



Kingsmead

Feedback from Parental Questionnaire Undertaken Every 2 years 2016 You said ...We did/ or are doing

Can some subjects be removed in order to focus on weaker areas?

We have improved our personalised timetabling with the key foci being on English, Maths and Life Skills.

We occasionally feel that communication between school and ourselves is limited and that not all staff are aware of the issues that our son has.

We have improved our internal communication system by streamlining our information sharing (both whole school and with selected key staff). We are ensuring that subject specific queries are dealt with by the relevant member of staff who then contacts parents/ carers directly.

To continue to promote our son's ability to take responsibility for his own possessions and actions. To help boost his confidence with boys as well as girls.

Our alternative curriculum opportunities such as Forest School, Swimming, Gym Visits and Riding all impact on improving social interaction and personal development.

I'd like to see more life skills such as cooking and managing money.

We are now running a successful 'Jamie Oliver' cookery course for selected students in addition to timetabled cooking slots for those students following an alternative curriculum. The Boys/ Girls small groups include aspects of money management as a life skill.

We would like more Home Learning on basics, eg English and Maths.

We give students details of subject specific websites to provide opportunities for reinforced learning at home.

Maybe more links to the community would be advantageous?

We have plans to expand community links through a variety of avenues, such as Forest School and KS4 Outdoor Education via working with the National Trust and Park Rangers. We are hoping to develop more local links with the Wiveliscombe Community in the future.

It would be useful to have examples of what is provided from the additional funding received by the school.

Parents/ Carers are informed of all our extended curricular activities via the meeting cycles. In addition, their parent pay account alerts them of all offers/ opportunities open to their child.