



Hovingham & St Hilda's
CE (VC) Primary Schools
Federation

Headteacher Mr J. Pynn MA NPQH



Dear Parents,

We are extremely grateful for the time and trouble you have taken in completing the questionnaire. It is very pleasing to have so many responses and that you judge we are doing many things very well.

We are never complacent and always seek to fully and swiftly address any concerns you may have.

As a school we have very high expectations of behaviour. Our behaviour policy can be found on our website. If you ever have any concerns, please speak with Mr Pynn.

Any suggestions of bullying will be thoroughly investigated and addressed in line with our anti-bullying policy which can also be found on our website. Again, if you ever have any concerns, please speak with Mr Pynn,

Our after-school club offer is frequently reviewed, and we hope to have an after-school sports club in the Spring – more details to follow. Please contact us to share suggestions regarding the types of club you would like us to provide. We will certainly explore this.

We are committed to promoting the personal development of all children in our school. Please speak with Mr Pynn to learn more about what we already do and to talk about how you feel our offer could be improved.

We would also like to respond to the suggested development areas.

- Assemblies with parents invited – After Christmas we are seeking to introduce a half termly celebration assembly which parents are invited to.
- Better involvement of parents / families in learning / feedback – Each class has a class page on the website which outlines plans for each term. Please do speak with your child's class teacher if you'd like further information about supporting learning at home and/or how well your child is doing in school.
- Swimming lessons – It is our intention that Key Stage 2 pupils will have swimming lessons in the summer term, as last year.
- PTA at St Hilda's – We remain very keen to establish a PTA. If you are able to take a lead role, do let us know.
- More sports / sports clubs – We have reviewed our PE scheme of work. If particular sports, as clubs, are of interest then again, please let us know.

- More and varied out of school activities - Please let us know what you have in mind. We would seek to explore this, subject to budgets / parental contribution.
- Breakfast club – In order to establish this, we would need assurances in terms of need and viability. Therefore, if it is of interest, do speak with us!
- This is also true with regards to establishing a full-time nursery.

Thank you again for your comments. We have an open-door policy, please continue to work with us to make our school the best it can be.

Mr Pynn (Headteacher) Mrs Almond (Chair of Governors)

Federation Questionnaire November 2019

St Hilda's, Ampleforth Summary of responses

Please Tick	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know	NA
My child is happy at this school.	10	11	0	0	0	0
My child feels safe at this school.	10	11	0	0	0	0
The school makes sure pupils are well behaved.	10	8	2	0	0	1
My child has been bullied and the school dealt with the bullying quickly and effectively.	0	3	2	0	2	13 1 NO REPLY
The school makes me aware of what my child will learn during the year.	8	11	1	0	0	1
When I have raised concerns with the school they have been dealt with properly.	6	8	0	0	2	4 1 NO REPLY
Does your child have special educational needs and/or disabilities?	YES 2		NO 19			

Please Tick	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
<p>If you answered 'yes' to the SEND question above please also respond to this statement;</p> <p>My child has SEND, and the schools gives them the support they need to succeed.</p>	0	2	0	0	0
The school has high expectations for my child.	8	12	0	0	1
My child does well at this school.	10	11	0	0	0
The school lets me know how my child is doing.	10	11	0	0	0
There is a good range of subjects available to my child at this school.	7	14	0	0	0
My child can take part in clubs and activities at this school.	3	11	5	1	0 1 COMMENT
The school supports my child's wider personal development.	6	11	2	0	2
I would recommend this school to another parent.	YES 21			NO 0	

<p>Please list 3 things that make you proud to be a parent at St Hilda's CE VC Primary School.</p>	<p>Approachable staff Quality of teaching and quality of admin team Dedication and care Adaptations School ethos Open door policy, happy learning environment (x3) Children happy Friendly atmosphere Enthusiasm of teachers All ages looking out for each other Safe learning environment Nice parents and children Vicar Close knit community offered by the school/ Community feeling Multicultural/multi-religious education Good relationships with churches Good staff pupil ratio (x3) Green Gang They know my child well OFSTED Most pupils well behaved</p>
<p>How would you like to see the school develop in the future?</p>	<p>More assembly events where parents are invited Better involvement of parents/families in learning (communication, feedback) Swimming lessons PTA at St Hilda's More sports / sports clubs More (and varied) out of school activities Breakfast club Full time nursery Blow your own trumpet more! To continue to be a nurturing place for all of its pupils and become even more a keystone in the community</p>