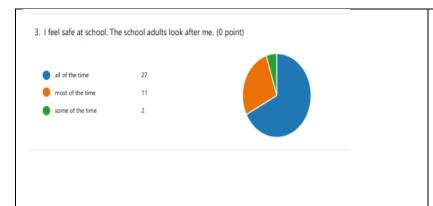
Pupil Questionnaire Spring 24

Thank you for filling out the questionnaire.



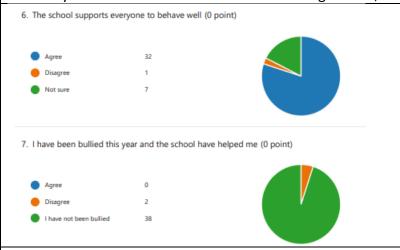
You told us that you are finding the electronic gate too slow to close at playtimes. We have now changed the use of the gate when you are out at play. All visitors will use the main gate which can be quickly opened and secured by a key. Most of your comments were about having good friends and teachers who look after them. There were some comments about ongoing relationship issues from Y6 pupils which we are aware of and trying to support you with.

2. I am proud to belong to Newton Burgoland School because

'We have really fun lessons and everyone does really good schoolwork, we also go on really fun trips and I am proud to represent our school at any competition or show.'

'We go on a lot of school trips that are educational I think that this is a good and fun way for us to learn. We have celebration assembles which is really nice. We are more educated than some other schools and I think that is something to be proud about.'

Most of your comments were similar mentioning friends, kindness and teachers that care.

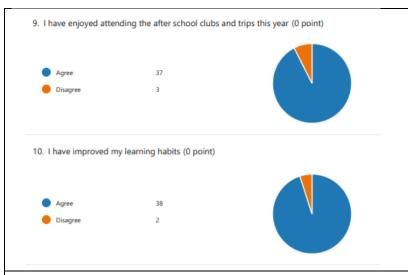


We are really proud of how you behave but we know things are not always perfect. Bullying can and does happen as does behaviour just short of bullying. I hope that we can continue to work with you to resolve your concerns.

8. What does equality mean to you?

You have shown us that you really understand the importance of equality.

- Even if you are different you are treated like everyone else.
- That everyone should be treated the same even though we are all different, you cannot treat someone differently because of their protected characteristics.
- You can be who you want to be.
- Celebrating differences.



We are continuously looking at our trips and after school clubs. We were able to offer Clay Creators in the Autumn term to give you some variety. With the additional space in the Rainbow Room we are hoping that those of you in class 4 who want to, can organise and run clubs at lunchtimes this term.

It would be good to get some ideas from you about what you would like.

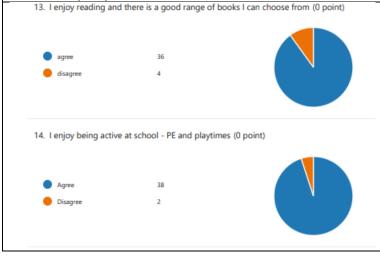
Learning is important because

- It is important to learn and we wouldn't get anywhere in life if we didn't go to school.
- It helps you get a good job and be an achieving person.
- It teaches us to respect and be kind.
- We learn new things and we learn from our mistakes.

You are ambitious and aspirational, you know the value of learning. I am impressed.

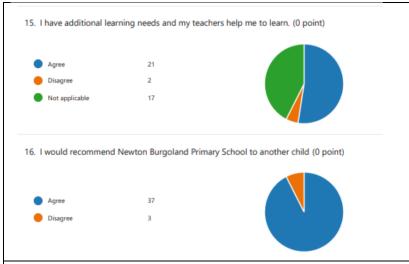
- 2. What does it mean to be Noticeably Newton
 - Being extremely incredible at school every day all day.
 - I think it means being kind and taking good care of each other and take pride in our work.
 - Being your best at all times. You have to be responsible, respectful, and ready to learn.
 - It means that you must always be kind and respectful.
 - Treat people how you want to be treated and respect others.

You are truly Noticeably Newton and I am proud to be your head teacher. You amaze me and make me smile every day.



We have worked hard to increase the range of books available. We are always happy to receive suggestions from you about books to be included in class reading areas.

Please tell us how we can help. We know it is always better when we can use the Wraggy but we are happy to try to help.



I would like to know more about what you feel you need to help you succeed and why some of you would not recommend our school to other children so we can try to improve.

What would you do to make our school even better?

- We could have some more clubs at break time as it is a bit boring as they only do football which isn't fair. We could have a table so that we can see what we are doing each day.
- Year 3 and 4 to be allowed to on the back playground has well as year 1 and 2.
- Going on the Wraggy more.
- Nothing its perfect.

We know our playground is small but I agree sometime football takes over a lot of space. We have tried children being allowed to go into any playground but this can make one space too crowded. In the past, only a few pupils have been left to clear up when the bell goes. I think it would be helpful for our sports ambassadors to plan some different sports activities for the front playground.

Message from the Chair of Governors

Our school is a high preforming team which includes the children, staff, parents and governors. It is clear that all members of that team respect and support each other and that together they are greater than the sum of the whole.

Whenever I visit school or hear feedback from trips and visitors, I am reminded of how special our school is. Earlier this year a team of visiting headteachers said:

- There is a calm and friendly atmosphere and the pupils are cheerful, polite and happy in school. It is evident straight away that the culture and ethos ensure that everyone is welcome, everyone is special and everyone is a winner.
- Pupils behave respectfully towards each other and conduct themselves well in and around school. Pupils are
 engaged in their learning and from the outset know the routines and are immersed in the qualities to be
 'Noticeably Newton'.

When I spoke to class 4 about coastal erosion to support their learning in geography I was impressed by their knowledge and desire to find out more. Some of their knowledge was on par with secondary or degree geography. This is borne out by the feedback we got from the Bradgate Park Ranger on a recent field trip who said that in his 5 years in the job, our class 4 group were by far the best he'd had.

Both parent and pupil surveys are a means of communication about what we can do together, to be even better. We need to keep getting better because we can!

Thank you for your support, the Governing Board really do appreciate it.