

Reception Parents' post induction questionnaire Oct 2019 (22 responses)

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| How well do you think your child has settled at school? | <p>All positive responses Very well Has learned lots of new things Loves school, has fun, talks about it all the time Really well happy – loves teachers Very well – she is proud to be at school Loves it – comes home with something new every day Always comes home happy and excited Has taken to school much quicker than we thought Looks forward to coming Overall settled in well Looks forward to coming to school every morning</p> |
| Did your child enjoy the 'Stay and Play' afternoon? | <p>All positive responses Really enjoyed them Well equipped with toys and activities Nice to see where they will be going Loved it Gave us a chance to see what the school was like Felt it was a bit disjointed</p> |
| How well do you think the visits prepared your child for school? | <p>Really helped a lot Knew what to do to help them at home Reduced the stress of starting school Gave chance to meet teachers and classmates Perfectly – chance to get used to their surroundings My child was excited about starting Made him more confident about the process Gives the children an opportunity to get to know the school Helped to get to know the environment, but maybe a session without parents would be beneficial Helped, but was already used to attending Nursery Helpful to feel more comfortable in the staff room</p> |
| Did you find the intake meetings for parents and our curriculum workshop helpful? | <p>All positive Very helpful Very informative – prepared us for what to expect during the year.</p> |

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| | <p>Very useful – despite already having a child in Yr 3 – revisiting how things are taught Great to get a general feel for the school Good to find out what they are learning Interesting to hear about what they learn Would have appreciated a bit more on phonics</p> |
| <p>Do you find the staff approachable?</p> | <p>All positive Always Very approachable Happy to leave my child with them They are lovely Helpful and friendly Always helpful and easy to talk to They could not be kinder They are very reassuring Everyone in school very helpful Very kind and caring</p> |
| <p>Is there any way we could make the induction process better?</p> | <p>Mainly no Maybe a photo of teacher/TA to remind them over summer Settling in sessions without parents Process is good as it is Everything is perfect as it is Let the children see BAFTA premises</p> |
| <p>What were your main reasons for choosing Monkshouse?</p> | <p>Recommendations Non-religious Fun atmosphere Very friendly staff and students Loved it on the open day – Headteacher really nice and was great Pupils happy and enthusiastic Sibling attends, but would have chosen it anyway Close, secular and very friendly Close to home Good school Attended Nursery Family members attend Good reputation BAFTA Liked what we saw on the Open Day Great recommendations Good OFSTED Attended Nursery Distance Environment Focus on Literacy and numeracy Impressive on visit</p> |

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| | The best school around!! Classrooms/outdoor areas/BAFTA |
| Additional comments | It is a really good school We love the school My child has learned a lot in a very short period of time Really happy with everything about the school Really happy with progress made to date Really like the school Appreciate all the help and support we have had Teaching staff fantastic |