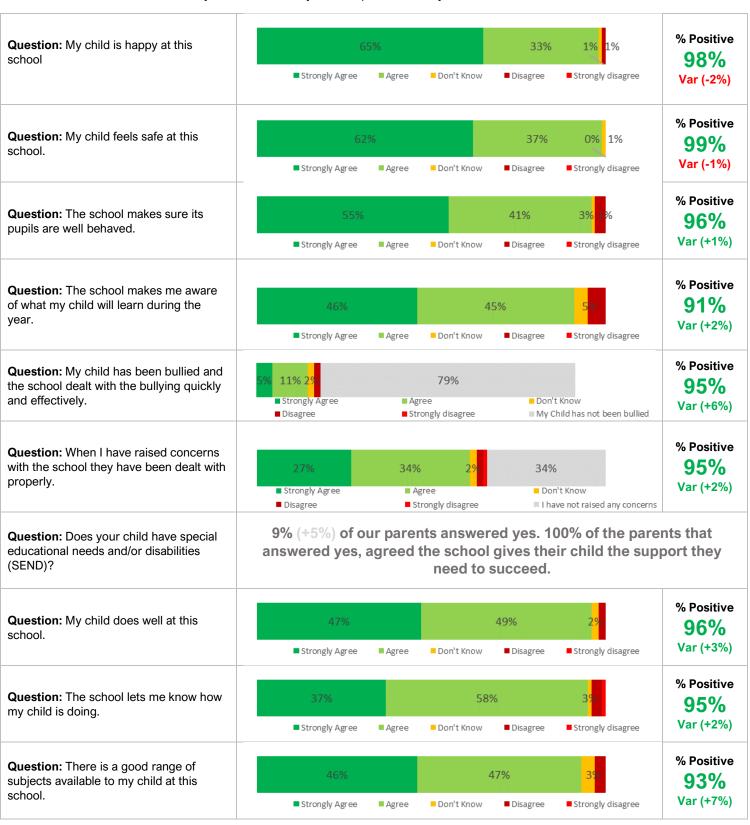
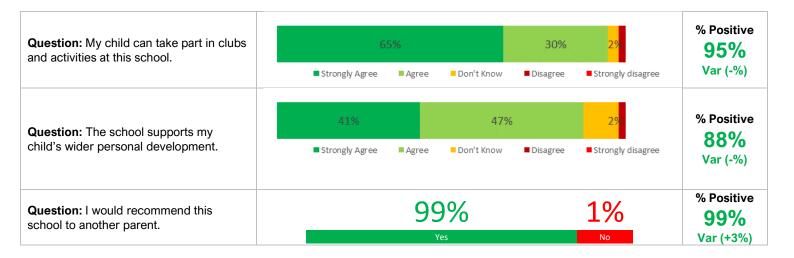
## Summary of Parent Survey 2024

Crawley Ridge Infant School – Responses: 92 Average Positivity Score: 94%

We received feedback from **92 parents** who completed the survey sent out on **27<sup>th</sup> March 2024.** This report shows the percentage of their responses. Please review the summary below. The percentage in brackets are the variance between the survey carried out this year compared to last year.





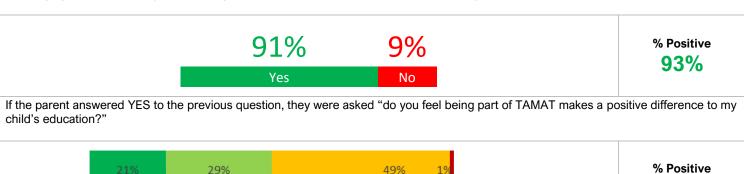
# The Alliance Multi-Academy Trust

■ Strongly Agree



50%

**Question:** Our schools joined The Alliance Multi Academy Trust (TAMAT) in April 2018 to help provide resilience, add capacity and to support school improvement at a time of budgets being trimmed, lack of support from the local authority and when recruitment is challenging. As a parent do you feel being part of TAMAT makes a positive difference to your child's education?



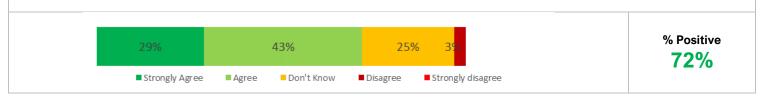
Question: As part of The Alliance Multi Academy Trust our schools have invested in teaching skills of leadership using Trick Box and/or Leader in Me based on Stephen Covey's 7 Habits of Highly Effective Leaders. These strategies help children manage their own emotions, to be able to work effectively with others as well as independently. We would like to find out if this investment is having an impact at home.

Disagree

■ Strongly disagree

Don't Know

Agree



#### **Overview of Additional Comments**



- Positive experiences and satisfaction with the school environment, including appreciation for initiatives like school music shows and support given to families from teachers.
- Concerns about communication gaps, including the need for clearer updates on student progress and more frequent communication with parents.
- Mixed feelings about changes within the school, such as disappointment over discontinued programs like specific language learning.
- Safety concerns regarding traffic incidents around the school premises, prompting calls for safety measures.
- Academic concerns, including desires for a more challenging curriculum, individualised support, and anxieties
  over mid-year teacher changes and academic expectations.
- Praise for the school's friendly atmosphere, teaching methods, and staff dedication, alongside happy memories from former pupils and current positive experiences for children.
- Suggestions for improvement, including clearer guidelines on teaching methods for parents with more frequent updates.
- Personal anecdotes highlighting individual experiences of settling in and enjoying school, as well as specific instances of concern regarding privacy and safeguarding.

# School Response

- Communication: The school is on social media platforms (Facebook & Twitter/X, the school sends out weekly newsletters, ParentMail and WhatsApp messages for any last-minute important information. Learning webs are sent out every half-term and website information inform parents of curriculum content.
- **Student Progress:** The school holds two formal parents' evenings per year, sends out an end of year report which include photos and a learning blurb weekly on the school newsletter.
- Challenging Curriculum: OFSTED and teaching reviews have shown that our curriculum is challenging, the schools next priority is looking at children who may be working at a 'Greater Depth'.
- Language Clubs: We have a lunch time Spanish club for children and the whole school learns British Sign Language during Friday assemblies.

### **Average Survey Positivity Scores**

Crawley Ridge Infant School average positivity score	% Positive 94% Var (+1%)
The Alliance Multi-Academy Trust average positivity score	% Positive <b>62%</b>

#### Overview of Parent Survey

The survey feedback indicates that many parents continue to express satisfaction with their child's educational journey within Crawley Ridge Infant School. They appreciate the efforts made by the school to support both

academic and personal growth. Additionally, a notable number of parents acknowledge the positive influence of TAMAT on their child's educational experience.

However, there are notable areas for improvement highlighted by the feedback. A recurring theme is the desire for enhanced communication regarding their child's progress, with parents seeking more frequent updates and clearer information. Furthermore, there are concerns regarding changes within the school environment, including the discontinuation of certain programs and perceived inconsistencies in rules within the school.

Safety remains a priority, with parents expressing ongoing worries about traffic incidents around the school premises and advocating for increased safety measures. Additionally, there's a call for a more challenging academic curriculum tailored to individual needs and a consistent approach to academic expectations despite mid-year teacher changes.

Despite these concerns, the positive aspects of the school shine through in the feedback, with many parents praising the welcoming atmosphere, dedicated staff, leadership, and various initiatives like the introduction of school music shows.

Overall, while the majority of parents remain satisfied with the school, the feedback highlights opportunities for growth and enhancement.