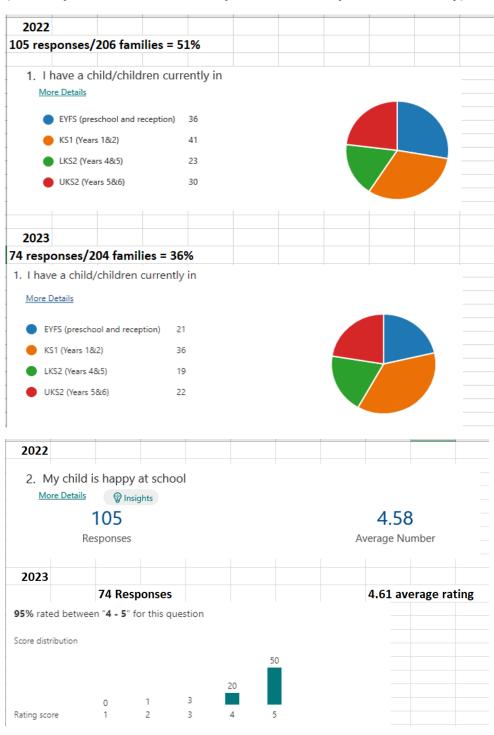
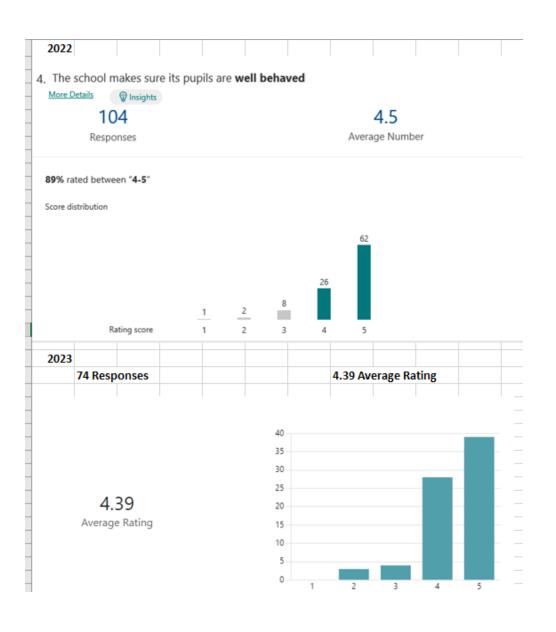
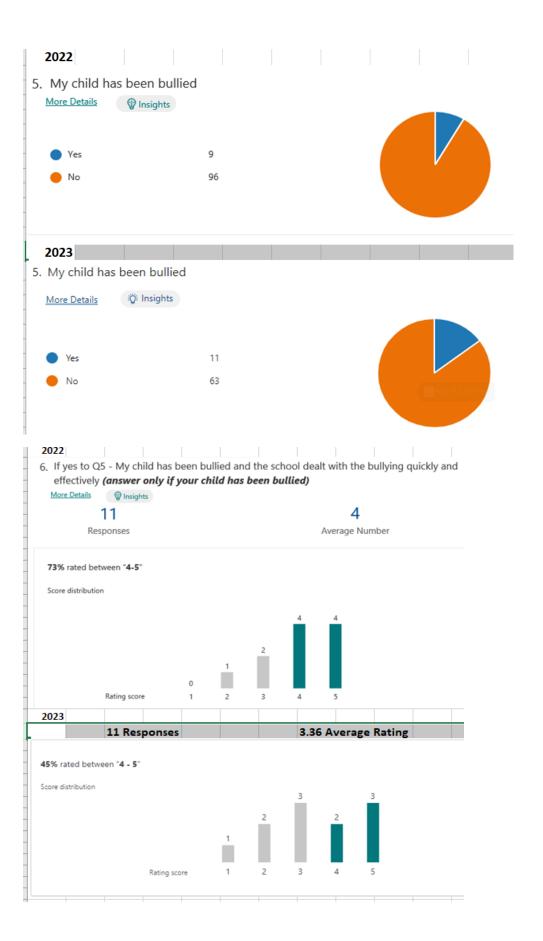
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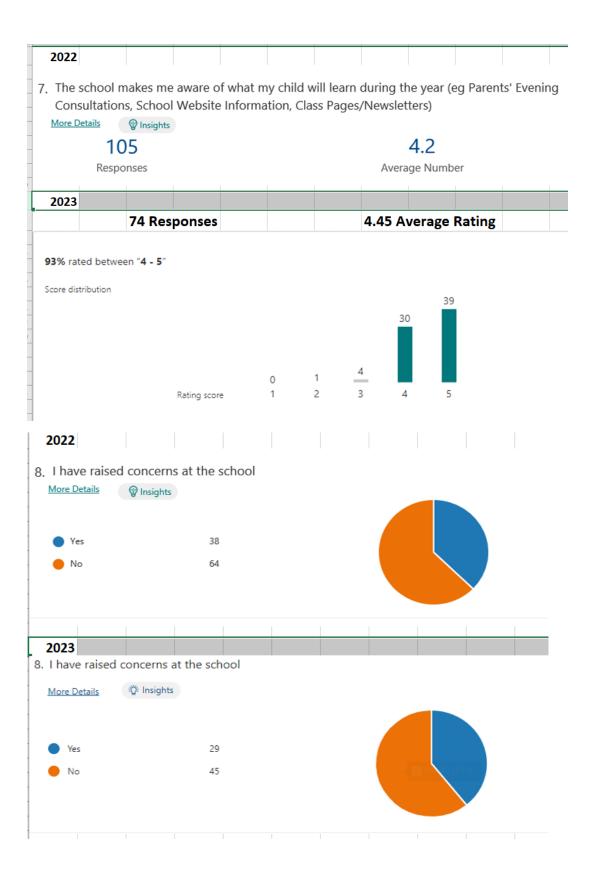
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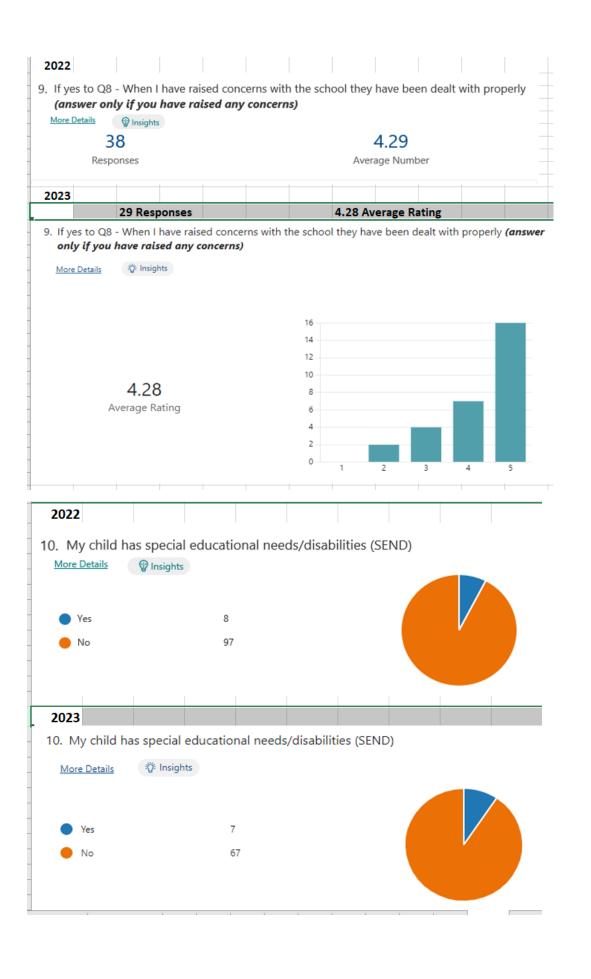


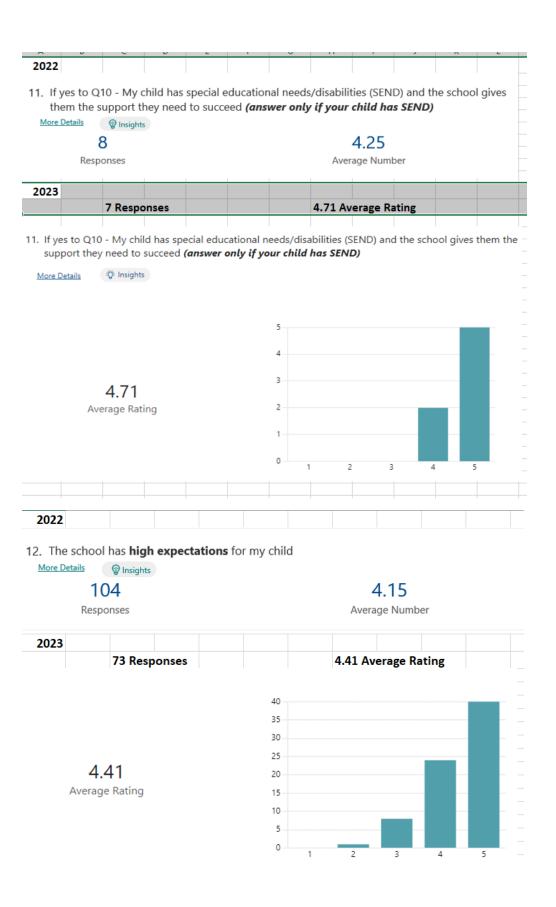


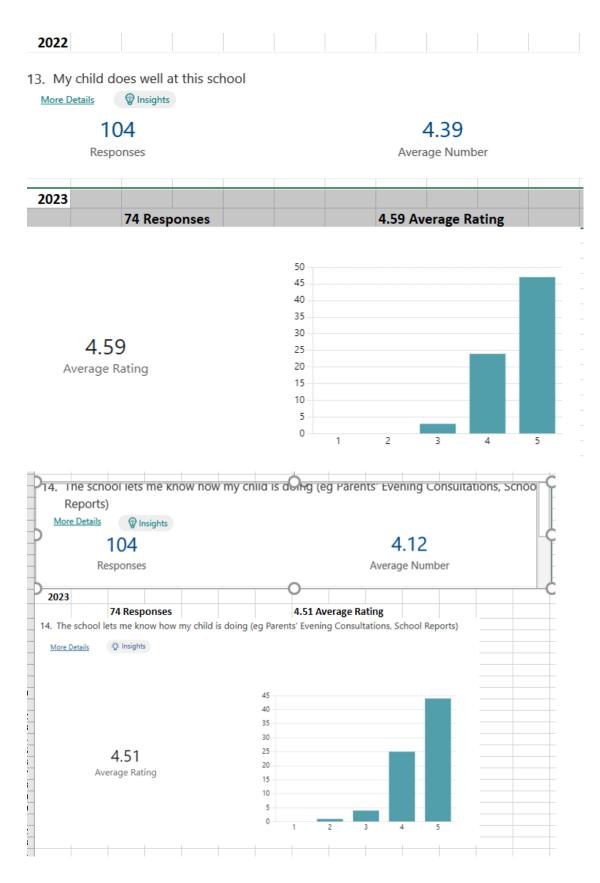


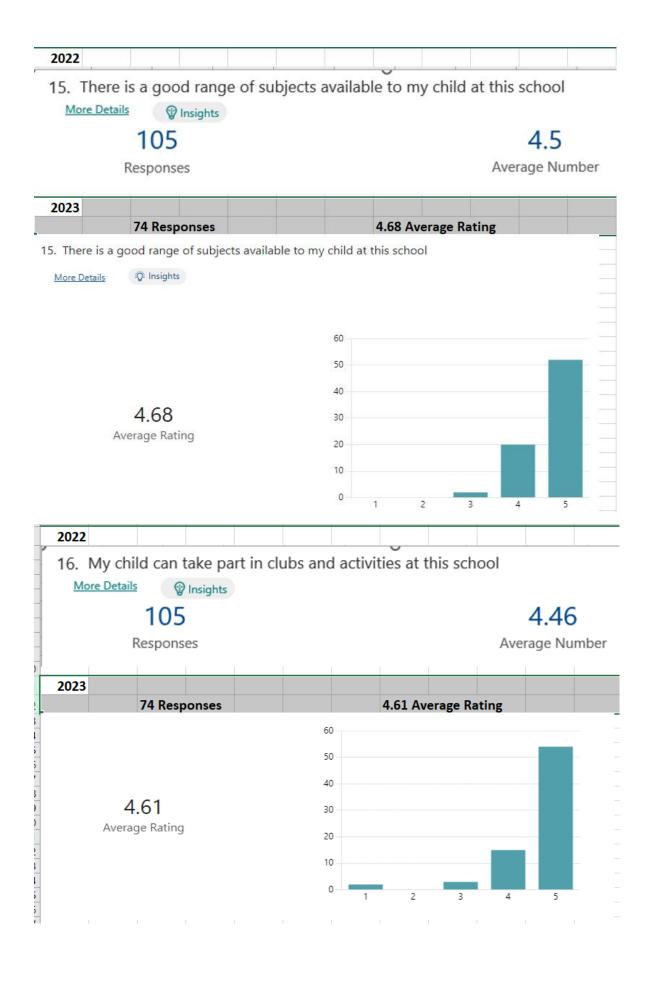


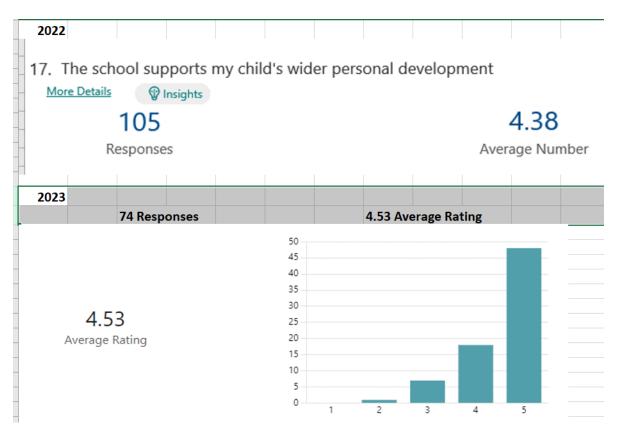


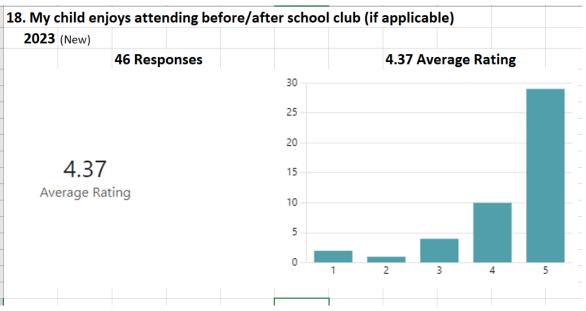


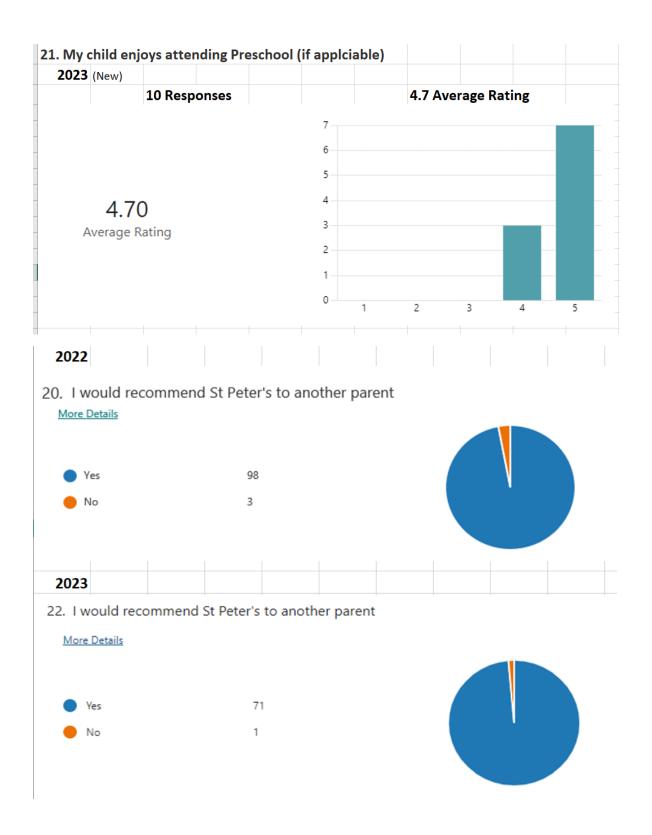












What do you think are the POSITIVES about St Peter's?

Small and friendly so teachers get to know the children well. Great PTA.

A wide variety of extra-curricular activities for all children to have a go at, consistency of staff-the teachers seem to stick around! I love how the different year groups are encouraged to interact and take care of each other. The strong sense of belonging that the children have.

Amazing Teachers, genuine care by the Head and the team. Range of activities and clubs. Knowing that if there was a problem I could address it, and feel assured that it would be taken seriously. Amazing, supportive Teachers, who genuinely care, a great Head Teacher who cares, and always promotes the school's values.

Caring environment, great staff overall and a positive can do attitude of all involved make it great.

Caring teachers and supporters

Caring to both the children and parents, very available for communication when needed, lots of school events that make it feel like a community

Community spirit, good values

Consistency of staff, clear values, curriculum.

Engagement

extra activities

Extra-curricular activities

Family feel, good core values, very caring environment

For me, the staff and teachers are caring and considerate, and the children are at the heart of what the school does and hopes to achieve.

Friendly caring take care environment. Strong morals and values.

Friendly, bright atmosphere. Both my children enjoy going to school.

Good staff retention, well behaved children, family feel

Good teachers, wide range of clubs

Great staff who know their children really well.

Great teachers, supportive parents

Great, passionate teachers. Brilliant extra-curricular activities and opportunities. Encouraging and lovely village school

Head Teacher, child happy overall, good school community

Headteacher, all teachers and staffs are helpful and nice, school environment is comfortable I like the Ethos of the school.

Inclusivity

It has very nurturing and approachable staff and has created a great learning environment for my children.

It is a local village school but it has changed hugely over the past 4 years. We have a younger child who we are considering sending to a different school as it has become too large.

Lots of opportunities to take part in. Great staff.

Lovely teachers, great management & overall wonderful school that teaches children so much! Most teaching staff very holistic in their approach to pupils, great range of activities and lunchtime clubs.

My children enjoy life in school as teachers are empathetic, sincere as well as courteous.

My children enjoy school. Excellent lunch (including for allergies), inclusive, supportive, approachable.

Rounded/Good range of fun, behavioural and subject teaching

School Values (on hand/fingers)

Staff are great

Take care

Take care ethos and presence of headteacher at the gate morning and afternoon.

Take care school

Teachers

Teachers and values

The caring, take care environment. The encouragement of good manners and behaviour. The friendly, approachable and hardworking staff.

The rich curriculum on offer and sports/extra-curricular clubs available (after school and lunch) the school feels inclusive and the teachers have a really positive approach to teaching

The staff really care about the children and get to know them as individuals

The strong values the school pass onto all the pupils

The take care ethos. We like that it isn't all about the academic side and encourages the children to be proud of themselves and kind to others.

The teachers and staff are always friendly and welcoming

The values/culture of the school.

Their values, culture and care from the teachers - we think it's a great school

There is a genuinely positive atmosphere created where it feels like the children are really cared for both academically and in developing their personal growth

They care about the children and their learning. Everyone is very approachable.

They genuinely care about each child and have ensured they have all settled in. Any issues are dealt with immediately and communication is great.

Values good, communication good between parent and teacher when needed

Values taught and modelled, participating in sports/ arts, high expectations on behaviour, openness Values taught to pupils

Values, communication, extra circular activities

Values, the efforts of the staff, the opportunities that they create for the kids, and the general happiness of all children who attend

Very caring teachers, goals for child to improve and support to achieve these goals Very friendly and supportive towards my child

How can we make further improvements to St Peter's?

Better communication in advance with parents/ sometimes things seem a bit last minute!

Better communication regarding the curriculum and the child's progress. Ability to contact class teacher directly when the child is missing classes. Language provision, even as an after school club. Better outdoor play time

Continue as you are.

I worry that sometimes the same children get picked for the same things and whilst some children may not put their hand up to take part, the responsibility such as house captains etc would enable them the belief that they're not only good at sports for example. Maybe a school council or something would be good. I would have liked my eldest to have had a residential this year. He hasn't had one since Year 2.

If able, to push Child to achieve more than capable

It would be nice not to have to queue around the streets for school collection, but I understand why. It's perfect if St Peter's builds a great website with eye-catching photos showing what our children did in school.

Letting us into the playground before 8:30 having the gates open from 8 to save everyone standing near a busy road

Limit intake numbers to avoid disruption to class sizes. Going from 2 classes to 3 classes every other year causes a huge amount of disruption to the same younger children who are always placed in the mixed year class. This causes a large amount of trouble with friendships and causes isolation. Not all children have to go through this which is unfair to those who are affected.

Make links to school curriculum more obvious. Offer foreign language classes. Improve diversity More capacity for after school clubs especially for music learning

More diversity in the staff or authority figures, especially from BAME backgrounds more involvement in the community, more proactiveness in terms of evolving the school and its capabilities

More opportunity for the kids to play football at breaks

More play equipment in the playground.

More regular communication about what the children are learning/doing even if generic and not specific to my child (e.g class learning)

More learning time outdoors. Some Year groups don't currently have a last outdoor play, I'm not sure why? I would love all the outdoor space to be utilised more effectively for more outdoor learning and more play. It would be great if the school could use the field for free play as well as PE.

Not automatically take staff account of events when there is a question of their conduct versus the child's account. This teaches the child it is futile to speak out against being treated unfairly by an adult which is dangerous if children are subject to anything serious concerning their wellbeing. Nothing

Perhaps be more reliable at answering emails sent into the office. Also upgrading the application system for trips so that parents receive a confirmation email.

Perhaps clearer curriculum information available on the website. Some class pages are better than others so this could be improved.

Perhaps using one of the apps for school such as dojo or having an email contact for the class teacher to raise any concerns as it's not always possible to speak to the teacher at pick up

Playground is too small, class sizes too large

Possibly a bigger site! And the lunch time staff need to report what goes on at playground duty a bit more. It's sad we don't get any photos on the class pages since Reception, I appreciate privacy for those who don't want photos but they don't have to be in them. But be really nice to see a good collection every term.

Residential trips for all years in KS2

Smaller class sizes

Smaller class sizes! Listening more and acknowledging concerns raised about the way some staff behave towards pupils.

More support for children who are struggling with maths/spelling/reading.

Some class sizes are very large, class sizes to reflect a small village school

Take a firmer stance on bullying. Raise to Highway about traffic congestion for the school bus, etc. Targeted homework if students are struggling in a topic eg maths - give option to do more at home so that parents can support.

Teaching staff from diverse backgrounds. Better communication between teachers and parents, particularly electronically.

That's beyond my knowledge I'm afraid and I think it's a great school. As with all schools I appreciate that funding is a challenge but you do a fantastic job with what you have.

The children enjoy the events/trips so perhaps more of these. Less unhealthy treats given out + only healthy desserts offered for school dinners.

The Jacket potato ordering system can be a bit frustrating as I've ordered in the past and then my child has been told she's not on the 'list.' I trust my child to order a jacket potato if they want one, I don't understand why the school doesn't.

To have more clubs/ activities

Use of outside space - investing in play equipment. More open days for parents to come in and view work.

Would love to see more photos on the class pages, (but I understand that there may be reasons for this)

Any comments about St Peter's Preschool? (if your child is currently attending Preschool)

All staff are caring and kind to students

My child loves attending the pre school at St Peter's and has formed some very strong relationships with his classmates.

I'd like there to be more outside or Physical Activity built into the pre-school activities My daughter loves Preschool, they are very supportive of her additional needs Very approachable. Some dedicated grass play area would be beneficial.

What are your hopes for the future of St Peter's?

Continue to attract good teachers and results. More development around IT skills in school.

Continue to have a close family mentality and promote core values

Continue to stay kind and take care

Continued excellent teaching and support

continues to build on the ethos of the school and strengthening personal development

Goes from strength to strength

I hope that the class sizes don't increase beyond manageability. I hope it continues to feel like a safe, secure environment where all the staff seem to know all the children really well.

I hope the school will continue to support my child in the remaining 2 years of primary school, which are very important.

It continues to be a great school lead by Mr Tomlinson

It doesn't change or get any bigger. Class sizes are at the max.

Keep doing what you're doing

More space in playground and/or more use of park for PE and playtime.

No more split classes.

Not to keep extending class sizes, continue to place value on kindness and community values.

Reduced class sizes better playground facilities

That children's happiness is at the heart of everything along with the academics

That is continues to grow and turns into a secondary school.

That it continues to be the caring and nurturing environment it is now. My children love school and always want to go and they live to learn.

That it continues to excel and continues its lovely atmosphere and environment

That my children continue to grow and see their full potential.

That the school continues to grow and thrive, and get the funding you deserve!

That the school continues to provide an excellent, safe, enjoyable, nurturing environment for those children who attend.

That the school continues to the thrive and attract promising teachers and students alike.

That we keep with the same ethos, great academic results and that we don't grow too big in size.

The continuation of excellent teaching

to be a unique school in terms of capability, pupils leave as well rounded, ambitious and happy individuals

To carry on as they are

To continue and maintain standards

To continue the excellent work and ethos

To continue to be a School that I feel proud to send my children.

To continue to promote the overall wellbeing of the children. Then the academic side will follow.

To continue to support my child to thrive in a well-rounded way

To have all staff be more aware, confident and consistent in dealing with supporting those with neurodiversity. For St Peter's to provide training on neurodiversity which isn't just Autism but ADHD, Dyslexia, Dyscalculia etc. To be more receptive to parents suggestions about what their child needs.

To keep striving for the best achievement in different ways for all children.

Year sizes will be limited as the school has become too large. It is not only affecting the children but also causing problems for the village)

Any other comments eg school meals, governors, office, PTFA

All brilliant overall ©

All positive.

Amazing meal, take care staff, just a very lovely school

Both my children love/loved school dinners and are encouraged to eat properly and try different foods.

Delicious school meals

Excellent school meals

Excellent school meals. My child loves them. Helpful office staff. Great fundraising events.

My daughter loves the school meals

No other comments

None

None

Office staff are very helpful

Pasta peas and bacon every week please!

Not much presence from Governors and how they assist the benefit to the school.

Provide a parking situation well away from the school for parents wishing to drive and park. That whole area of the village is terrible for drivers (& more importantly dangerous for children at 9 and 3.30). Can anything be done? Also parents queueing on Kneeton Road (instead of the path to the park) blocks the path for children, who often pop onto the road to get round adults who aren't paying attention.

School dinners are great, my children never have any complaints and offer say a particular meal is better than my home version!

School meals are great! Trying to speak to a teacher about smaller concerns/ day to day communication is difficult now due to the pick-up system.

teacher communication could be better eg parents evening

School meals are great, my daughter loves everything on the menu! I really think the issues with parking outside school need to be cracked down on. I don't know how you could, but people are parking dangerously every day. The same repeat offenders are parking across the yellow markings, in the bus stop and in the blue badge space daily. It's only a matter of time before there is yet another accident outside of school.

School meals could do with an update

School meals should be more varied and menu should cater for the majority of children.

School meals sound like they are excellent. It would be to have some more clubs the younger years can join in with. There's an amazing provision for the older ones but not much for the younger ones. School office always very helpful. Mrs Plumb is excellent with the school meals.

The school meal is healthy and delicious

The school meals are great and we are regularly updated with how excellent the dinner ladies are (Mrs Hornby gets lots of mentions for being super)

They love Mrs Plumb's dinners, I just don't make things the same! Fab office staff and love all of the work the PTA do

PTFA holds lots of great events and the money they generate really supports the school and the children.

would be good to see more visibility of governors, maybe a face to face "meet the governors" session where they can outline their vision for the school. PTFA - would be good to see more proactive involvement from the school staff - seems to be just a money-making scheme at the moment. Very grateful to the office and kitchen staff, who are going the extra mile for the children.

Welcoming and efficient office staff. Tasty good choice of meals and fantastic commitment and

Welcoming and efficient office staff. Tasty, good choice of meals and fantastic commitment and events from the PTA.

Wide range of extra-curricular activities. School meals are great and cater for my child's medical needs really well.