Ronald Tree Nursery School

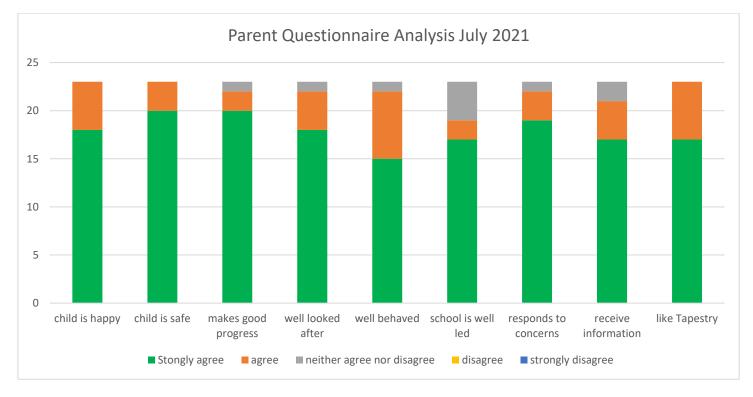
Parental Questionnaire Feedback Report 2020-2021 Academic Year

The questionnaire was issued to 114 families and 23 questionnaires (20%) were returned. This is one of the lowest return rates we have had; and we believe this is because of the distanced relationship that we had with parents during the academic year; i.e. the parents did not come into the school building due to the Covid 19 restrictions. We also believe that this has impacted on the results as parents did not see their child in the nursery setting other than through photographs and videos posted on their Tapestry account. The school remained open to all children during the January to March lockdown but many parents with older children who were off school chose to keep their children at home during the spring term.

The questionnaire asked parents to consider 9 statements relating to their perceptions of their own and their child's experiences of Ronald Tree Nursery School and rate them on a five point range from Strongly Agree to Strongly Disagree. These statements were taken from the Ofsted Parent View questionnaire to parents. The questionnaire also asked if parents would recommend the school to other parents and asked for any further comments and suggestions.

Statements

- 1. My Child is happy at this school; 18 respondents 'strongly agreed' (78%) and five parents 'agreed' (22%).
- 2. My child feels safe at this school: 20 parents 'strongly agreed' (87%) and three parents 'agreed' (13%).
- 3. My child makes good progress at this school: 20 parents 'strongly agreed' (87%), two parents 'agreed' (9%) and one parent neither agreed nor disagreed (4%).
- 4. My child is well looked after at this school: 18 parents 'strongly agreed' (78%) and four parents 'agreed' (17%) and one parent neither agreed nor disagreed (4%).
- This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved: 15 parents 'strongly agreed' (65%) and seven parents 'agreed' (30%) and one parent neither agreed nor disagreed (4%). 5.
- 6. This school is well led and managed: 17 parents 'strongly agreed' (74%) and two parents 'agreed' (9%) and four parents neither agreed nor disagreed (17%).
- This school responds well to any concerns I raise: 19 parents 'strongly agreed' (83%) and three parents 'agreed' (13%) and one parent neither agreed nor disagreed (4%). 7.
- 8. I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress: 17 parents 'strongly agreed' (74%) and four parents 'agreed' (17%) and two parents neither agreed nor disagreed (9%).
- 9. I like using Tapestry (online learning journey): 17 parents 'strongly agreed' (74%) and six parents 'agreed' (26%).



Statement Feedback Analysis

All respondents 'strongly agreed', 'agreed', or 'neither agreed nor disagreed' with all nine statements. None of the respondents disagreed with any statement.

There was an even split of questionnaires between children in years N2 (leaving to go to school in September 2021) and year N1. 13 questionnaires (56%) were returned from parents whose children attended for the universal 15 hours per week in the main nursery and nine questionnaires (40%) from parents whose children attended for 30 hours or more. One questionnaire (4%) was returned from a parent with a child in the Teddy Bear Room.

Recommendation of Ronald Tree Nursery School: 100% of respondents said they would recommend the nursery to another parent.

Further Comments

Parents were asked to comment on the school's response to the Covid 19 pandemic. Six parents did so.

Amazing!!! Thank you! All staff members are doing a fantastic job during the pandemic by keeping all children safe and secure in bubbles. Thanks for your support.

We'd like to give a big thanks to all the teachers who worked during this period.

Pandemic handled very well, ensuring rules are stuck to. Will look forward to children being allowed on their field trips and going out and about again. I was pleased when you changed the entrance groups as this has lead to no further self isolations which did have a big impact on happiness at nursery.

I was a little worried at first about dropping my daughter without a settling in visit with me present but it was lovely to be invited into the garden to meet her key person beforehand which eased my anxieties. My daughter handled it all well and had no issues starting nursery in January. I feel the measures in place have effectively kept us all safe.

Further Comments

Parents were invited to leave further comments or suggestions. 9 parents did so (40%). Many parents also sent thank you cards (including some of those with children in Year N1), left messages on the school Facebook page or commented on the reply slips for their child's end of year report. These comments thanked the nursery staff for the high quality of provision their children had experienced at Ronald Tree and these are listed on the following pages.

The staff at this nursery are amazing, they do above and beyond for the children and I could not thank them all enough. xx [My daughter] has enjoyed the Nursery very much. She has developed lots of new skills. Thanks for all your help and support that you have shown to her. Her report shows the real progress and development. Thank you.

I would like to thank all the staff at RTN for all the support, kindness and looking out for and teaching [my son].

I missed that I couldn't go in to nursery but I was so happy to always be able to see on Tapestry what my son was doing. He has improved a lot, thank you very much to all the teachers.

> I am very happy with [my son's] report and I am glad that he has learned so much and had such a good experience at nursery.

I would just like to say a huge thank you for everything you have shown, taught and above all looked after my son through 2020-2021.

It's nice to know how my child behaves at Nursery. I'm very pleased that her communication is on the right level as English is her additional language. Thank you. [My son] hasn't been coming to RTN that long, however he has settled in very well and loves all the outdoor area and all the staff are so supportive.

[My daughter] loves coming to nursery and tells us all about her day. She seems to have built a lovely relationships with the staff and is beginning to talk about her friends. Staff have all been really welcoming and supportive, helping her to settle quickly. [My daughter's] report is lovely to read and really captures her personality. She is growing in confidence and I am confident this will continue in September. She always tells us about how she has a lovely time at nursery and introduces us to her friends whilst waiting in the mornings. Although I would love to keep her home with me forever, I am so pleased that she has settled in well and found a place where she is welcomed, supported and able to learn and grow.

Thank you for a lovely report – you clearly know [my son] well and have built a very positive relationship with him during his time in nursery. We are so please with the progress he has made in all areas of the EYFS - a great start for his life at school. Thank you for all your hard work!

> My son is going to miss you all! He had such an amazing time in nursery! Thanks so much xx

Thank you for the great care and big energy put into learning and having fun. [My daughter] made big progress in her life!

> Thank you all so much for making my daughter's stay at the nursery a memorable and great one. She has had so much fun! I hope all the children enjoy big school!

We would like to thank you very much for the time our daughter spent in nursery. It was a great experience for her. she met wonderful ladies and made lovely friendships. Seeing she was happy after nursery was the best gift for us. Thank you so much for the care, concern and heart which you gave to our daughter and other children. We will always remember!

I am so grateful to you for your patience, enthusiasm and passion. I really appreciate your hard work. I want to express my sincere gratitude to all teachers who contributed to my child's growth and curiosity for learning. value your work so much. We will miss you all!

I am very pleased to read [my son's] performance in the nursery. The staff has really supported him very well. He enjoys coming to the nursery. Thanks for all your support.

We are very proud of [our son] as it wasn't an easy year. He developed beautifully and we are so grateful that you played a huge part in his life. He overcame many of his fears thanks to you. We are leaving sad.... But we are so happy that he did have the most wonderful experience in the crucial time of his life.

Lovely year! Thank you for the great care. You made my child happier when she went to nursery. You are the best. My son's report was amazing, I was so happy I cried. You have all helped him so much and I will forever be grateful, so thank you very much.

[My daughter] really like nursery, she make new friends and she likes all friends and teachers. She loves play in kitchen area. Lots of thanks to all staff. My child report is absolutely right. During her time at RTN she has learnt many good qualities. Her behavior is changed. She did a lot of progress while she learnt so many words, good habits etc. All credit goes to her key person Jackie and all supportive staff of nursery. Thanks a lot from the core of my heart for taking care of [my daughter] and preparing her for next school journey. She will miss you a lot.

We are very proud that [our daughter] has achieved so much in RTN. We are very happy with all the staff. Our daughter was always happy to go to your school. She enjoyed all the games. She is happy that she has made so many friends. We never worried about her. We will recommend your nursery school to all our friends. Thank you.

From the beginning of kindergarden I saw improvements in [my son] everyday, and that is thanks to teachers and children. [My son] is more independent, brave and dutiful. I want to thank you all for the care and patience given to my child, he will surely miss you all. I wish you all happy summer holiday! Thank you for everything! Thank you for your wonderful report. It must take so much time but it's so accurate. The report is fantastic, very clear to understand and spot on! Well done ladies! Thank you xxx