

Year 3 parent questionnaire – transition

At Mengham Junior School we aim to support parents and children through the transition from infant to junior school. In order to assess how successful the process has been and to inform future planning we asked Year 3 parents to complete a questionnaire at our recent Parents Evening. Governors gathered data from 29 respondents over the two evenings and the results are presented in the charts below.

How useful did you find the following?

	Very Useful	Fairly useful	Not very useful
Open evenings	23 (79%)	6 (21%)	
School visits	27 (93%)	2 (7%)	
School tours	27 (93%)	2 (7%)	
The Handbook	25 (86%)	4 (14%)	
The Prospectus	20 (69%)	8 (28%)	1 (3%)
The Website	21 (72%)	8 (28%)	

What did we do well?

“Meet the teacher sessions”

“Postcard home during summer holidays”

“Kept parents well informed”

“Friendly staff” “nurturing”

“Made child feel comfortable”

“Very smooth process”

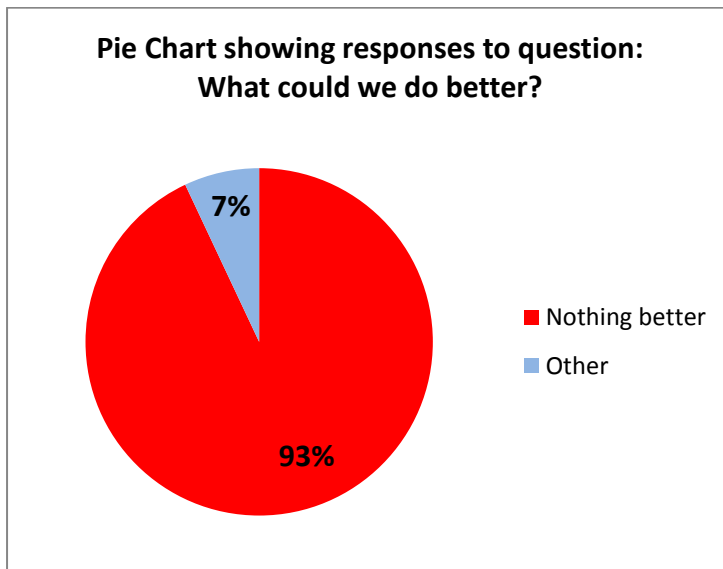
“Lots of support, particularly for an anxious child”

“Excellent relationships formed”

“Visits and open days – the school became familiar”

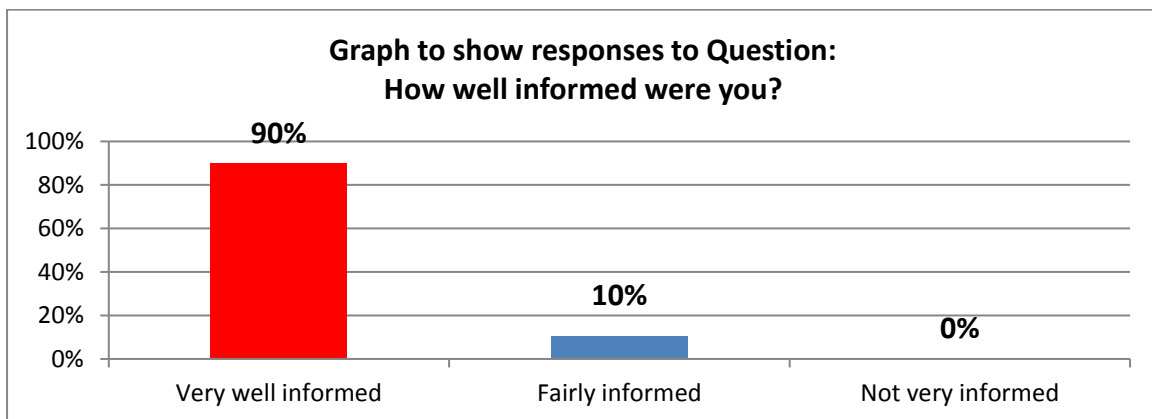
“Regular contact with lower school”

What could we have done better?



“nothing – it has been great”
“Thank you. It was brilliant”
“Talk more about homework”
“Separate playgrounds initially so that lower school can settle”

How well informed were you?



How happy did your child feel during the transition process?

