

# HOLY TRINITY COLLEGE

## *Parent Evaluation Questionnaire*



*November 2022*

**Parent  
Questionnaire**

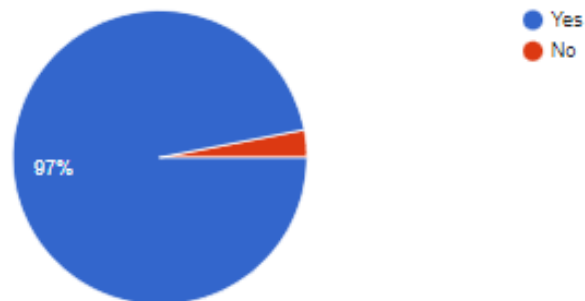


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2. Transition arrangements into Year 8 were good and my child settled in quickly.

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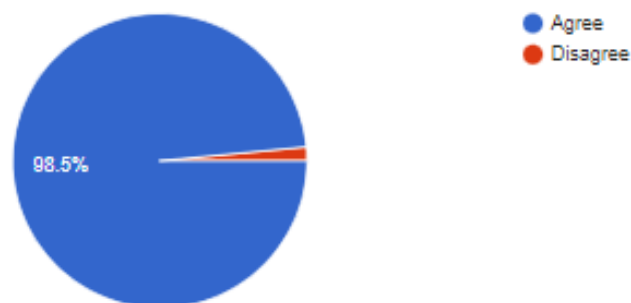


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3. The school encourages the pupils to behave well.

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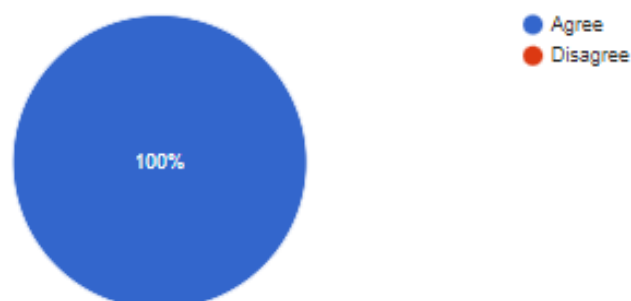


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4. The school recognises and values my child's contributions to school life.

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5. As a parent I feel welcome in the school.

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● Agree  
● Disagree

6. My child is encouraged to respect and value the opinions/views of others.

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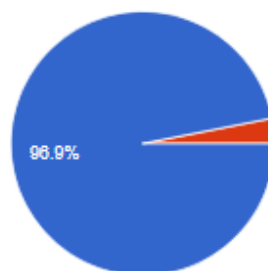


● Agree  
● Disagree

7. The school has told me about the procedures to deal with any concerns / complaints I may have.


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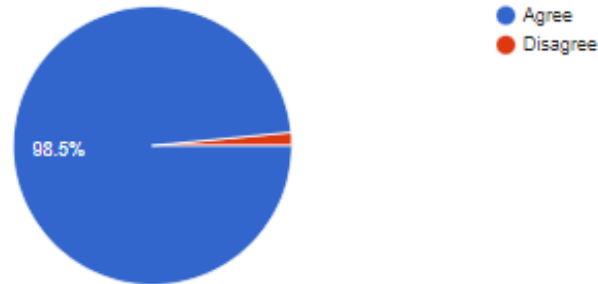


● Agree  
● Disagree

8. If my child feels unwell or unhappy in the school, the staff will deal with the situation effectively.

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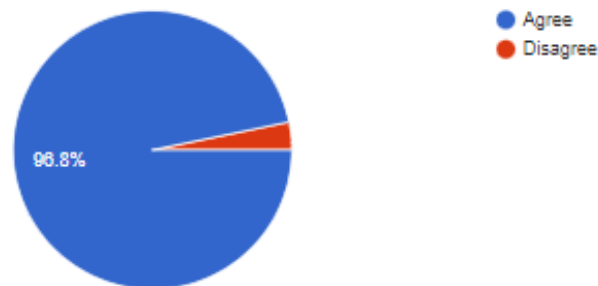
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9. If my child is being bullied the staff will deal with it effectively.

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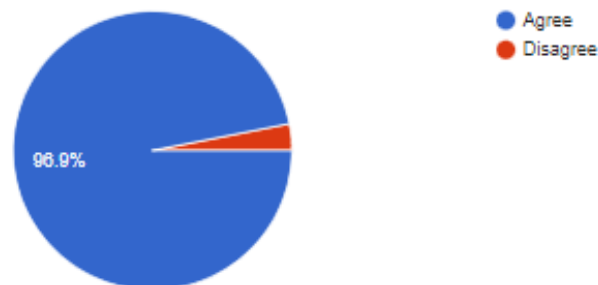
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10. The school has informed me about the procedures to deal with child protection matters.

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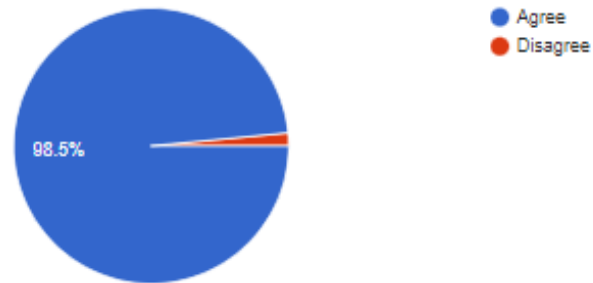
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11. I have been informed about the school policy on the acceptable use of the internet.

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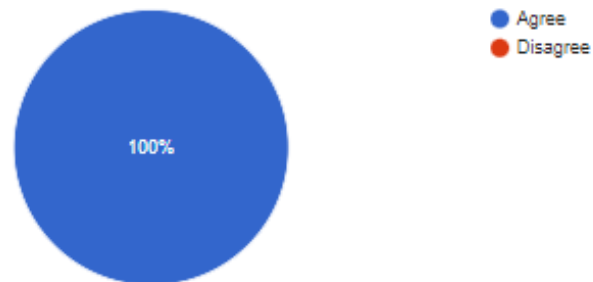
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12. My child finds school work interesting.

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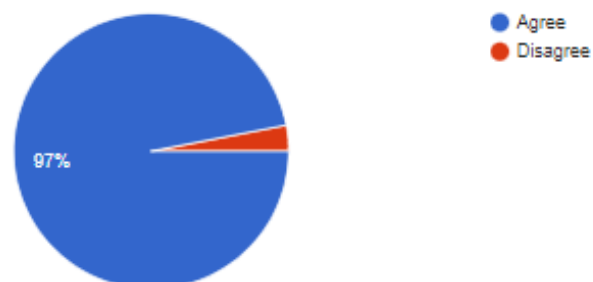
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13. My child respects his/her teachers.

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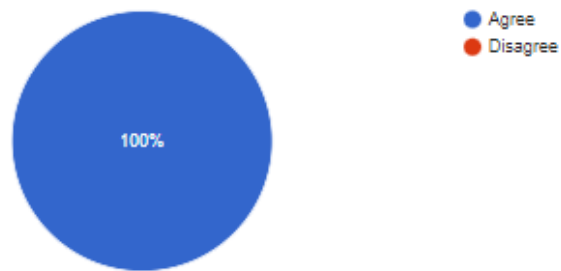
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14. My child is making good progress in school.

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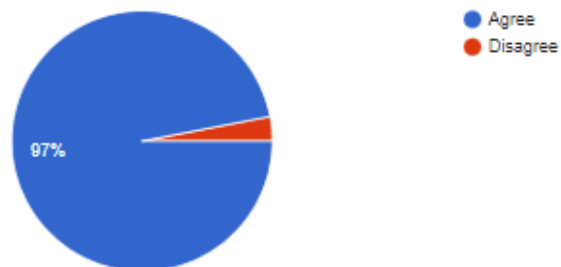
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15. The work my child is asked to do is matched to his/her ability.

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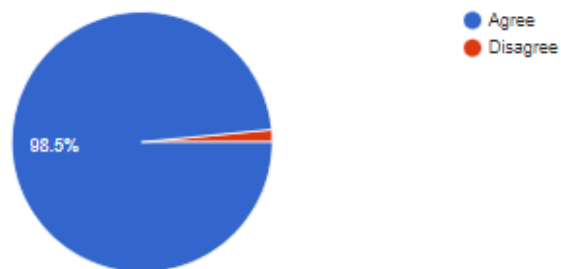
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16. I am satisfied that my child can cope with the homework he/she is given.

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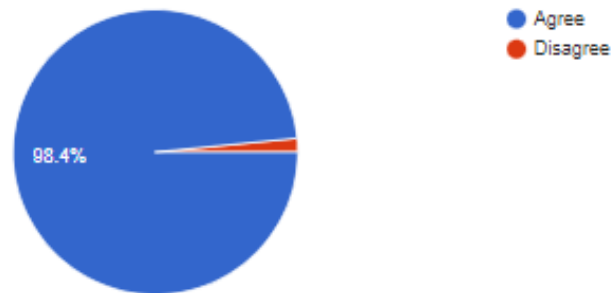
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17. My child's written work is marked regularly.

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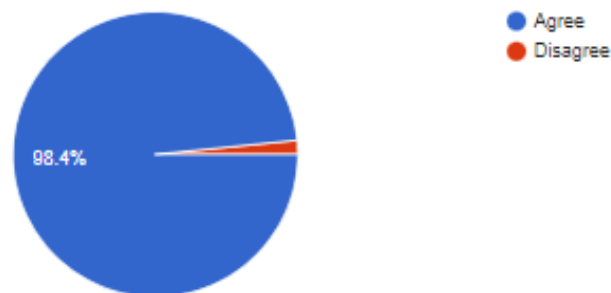
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18. The school is providing my child with information to allow him/her to make good decisions in relation to personal health and safety.

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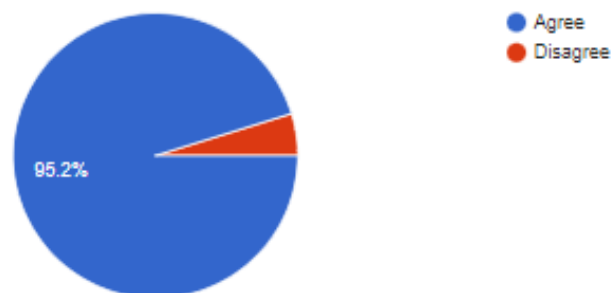
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19. My child gets opportunities to show leadership.

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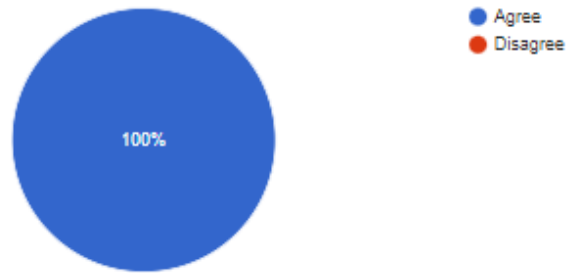
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20. My child gets opportunities to work as a member of a group.

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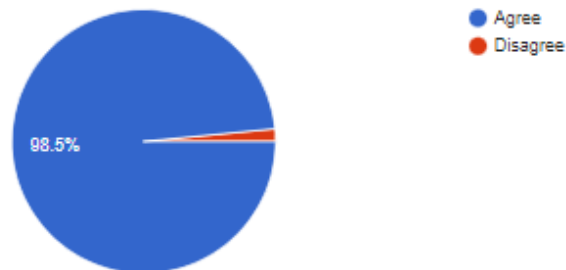
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21. My child is well cared for by the staff in the school.

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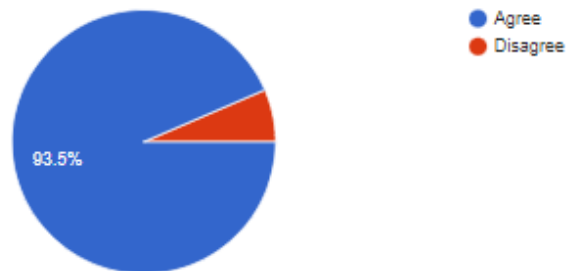
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22. My child's opinions/views are sought on issues involving the school.

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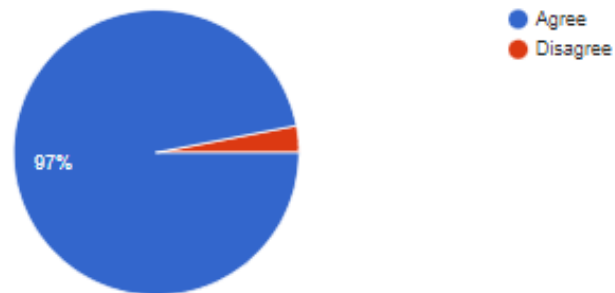




23. I receive helpful information about my child's progress in the school.

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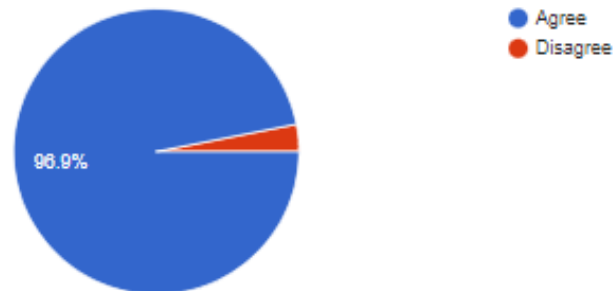


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24. Staff are approachable and caring.

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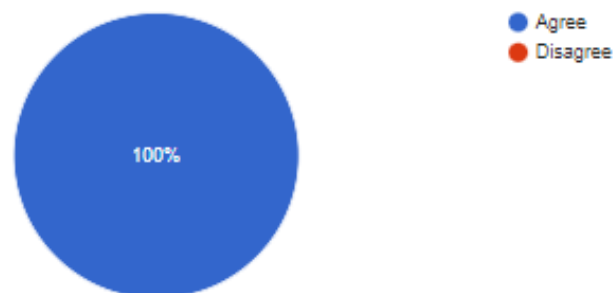


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25. The school helps new pupils to settle in quickly.

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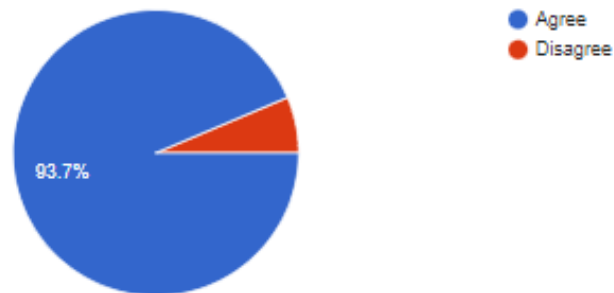
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26. We have sufficient contact with the Form Teacher.

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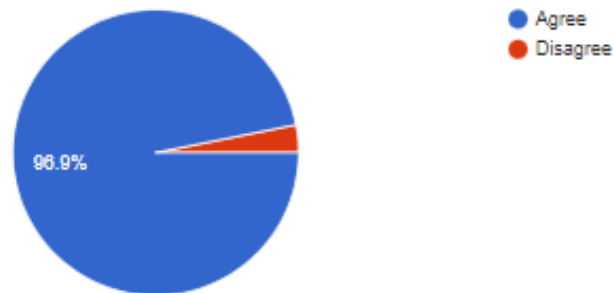


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27. I find the Student Planner useful.

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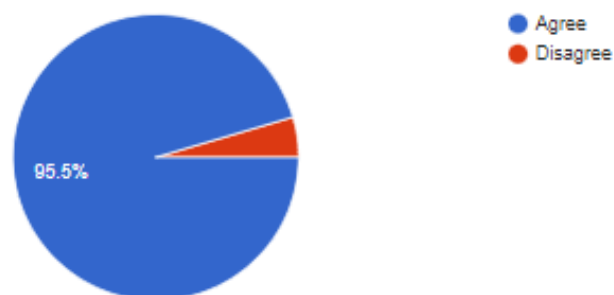


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28. I am informed regularly about the life and work of the school.

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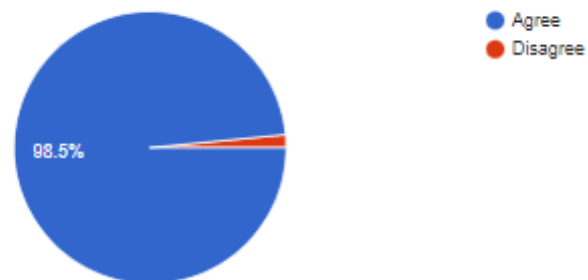
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29. I find the Parent App useful.

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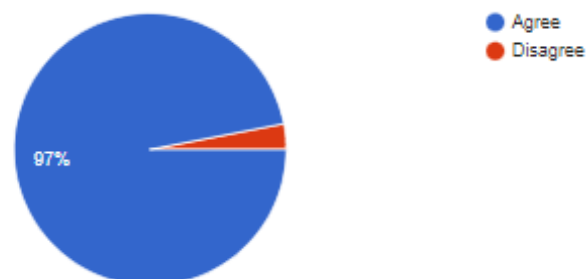
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30. The school encourages parents to be involved in their child's education.

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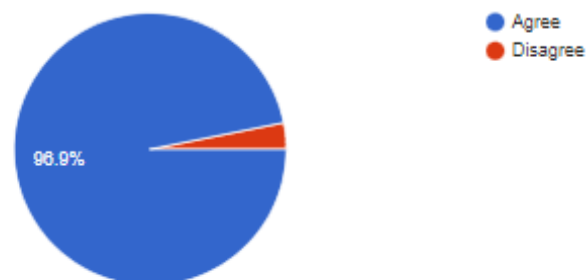
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31. My child has developed friendship groups in the school.

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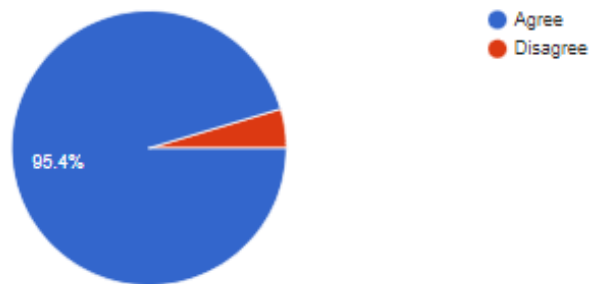
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35. The school catering facilities are adequate for my child's needs.

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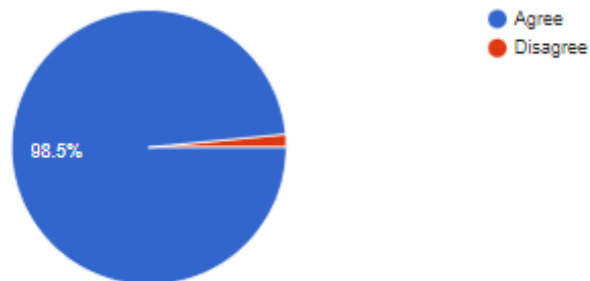
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37. I am aware of the vision of Holy Trinity College.

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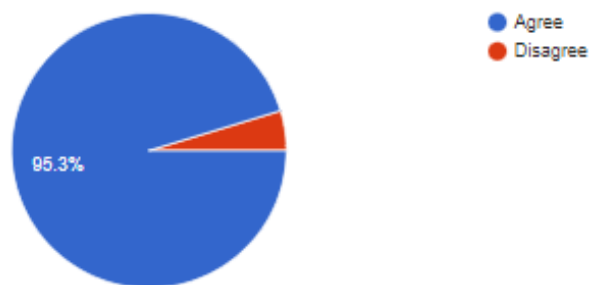
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38. I would recommend the school to other parents.

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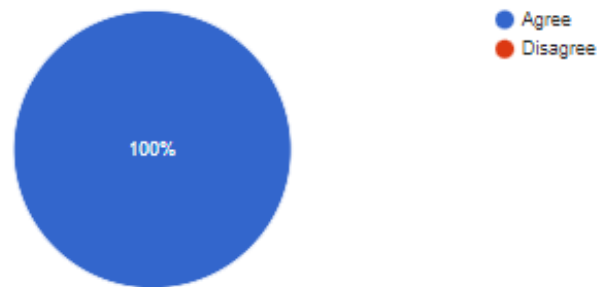
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32. The school offers a good range of subjects appropriate to my child.

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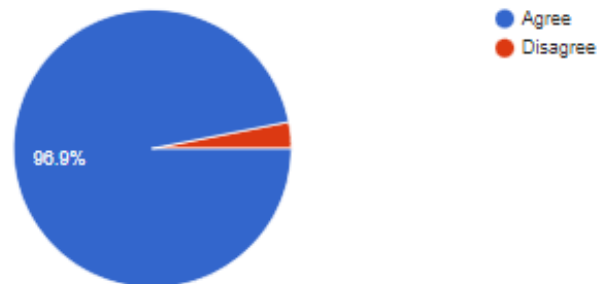
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33. The school provides a range of opportunities for my child to participate in extra-curricular activities.

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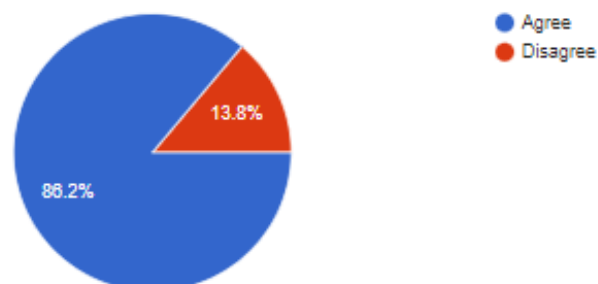
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34. Holy Trinity College's facilities and accommodation are adequate.

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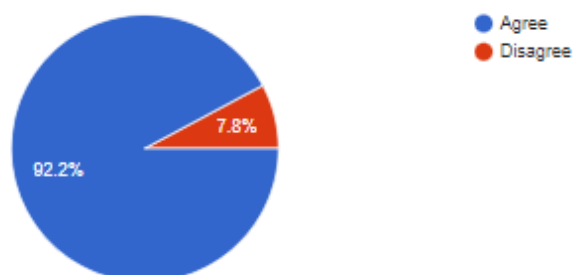
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39. The school is well thought of in the community.

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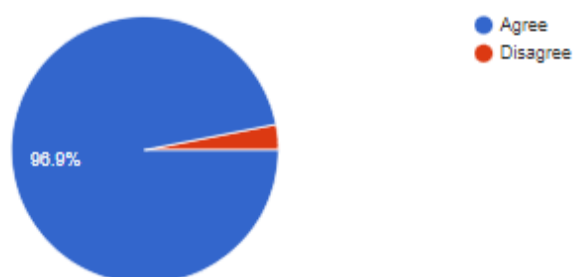
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40. I am satisfied my child feels safe and well in school.

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41. What do you feel to be the particular strengths of the school?

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| All extra classes cooking agri football are beneficial to my child for extra learning and mixing.  |
| Always looking out for pupils<br>Great listening skills  |
| Communication and very helpful staff .   |
| Communication between school and parents   |
| Communication with parents through text messages and emails  |
| Expect good standards of behaviour from all pupils, learner centred and set appropriate learning outcomes for my child.                              |
| From whar my daughter has indicated to me. The teachers and other pupils have provided a safe and happy environment.                                 |
| Good teaching staff,good communication   |
| Helpful when u have any concerns and acted upon efficiently  |
| I feel confident in knowing my child is happy and working well in school.  |
| I feel so better toward the education in Holy Trinity College.   |
| I like the parent app, and the emails, as it keeps me updated. My son and I both enjoy seeing his progress with receiving points for good behaviours |

I would like to see my child's test results

My child has come on a lot since she started. More confident and takes more pride in her appearance.

Pastoral Care

Pastoral care and exposure and access to different sports

Pastoral care has been excellent and teachers available when I need to speak to them about any issues.

Pastoral care is great at htc

Pastoral care is very good.

Pastoral care.

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Positive relationship and excellent support.

Sense of community & family

Sport and pastoral care

Supporting well being of each child

Teachers. And their passion for teaching.

That all staff work as a big team & all staff have the same expectations of their students which makes it a lot easier for pupils

That bullying is dealt with effectively IE : suspensions / detentions .that there are a variety of activities during break / lunch that the children can attend which keeps them occupied & hopefully out of mischief .. that children's education is tailored to their individual need

The extra curricular that is on offer is very appealing, the gardening club , running club etc. And also having staff that can connect and build friendships with pupils is so important

The rules & regulations

There isn't any problem.thanks

They really are aware of how the kids are behaving and feeling. They have good discipline rules to keep the kids in order

Transition programme and pastoral care

Variety of subjects and activities

Very welcoming school to year 8 students

Very welcoming, great understanding of different pupils abilities and structure learning to suit.

Weekly information updates on parent app and encouraging positive behaviour

Work hard for the care and education of each pupil

**42. Holy Trinity College believes that effective communication and positive partnerships with our parents/guardians are crucial to support your son / daughter in their learning. Your views of how the College works or a fresh insight on areas for improvement are extremely important to us, to ensure that all pupils reach their potential and learn to as high a standard as possible. Please indicate below if you would wish to be involved in a Parent Forum. We look forward to meeting with you in the very near future and ensuring that your voice is heard.**

**43. Please add any comments which you think might help the school to further develop.**

A better app that parents can send messages / or respond to the teacher would be great to have

Add test results to SIMS

Children need lockers - where they will be able to store their books, PE bags, coats, and school shoes in winter months (because in case of bad weather children need walk to the school in boots), umbrella... It is not good let they carry everything with them whole day from room to room all around the school. Thank you

For me everything is good for my child helpful thank u

Happy to attend when needed

I am happy to be involved in a parent forum

I am very content with how Aidan has transitioned and thank all HTC staff for their considerable efforts to date.

I appreciate regular information from the school through the parent app on a Sunday evening and the Facebook page. I was grateful for an update from Mr McGeary early in the school year. It brings back great memories from my school life at Our Ladys High school when Miss Seery was principal.

I feel there should be a better system in place for those children who disturb the class, they take away from those who want to work or from those who need the time of the teacher.

For essential subjects like mathematics one consistent teacher should be in place, in my own child's instance three different teachers who sometimes don't communicate with each other is not good enough for such an important subject.

A revision list for all exams should be given, a child should not be told by teachers they "can't revise" for any exam.

I think the planner is too big and heavy.

I think there are too many questions in this survey and questions are very closed and perhaps should have a "not sure" option. School building is cold. Mobiles are warmer.

I think the new school is desperately needed but I know everyone is aware of that.

Sincere thanks to staff for helping Emily settle into 1st year so we'll while she is dealing with the death of her Daddy.

I wasn't able to complete this survey as I am still waiting on the Pastoral phone call.

I had rang the school that week to inform them that I had not received a time and asked that the form teacher contact me. Still waiting.

I would be interested in a parents forum. I would need to gain more insight of the school to add any additional comments / opinions.

Irish classes clashing with other subjects, afterschool activities clash with after school Irish not very well catered for for the gaelscoil eoghain pupils

Maybe on the shcool app. A link to communicate with teachers more on progress and behaviours etc

Maybe some afters school classes to help kids socialise better.

New building development & state of the art surroundings & school equipment

Stricter discipline for pupils that cause injury to a pupil or staff member. Summer scheme is a brilliant opportunity for all the kids, so helps the children make friendships and settle into school alot better. Well done to all the staff.

Structure of Irish classes/clubs for those coming from Gaelscoil s. It not just about gaining qualification it's having the opportunity to speak Irish regular with peers and educators to keep child's fluency ongoing

There is nothing to add it because everything is positive in the school .

You don't need any advice the school offer everything for their students  
Thanks so much