

YEAR 13 PARENT QUESTIONNAIRE Autumn Term 2014: 18/11/14

68 Questionnaires returned (49 returned Autumn 2013)

<u>PERCENTAGE in BOLD IS THE RESULT FOR AUTUMN TERM 2014</u> (IN BRACKETS IS THE RESULT FOR <u>AUTUMN TERM 2013</u>)

| | | % Strongly Agree | % Agree | % Disagree | % Strongly Disagree |
|----|--|------------------------|----------------|---------------|---------------------|
| 1 | My child is happy at school. | 40 (48) | 53 (52) | 7 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 2 | My child is making good progress at college. | 45 (46) | 53 (52) | 2 (2) | 0 (0) |
| 3 | Year 13 students behave well. | 41 (31) | 58 (63) | 1 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 4 | The college deals effectively with bullying. | 38 (13) | 59 (46) | 3 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 5 | Teaching is good in Post 16. | 50 (29) | 48 (71) | 2 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 6 | I am kept well informed about my child's progress. | 47 (26) | 45 (68) | 8 (4) | 0 (2) |
| 7 | My child feels safe at college. | 56 (52) | 44 (48) | 0 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 8 | Post 16 is well led and managed. | 44 (34) | 56 (57) | 0 (2) | 0 (0) |
| 9 | The college is well led and managed. | 50 (29) | 50 (65) | 0 (0) | 0 (2) |
| 10 | My child is well looked after at this college. | 48 (38) | 50 (63) | 2 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 11 | The college responds well to any concerns I raise. | 42 (34) | 56 (53) | 0 (2) | 2 (0) |
| 12 | My child receives appropriate homework for their age. | 42 (38) | 54 (60) | 4 (2) | 0 (0) |
| 13 | Staff encourage my child to become mature and independent. | 46 (41) | 51 (59) | 3 (0) | 0 (0) |
| 14 | I would recommend Groby Community College to another parent. | 53 (39) | 44 (57) | 3 (0) | 0 (2) |

Please note that 2014-15 is the first year that we have not used the 'don't know' column.

Analysis and areas for development:

- In 12 out of the 14 categories there has been a sharp increase in the 'strongly agree'. Most marked is the column related to teaching and progress at Post 16.
- All parents / carers who responded with a disagree/strongly disagree have been contacted by the Senior Leadership Team and where possible the issue has been addressed.
- Where there has been a response that shows the student is not happy at the college reasons have been investigated carefully and relate to specific issues with key actions put in place.

Please note that our own 'Parent View' will be updated after each parent evening and the feedback will be communicated to staff and parents / cares via the newsletter.