Hedon Nursery School - Parent Questionnaire – Spring 2025

Statements	Strongly agree %	agree %	disagree %	Strongly disagree %	I'm not sure %	N/A %
My child enjoys coming to nursery	76%	22%	2%			
My child feels safe and cared for at nursery	85%	15%				
The nursery provides a warm and welcoming environment	95%	5%				
The staff help my child to make friends and play well with others	83%	15%			2%	
The nursery encourages kindness and helps children understand how to behave positively	90%	10%				
I feel comfortable talking to staff is I have a concern	93%	7%				
The nursery listens to and responds to any concerns I raise	88%	10%			2%	
If your child has SEND The nursery provides the right support to help my child take part and thrive	13%				2%	85%
I am kept informed about what my child is learning and experiencing at nursery	80%	20%				
I receive helpful updates about my child's progress and development	76%	24%				
The nursery offers a good mix of play, learning and creative activities	95%	5%				
The nursery helps support my child's confidence and independence	91%	7%			2%	
I would recommend this nursery to other families	95%	5%				

If you answered 'I'm not sure' to any of the statements above, could you tell us a bit more?

- Just to keep an eye on incase of ADHD

Is there anything we could do to make your child's experience at nursery better?

- N/A
- None
- It would be nice for (child's name) to engage socially with his friends from nursery, for example in an out of nursery activity and hopefully can stay in touch with them after he starts school
- Not that I can think of
- No he is happy

- I can't think of anything at this present time
- Continued support and encouragement in toilet training
- As much as the new climbing structure is great, I do have concerns over safety. Both children have come home with injuries
- No
- Helping her settle
- Just to continue what is already been done
- N/A
- Helping her understand it's okay to stop what she is doing and use the bathroom before having an accident

What do you feel the nursery does particularly well for your child or family?

- ✓ Making friends and playing with other children
- ✓ Encourage kindness and inclusivity
- ✓ Encourages to learn, encourages independence, putting my child at ease
- ✓ Every part of what you do is brilliant
- ✓ Building confidence
- ✓ (Child's name) feels safe, included and happy and his nursery helps him navigate his sometimes frustrating emotions
- ✓ Learning and a kind environment
- ✓ The nursery has helped (child's name) to develop his social skills and I feel his capacity to listen has improved. The staff are always supportive and willing to help/lend an ear
- ✓ Encourage kindness and inclusivity
- ✓ (Child's name) really enjoys coming to nursery and hates been off
- ✓ Encourages him in all areas
- ✓ Understands his needs and helped him develop in so many ways
- ✓ Helped him settle in well. Comes home happy. Loves playing in the garden area/play area. Loves playing with the cars and dinosaurs. Helped him develop and learn
- ✓ Everything
- ✓ Encourages independent learning, (child's name) now asks to do the majority of things himself at home that we would usually do for him. I feel (child's name) is now well prepared for school. (Child's name) writing skills and number and letter recognition has vastly improved in the last few months. (Child's name) imaginative play has improved at home. All skills he has learnt at pre-school.
- ✓ Very supportive/approachable
- ✓ The provision is outstanding, the new outdoor area is absolutely brilliant and mirrors the excellent indoor provision
- ✓ Encourages academic learning at an early age
- ✓ (child's name) is now better at listening/following rules since having a structured routine at nursery
- ✓ (Child's name) loves coming to nursery. She is happy and enjoys all the things you have to offer
- ✓ Fantastic teachers and staff. Great communication
- ✓ Interacts well with the children so they feel comfortable
- ✓ Keeping parents updated with children's learning and experiences. Involving parents in activities
- ✓ Growing (child's name) confidence, supports him socially and reassures me a lot
- ✓ There are so many opportunities for learning and (child's name) is always excited to come home and tell us about her day
- ✓ Gives her more routine. Allows to bond with brother better
- ✓ Helping him with basic numeracy and literacy skills
- ✓ The social stories thing has really helped
- ✓ Allows him to bond with his sister

If you could suggest one change or improvement, what would it be?

- Absolutely nothing
- More updates via Tapestry
- Develop (child's name) and help them to build confidence

- N/A
- None
- Nothing
- N/A
- Nothing to change
- Parking!
- N/A
- More Tapestry updates, we rarely get to see what (child's name) is doing throughout the day
- None
- (Child's name) sometimes needs reminding which shoes go on the relevant feet
- N/A
- N/A

Do you have any other comments, feedback or ideas you'd like to share?

- Thank you for all your hard work
- Please could (child's name) be monitored more when using the water features so he isn't so wet, especially on cooler days
- Just to say thank you so much to all the staff! ☺
- (Teacher's name) is a credit to the school, she is amazing
- No
- Keep doing what you are doing! You are all fantastic! ☺
- Just want to thank you all! You're amazing and (child's name) loves coming to school ☺
- Thank you for all you do
- (Child's name) isn't the best at eating his pack up and requires a lot of encouragement, meal times are always difficult at home
- Please can we have a class of full year photos as well as individual ones for students to look back on
- (Child's name) is very happy at the nursery
- N/A
- N/A
- As mentioned re climbing structure. Gate opening times in a morning is often gone 9am
- No
- N/A
- No ☺