

Autumn 2015	
You Said...	So we...
You would like to discuss the snack shop at parent forum	Had this as an agenda item and made changes accordingly
You are really happy with the new homework arrangements	Are planning to continue and build on this success
You would like clearer communications around the peripatetic music lessons	Have a member of staff who will be focusing on that this year
Your year 3 children have settled really well into their new school	We will continue with our transition programme with our year 2 colleagues
You like the new on-line version of the ladders but can see that there is still room for improvement	Are continuing to work with School Explained to help them implement as many changes as possible
You are still unsure about the school's policy on homework	Are continuing with our plan of two teachers running an action group this year to review this aspect of teaching and learning
You have really valued the Parenting Course but would love to see it run in the evening	Have made adjustments to Mrs Evans' timetable so that the summer term course can be run in the evening
Your children are loving having Sheldon as a pet	Are delighted but not planning to get another one! The classes are on a rota to look after him!
Spring 2016	
You are really pleased with the new homework system and how much clearer it is	Are pleased there is so much improvement but will continue to tweak this
Can the school do anything about the way that people drive and park outside of the school gates?	We have no control over what happens outside of the gates and it could cause huge legal issues if we were to go out and direct traffic etc. Instead we encourage to report any poor driving to the local police.
You are not sure about the approach to spelling that we are taking although you know that we were trialling different methods in the autumn term	We are nearly there. We spent an INSET day looking at this and some staff meetings. We have a parent information evening later this term where we will be able to present the finished product.

<p>Can we look at more after school clubs, especially those that are not sporty ones.</p>	<p>Explained that there are a large number of 'clubs' in the form of the pupil voice groups which take up lots of the teachers time (see the banner in Reception) and involve a larger number of children. Most staff are unable to manage an after school club too. However, we have said we will look at any outside providers who could run a club after school that could parents would need to pay for their child to attend.</p>
<p>Summer 2016</p>	
<p>You Said...</p>	<p>So we...</p>
<p>You would like the Year 5 residential be extended.</p>	<p>Have made Fairthorne Manor into a two night trip.</p>
<p>Following the Year 2 to 3 transition process you made some suggestions as to how that can be further improved.</p>	<p>Are going to put those into place for next year.</p>
<p>You were still not sure about how the spellings were working now there is a new policy.</p>	<p>Asked teachers to send out regular reminders of how the system works rather than one set of instructions at the start of the year. There is also more information on the year group pages on the website.</p>
<p>You had some concerns over school to school support and how that would impact on your child's teacher potentially being out of class.</p>	<p>We ran an information evening to explain what the expectations are for members of staff and how school to school support might work.</p>