongly Agree/Agree = 72%

The school has high expectations for my child.



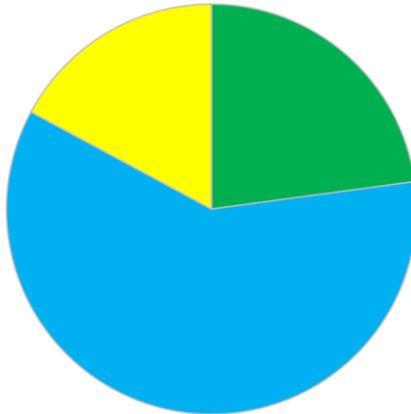
Strongly Agree/Agree = 83%

My child does well at St. Mary's.



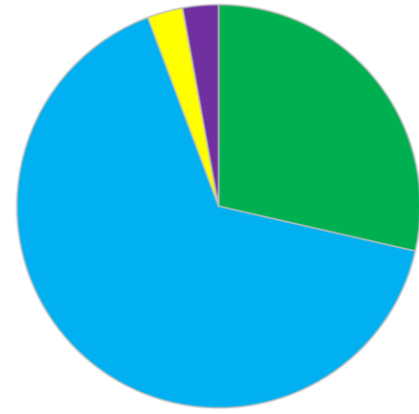
Strongly Agree/Agree = 97%

St. Mary's lets me know how my child is doing.



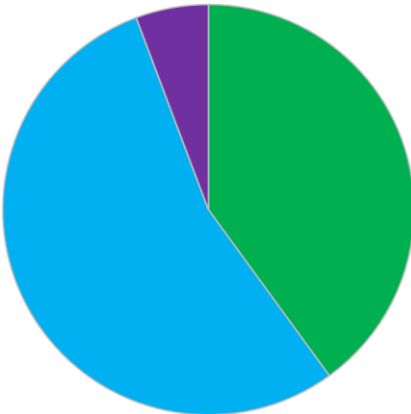
Strongly Agree/Agree = 83%

My child is taught a good range of subjects.



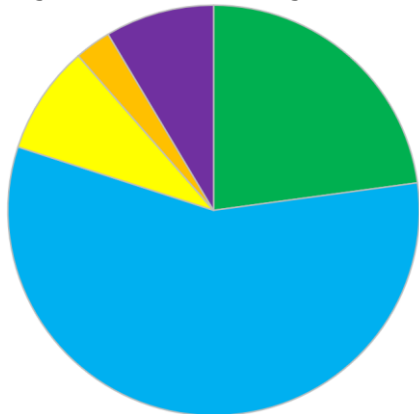
Strongly Agree/Agree = 95%

My child can take part in clubs and activities.



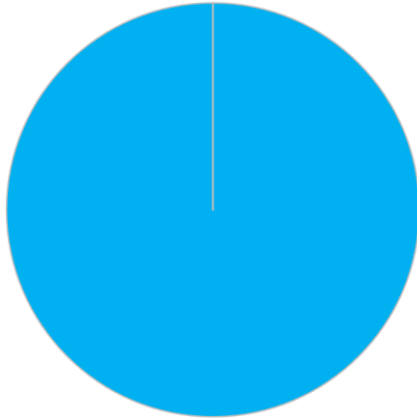
Strongly Agree/Agree = 94%

The school supports my child's wider personal development.



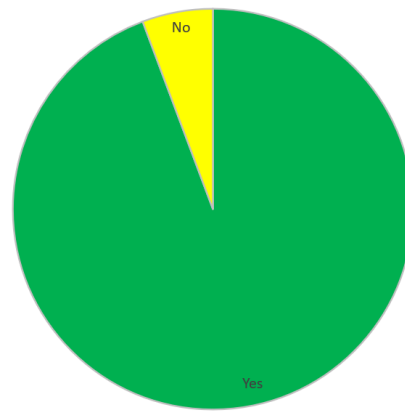
Strongly Agree/Agree = 80%

My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.



Strongly Agree/Agree = 100%

I would recommend St. Mary's to another parent.



Yes = 94%

Parent's Comments

What is working well . . .

- My child has thrived since coming to St Mary's
- Very pleased with everything at St Mary's, from the communication/organisation to the teaching and carefully planned curriculum. Our child is generally very anxious, however is flourishing at school and loves her time there and is really gaining in confidence. So far the reception teachers have made her feel safe and understood any struggles she may have, taking care to support her with these. We are so pleased with the progress she has made since starting in September.
- The school has a very calming and professional manner. My two children moved into the school this academic year and have said it better than their last one.
- I feel the school looks at children as a whole and not just their academic ability. They are very nurturing.
- Thank you for all you do for us!
- X is very well looked after at St Marys. He loves coming into school and loves learning.
- This year my children are so happy going to school. They are growing in confidence and enjoying being in class.
- My daughter has always been well looked after at the school.

Areas that parents have said could be better . . .

- Marking and feedback in some books
- Dealing with rough play outside
- Not having enough LSA support in classes
- Improving communication between school and parents
- Children with additional needs can take adult time too much

** Next annual parent survey will include the option 'My child has not been bullied'.*

*** Next annual parent survey will include the option 'I have not raised any concerns'.*

Progress made from our last Ofsted (in %)

Question asked	Ofsted Nov 2023	Nov 2024	Question asked	Ofsted Nov 2023	Nov 2024
My child is happy at this school.			The school has high expectations for my child.		
Strongly Agree	42	49	Strongly Agree	36	20
Agree	45	46	Agree	27	63
Disagree	3	3	Disagree	18	3
Strongly Disagree	6	0	Strongly Disagree	9	0
Don't Know	3	3	Don't Know	9	14
My child feels safe at this school.			My child does well at this school.		
Strongly Agree	55	51	Strongly Agree	36	34
Agree	30	43	Agree	39	63
Disagree	3	6	Disagree	12	3
Strongly Disagree	9	0	Strongly Disagree	9	0
Don't Know	3	0	Don't Know	3	0
The school makes sure its pupils are well behaved.			The school lets me know how my child is doing.		
Strongly Agree	27	23	Strongly Agree	24	23
Agree	52	57	Agree	39	60
Disagree	12	6	Disagree	15	17
Strongly Disagree	6	3	Strongly Disagree	12	0
Don't Know	3	11	Don't Know	9	0
My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.			There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.		
My child has not been bullied	64				
Strongly Agree	0	3	Strongly Agree	33	29
Agree	9	11	Agree	48	66
Disagree	15	14	Disagree	0	3
Strongly Disagree	6	6	Strongly Disagree	6	0
Don't Know	6	66	Don't Know	12	3
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.			My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.		
Strongly Agree	36	29	Strongly Agree	45	40
Agree	52	60	Agree	42	54
Disagree	6	9	Disagree	6	0
Strongly Disagree	6	3	Strongly Disagree	6	0
Don't Know	0	3	Don't Know	0	6
When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.			The school supports my child's wider personal development.		
I have not raised any concerns	30				
Strongly Agree	18	29	Strongly Agree	30	23
Agree	21	43	Agree	42	57
Disagree	15	14	Disagree	9	9
Strongly Disagree	15	6	Strongly Disagree	12	3
Don't Know	0	9	Don't Know	6	9
My child has SEND, and the school gives them the support they need to succeed.			I would recommend this school to another parent.		
Strongly Agree	17	0	Yes	79	94
Agree	0	3	No	21	6
Disagree	50	0			
Strongly Disagree	33	0			
Don't Know	0	0			

NB: Ofsted 2023 based on 33 responses, Nov 2024 based on 35 responses