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The Grinling Gibbons and Lucas Vale Federation  
Executive Headteacher: Miss Jeanette Brumby

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To our lovely Lucas Vale families,

A massive thank you to the 63 parents who returned our questionnaire. Below are the results and the actions we are already taking to make Lucas Vale even better.

	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
My child is happy at this school	54%	44%	0	0	2%
My child feels safe at this school	48%	52%	0	0	0
My child makes good progress at this school	49%	44%	5%	0	2%
My child is well looked after at this school	40%	54%	2%	0	5%
My child is taught well at this school	51%	43%	2%	0	4%
My child receives appropriate homework for their age	38%	51%	8%	0	3%
This school makes sure its pupils are well behaved	38%	51%	2%	2%	7%
This school deals effectively with bullying	25%	44%	2%	3%	25%
This school is well led and managed	37%	37%	6%	0	20%
This school responds well to any concerns I raise	33%	54%	8%	0	5%
I receive valuable information from the school about my child's progress	41%	46%	8%	2%	3%
	<b>YES</b>		<b>NO</b>		<b>DON'T KNOW</b>
Would you recommend this school to another parent?	<b>81%</b>		<b>16%</b>		3%

We are aware that progress for some of your children has not been quick enough. We are working hard to ensure the quality of teaching for learning is at least good in all classes. Teachers are working hard to develop their knowledge of how your children learn best in order to make this happen.

I am aware that your concerns and your children's concerns haven't always been listened to, again, we are making sure this is happening. I always make sure there is a follow up conversation with you and your child after a situation has been dealt with.



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Behaviour has been a big issue at Lucas Vale. It's still not as good as it's going to be but it's a lot better than it was. We are consistently applying our behaviour policy and talking to parents all the time so you can support at home too. If your child is the victim of any bad behaviour we will speak to you and let you know the consequences of that behaviour for the other child. You will see the changes this year.

We know that the school needs stronger leadership. We have made some new appointments and all of our leaders are learning quickly. Mrs. Cobblah, your new head, is very passionate about growing strong leaders.

Hopefully you have noticed the improvement in school/parent communication. Our door is always open if you have any problems and letters sent home should give you information about the learning and any upcoming events. We are trying to give you more notice for events.

We aim for 100% of you to feel confident enough to recommend our school. We will work hard to achieve this. Another questionnaire will come out in July to see if we have been successful.

Thank you for your comments about the workshops. The three repeated requests were reading (hopefully you came to that one last week), phonics (these have started with Mr. Wills- look out for them) and online safety- these are coming- we will let you know.

One parent asked for better quality clubs for the children after school. We are going to look at how we can develop this provision by providing more clubs led by external specialists on our school site.

As always, please do come and see me if you have any worries or you feel I haven't addressed any of the issues in our questionnaire.

Best wishes,

Jeanette Brumby