



Dear Parent/Carer,

Parent/Carer & Pupil Questionnaires 2016 – Your Views Count!

Every year the Governing Body, Head and Senior Leadership Team, ask for your feedback on key issues to help assess Greenway's performance and to assist with planning for the future. Thank you for last year's feedback, which we shared with you and which is published on the school website. It was incredibly positive and constructive.

This year, following discussions with our Parent Forum members, we have kept the pupil survey almost unchanged, but would like to trial a different approach for our parents and carers, as set out below. Please give it a go and make sure you have your say again this year.

Parent/Carer questionnaire (one per family)

This year we would like to hear directly from you on 3 key questions only. Then in place of the other questions we usually ask, we would like you instead to register and complete OFSTED's short Parent View Survey.

Once OFSTED has sufficient responses for Greenway, it will publish its own analysis on the OFSTED website which you will be able to see and which we will also be able to use.

We have aimed to make the process as simple as we can. Use this link to complete our 3 questions, then follow the link at the end of that survey which will take you directly to the OFSTED Parent View site: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/greenwayparent2016>

- Note that this year, you will only need to complete one parent/carers survey (both ours and OFSTED's) regardless of the number of children you have at Greenway.
- Once you are registered with OFSTED's Parent View, you will be able to answer a survey for each school at which you have a child (should you have children at other schools as well).

Pupil questionnaire (one per child)

Nursery, Reception and Year 1 parents/carers only, please support your child/ren in those years, to complete the survey at home. Please ensure that a separate survey is completed for each of your children in Nursery, Reception and/or Year 1 using this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/greenwaypupil2016>

Year 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 children will all complete their survey in lesson time at school. Children in these years should **not** complete the survey at home.

Please let the school office know if you have any problems with accessing the links.

The surveys are now open! You have until **Easter Monday (28th March)** to give your feedback and to support your child/ren to give theirs if they are in Nursery, Reception and/or Year 1.

Yours faithfully,
Katharine Ellwood, Head Teacher
Elizabeth O'Reilly, Chair of Governors

