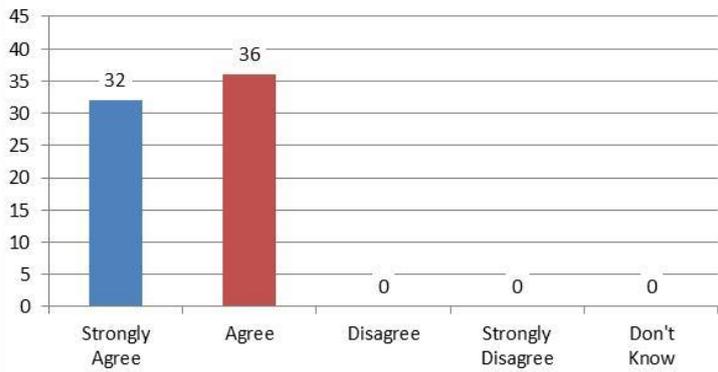


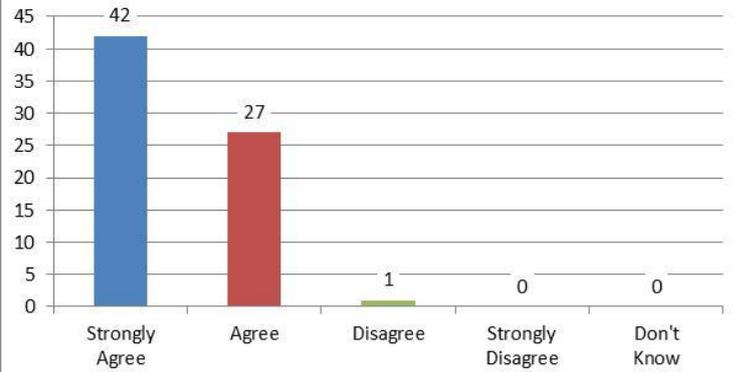
OFSTED PARENT VIEW QUESTIONNAIRE RESULTS

YEAR 11 PARENTS EVENING, MARCH 2016 (70 RESPONSES IN TOTAL)

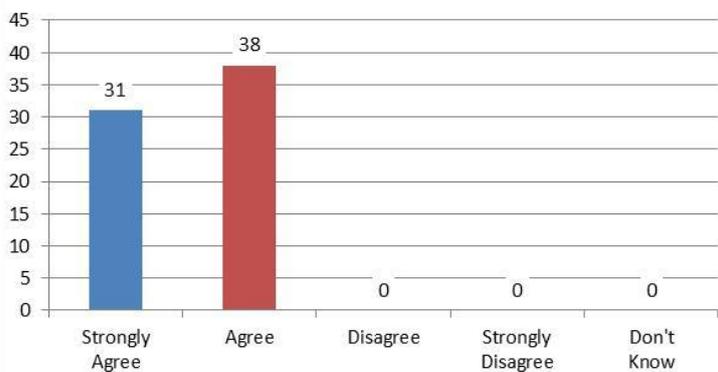
1. My child is happy at this school



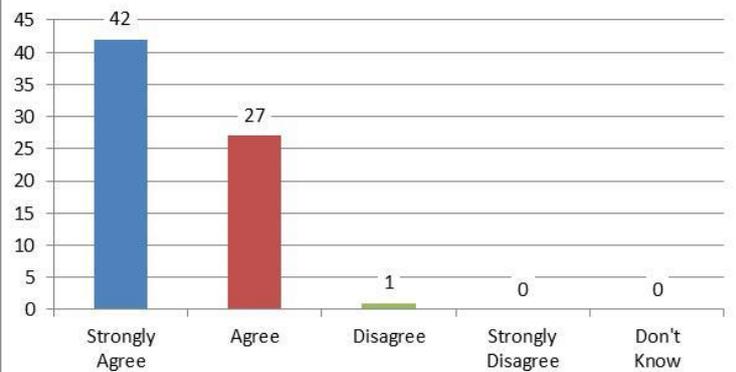
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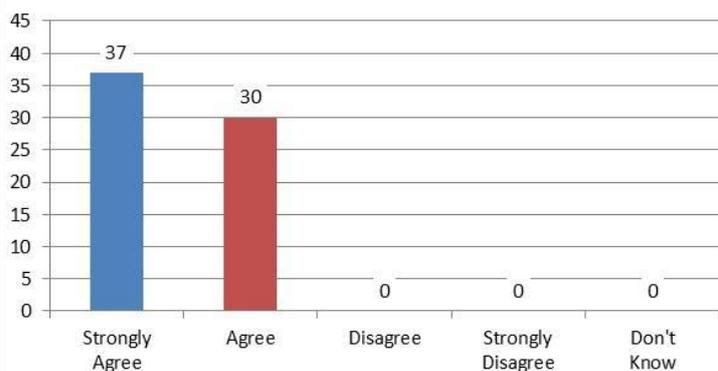
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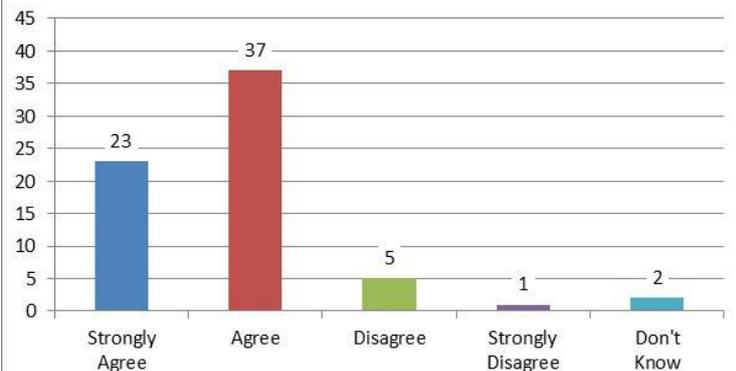
4. My child is well looked after at this school



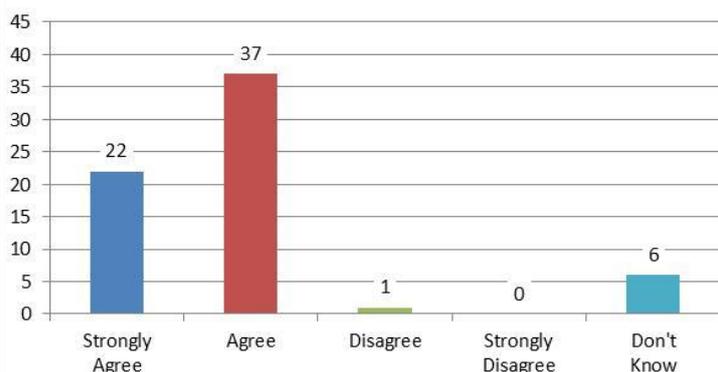
5. My child is taught well at this school



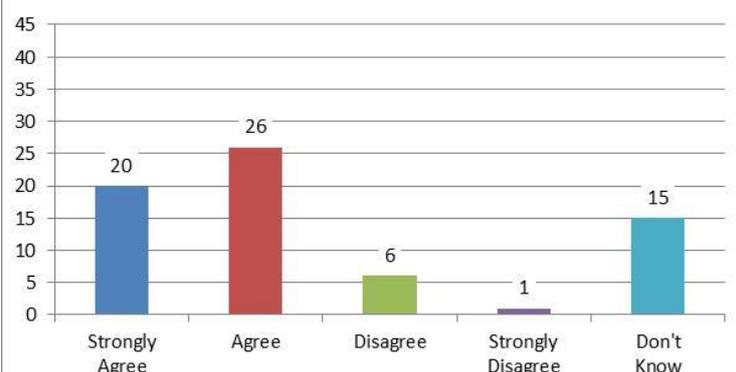
6. My child gets appropriate homework for their age

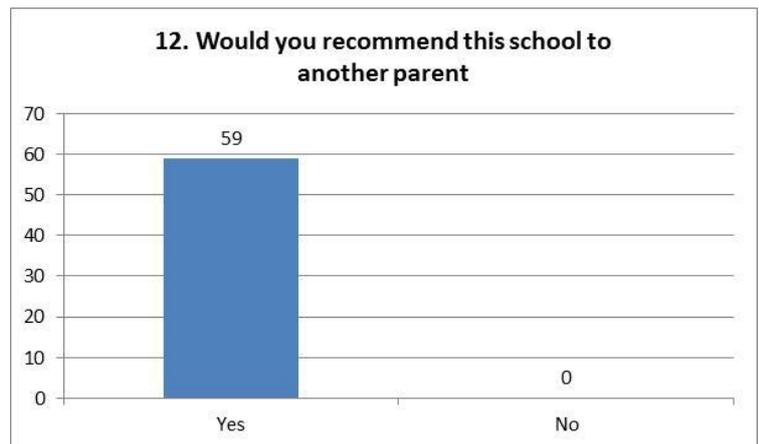
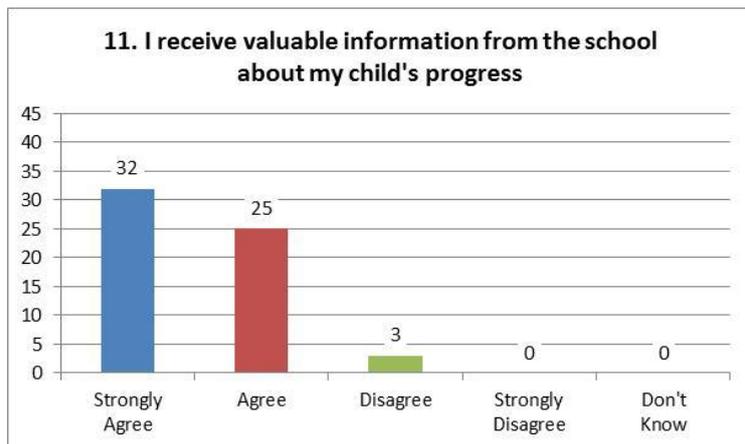
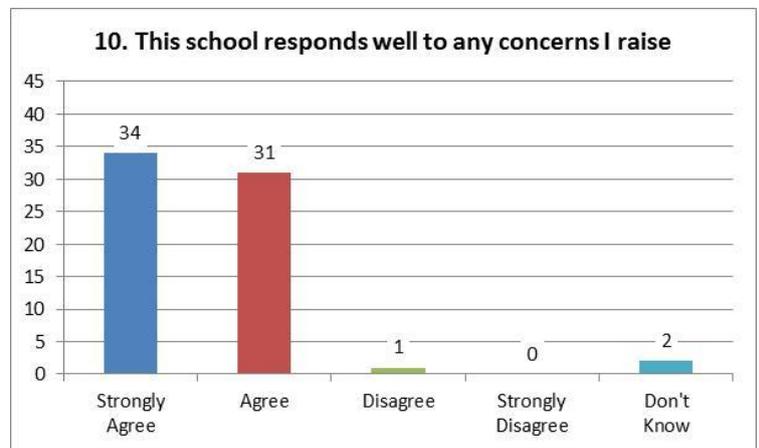
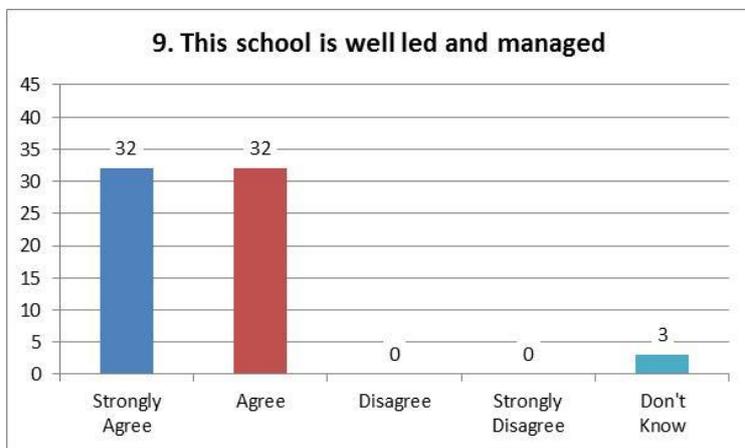


7. This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved



8. This school deals effectively with bullying





Additional Comments:

- **Students should go on work experience.**
Response from school: We agree as it gives pupils additional skills, but unfortunately all Lancashire schools are no longer able to offer this to pupils due to funding having been withdrawn. If a pupil is willing to set up their own placement during school holidays, we are happy to discuss this on an individual basis.
- **More time given to careers.**
Response from school: We are looking at how we can best provide impartial careers advice and guidance to pupils from Year 8 through to Year 11. We hold an annual careers fair and we do a mock interview day with local employers, but the majority of guidance is given to our Year 11 pupils. They have lots of careers advice from Runshaw College, Cardinal Newman, Winstanley College, Wigan & Leigh College, Blackburn College, Bolton College, in addition to talks from various universities. Year 11 pupils also receive regular updates from Miss Berry regarding careers & apprenticeships, and she is always willing to meet pupils and discuss their individual needs. We also take our Year 10 pupils to 3 local colleges for taster days in the summer term. Each year we look at our careers programme to see how it can be improved.
- [My son] is very happy at Parklands. The staff & leadership are of the highest standard, which has contributed towards his achievements and positive attitude to learning.
- [My son] has improved in all his lessons. His grades have got better; he just needs to carry on concentrating in lessons and doing his best.
- Thank you very, very much for all the hard work you have put in to making [my daughter's] school life the best she could have wanted.
- Pastoral care particularly good. [My daughter] felt confident and happy to talk about sensitive issues.
- Thank you for all the support you have given to [our daughter] and our family during her time at Parklands.
- Fantastic History, Law and RE teachers. Really impressed with their teaching style and approach.
- A fantastic school.
- **Parents need to be informed or given revision timetables for after-school clubs.**
Response from school: After-school revision sessions are communicated to parents via email, but the information is also on our website under Parents/Key Stage 4/Year 11 Revision Timetable
- I feel [my son] has had too much Art homework.
- We feel that during the course of [our daughter's] time at school, that there has not been enough homework set.
Response from school: The issue of homework is always contentious, in that some parents believe we set too much, some believe we don't set enough. We will look at the issue of homework (both frequency and quality) and address any concerns we find.
- As my granddaughter is Pupil Premium, she has been well looked after and well taught.
Response from school: Thank you very much. We hope we have used the extra funding from Government effectively to support all pupils entitled to this funding.
- I love this school! Always have (since I went here). This school always supports its students and each individual's needs. Bullying is not tolerated and is focussed on as soon as it becomes apparent. Thank you!!!