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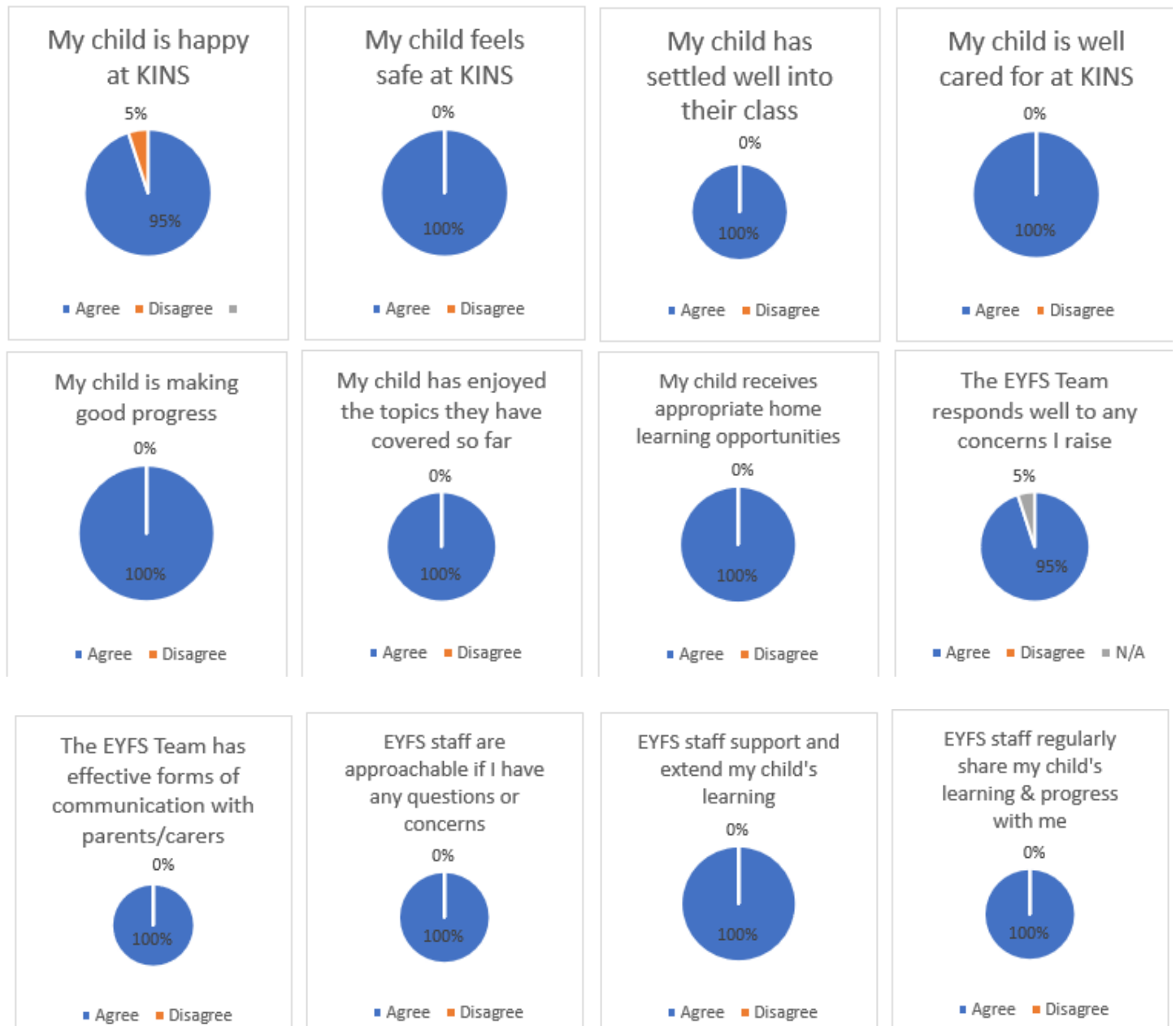
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KINS – Kind to others; Interested in learning; Notice the good in others; Smile, succeed and be safe

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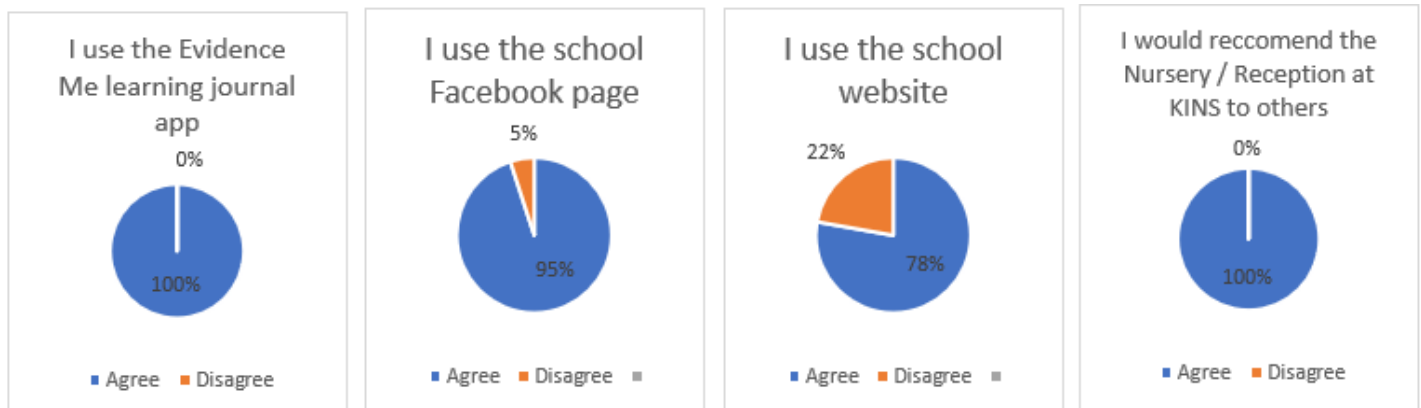
Parent/Carer Feedback – EYFS

A big thank you to everyone who contributed to the feedback about our EYFS provision at KINS. We are very grateful for all your responses and comments. Please find a summary of the responses below (we had 20 in total – 4 from Nursery and 16 from Reception).



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We are all very proud of our EYFS provision at KINS and are glad that lots of you feel the same! Thank you for all your lovely comments about your children's progress at KINS and also for looking out for the wellbeing of our staff too, they are very much appreciated 😊 We had lots of lovely positive comments about describing our EYFS provision to prospective parents too. Here are a few of the responses:

"Very structured and supportive. Our child has made excellent progress very quickly. She is excited to go to school all day and when she learns something new, she's very excited to tell her teachers at school."

"Wonderful staff, we feel very happy with the provision."

"Fabulous learning opportunities and provision. My child has learnt to read so quickly and loves learning at KINS."

"The support you receive is excellent."

"Immersive!"

"Kind and nurturing."

"A lovely environment for the children. Staff in Super Squirrels seem genuinely interested in the children & their best interests and my child has settled in very well."

"My child is happy, comfortable and confident here."

"Kilburn Nursery is brilliant for children aged 3-4. They prepare the children for starting school perfectly. My son loves going to Nursery. I would always recommend to other parents."

"The opportunities that are offered in Nursery is excellent. The forest school is such a brilliant resource that the school has and is invaluable to the children that use it."

We are also grateful for your ideas for future development and will take all of your comments on board as we continue to strive to improve our provision further for the benefit of your children. Here are a few responses to some of your suggestions:

- **2-way communication** – Parent Hub is a great way for staff to send out regular communications to parents/carers, but the system isn't set up for parents/carers to be able to respond directly to messages. However, both our Nursery and Reception classes operate an



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'open door policy' where parents/carers can have discussions with staff at the end of the school day/nursery session about any questions or concerns they may have or arrange a meeting for a mutually convenient time if further discussion is needed. Parents/carers are also encouraged to use the email address 'enquiries@kilburn-inf.derbyshire.sch.uk' where the office staff will respond to queries or messages and pass on any relevant information to a member of staff.

- **More parents' evenings** – This suggestion was made in relation to not wanting to take up too much of the staff's time in the mornings. The statutory requirement is for schools to provide one parents' evening and one written report annually. At KINS, we hold two Pupil Progress & Achievement Meetings, one around October and one in February/March, and send out a written report at the end of the academic year. In addition, as mentioned above, staff are always available to meet with parents/carers throughout the year to answer any questions or concerns you may have about your child's progress and development.
- **A smaller class** – I think in an ideal world, most educators would like this too! However, we are very lucky to have spacious classrooms and outdoor areas in both our Nursery and Reception classes at KINS which enable all our children to freely access a range of activities to enhance their learning across the curriculum in a calm and purposeful environment. We are also extremely lucky to have lots of experienced members of staff working in school to support your children's learning and development as well as having additional support from volunteers and students throughout the year.

As always, our door is always open. Please don't hesitate to get in touch with a member of the Nursery or Reception teams if you have any questions or concerns.

Many thanks for your continued support,
Miss Jesson
EYFS Lead