

Your voice counts! 18.19

You said...we did...

PARENTS



We would like you to improve written communication. We love MarvellousMe but would like some elements of printed communication too.

We would like to know how we can support our children better at school.

We would like to know more about our child's progress in school.

In this section there were a number of suggestions regarding homework and the way that your children are taught. We have previously held workshops, but these were not well attended. We will therefore schedule some open classroom sessions and look carefully at the communication of homework—ensuring that there is clear communication of task and due date.

The main focus of these comments were about the need for a printed calendar of events, access to printed newsletters by a very small few and a suggestion of an **outdoor noticeboard**. We will respond to these requests immediately. Each time there is a newsletter we will send the calendar **element in a paper format** in addition to MarvellousMe. The newsletter will also be displayed on a noticeboard at the front of school and by the KS1 door. (This cannot be ordered until after Easter). Also, there will always be a **small sample of printed letters next to the school office window**.

As a school we are expected to report three times a year on academic progress. We do this through two parents evenings and a final report. However, we will have a look at the design of the report used in the first two terms to ensure that it is giving you the feedback that have mentioned within your comments. This would be for action in the academic year 19/20. Please remember that you can request a meeting with your child's teacher if you ever have any worries or questions between these reports.

PUPILS



We would like some more before school activities. Only some of us like to go to Yoga and Karate.

Can we choose more activities and toys?

Pupils in KS2 are currently getting the opportunity to run a mile before school. They are building up to an equivalent of the London Marathon. We will repeat this again later in the year. This event has been great fun, well supported and is a brilliant way to start the day.

The PFTA have been working hard this year to include the pupils' voice in their choice of events—they have also surveyed your views as parents. They are acting on the children's requests for events to be held and additional resources to be purchased for lunchtimes.

Thank you for sharing your views