The Hayfield School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete our recent *ParentKind* survey. We greatly value the views of parents and carers, and your feedback plays an important role in helping us continue to improve the experience we provide for students and families at The Hayfield School.

We received responses from 265 parents and carers, giving us a strong and meaningful picture of parent views across the school. Overall, the findings are very positive. 84% of respondents said they would recommend the school, with many families recognising the caring, supportive and purposeful environment we work hard to create each day.

Parents spoke particularly positively about many of the things that matter most in a school. The strongest feedback related to behaviour, safety, student happiness, the wider opportunities available through clubs and activities, and the overall quality of education students receive. We are especially pleased that enrichment opportunities were so highly valued, alongside the confidence parents have in the school as a safe and well-ordered environment in which young people can thrive.

Alongside these strengths, the survey also highlighted some areas where we can continue to improve. In particular, parents told us they would value clearer communication, a greater understanding of what their child is learning, and more opportunities to feel involved in school life. This is helpful feedback and gives us a clear sense of where to focus our efforts next.

As a result, our next steps will centre on three key priorities:

- Making communication clearer, more consistent and easier to navigate
- Helping parents better understand curriculum learning and how to support at home
- Creating more opportunities for parents and carers to engage with school life and share their views

We are grateful for the honesty and thoughtfulness shown in the responses. The survey confirms that there is much to celebrate, while also helping us identify how we can strengthen our partnership with families even further.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support of The Hayfield School.

Yours faithfully

Mr S Wilson
Deputy Headteacher