



Parent Voice Feedback

Monday 21st October 2024

What works well....

Parents commented

- We have seen significant progress in my child’s reading at home, as a result of the school’s approach to phonics. “My child is much more confident.” Thank you to all the teachers for their hard work.
- The School Streets initiative has improved the congestion around the school.
- It is a great idea that the school is harnessing the power of the community by asking for financial support for certain school projects (e.g. music). This was never done previously and our community is generous when supporting the school.
- School leaders are very approachable and always available on the school gates.
- Parents evening - it is a great idea that the school offers face-to-face session, as well as virtual online sessions. It makes it possible for me to attend. Thank you.

Even better if...

You said	We did
<p>I like the school’s new way of reporting first aid situations. However, it doesn’t always happen during P.E. lessons.</p>	<p>The school has redeployed staff to ensure there is a Teaching Assistant present in all P.E. lessons so that the school process can be consistent.</p>
<p>Timing of swimming...it is cold when children get out of the pool in the Winter. Could children swim at a different point in the year?</p>	<p>The school are exploring an alternative location for children’s swimming (i.e. Better Leisure Centre, Clapham) with more available slots from Sept 2025.</p>

Is there a screens policy? I am concerned about how much time my child is watching videos during wet play.

From Spring term, the school will implement 'wet play guidance' for staff that will remove the use of showing films on Netflix and increase the use of board games, lego, colouring etc.

Breakfast/after school child care club is too expensive. Can the school consider running it themselves to support families to keep costs down?

The school has given notice to both current providers at our Federation and will be carryout a re-tender for a company that provides the best value to be implemented from Sept 2025.

We appreciate the school's effort to improve communication (e.g. accessible newsletter). Can you find a better way to update parents about day-to-day reminders?

The school will be exploring implementing a new platform so that parents can get notifications sent to an App on mobile phones.

The school would like to thank those parents that attended the parent coffee morning. As always, we are grateful of your feedback in order to support the school to continue to provide the best experience we can for our children and families at Sudbourne Primary School.

Our next parent forum is Wednesday 11th December at 9am.