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Thames View Infants - Parent Survey 2026

Thank You for Your Feedback

At Thames View Infants, I believe Schools work best when families and staff work together in partnership.

Thank you to everyone who completed our recent Parent Survey. Your feedback helps us celebrate what is going well and ensure that we continue to improve.

I was so incredibly proud and grateful to read so many positive responses about our School community, and I wanted to share some of the feedback with you...

“The school is very inclusive and creates a great and positive environment for children to learn and grow in. The teachers always keep parents informed and happy to have a chat regarding any concerns parents may share”

“Incredible school, highly attentive to all kids and my kids have thrived in this school. Absolutely love it”

“We love this school it has been incredible for us. The kids are the biggest focus and it shows so much in the kids. They bring home what they learn and it really shapes their personality in such a positive way. The teachers are all amazing and have such a brilliant impact on the kids”

“My child’s social skills, communication have developed and he's been more confident since he has joined Thames view infant school”

“I will highly recommend this school to anyone because this school provides a supportive and safe learning environment that focuses on both academic achievement and personal development. The teacher are very supportive and approachable. Communication between



the school and parents is generally considered, keeping families informed about progress, events and any concerns. My child is always happy to be in school.”

“Everything is really good in the school and all teachers are doing very well”

“It is a great environment for children to learn and there is a wide spread of high quality of learning opportunities.”

“It’s an excellent school as I have seen my child developing and getting better in every aspect.”

“My first priority is discipline and behaviour that is impressive and I love to participate in all festivals and activities related to all communities. Teachers and head teacher are really supportive and helpful to every parent.”

“I’m genuinely very happy with it. My daughter feels safe, secure, and most importantly she’s happy going in every day, which as a parent means everything. The environment is really positive and nurturing, and the teachers are very supportive and attentive to each child. They focus not only on academics, but also on building confidence, good behaviour, and overall development. I’ve noticed a big improvement in my daughter’s confidence and love for learning since she started. Communication from the school is also excellent — they keep parents well informed, and you feel involved in your child’s progress. The staff are approachable, friendly, and clearly care about the children’s wellbeing. It’s a clean, well-organised school with a welcoming atmosphere, and you can tell the children feel comfortable and valued there. Honestly, I’d definitely recommend”

“one of the Good Schools at Barking area”

“Very good ranking School and staffs are so friendly and polite”

“I wholeheartedly recommend this school because both of my sons are truly happy and thriving here. It’s where their beautiful academic journey began, and honestly, I couldn’t have wished for a better start for them. From the very beginning, the teachers have been incredibly supportive, and the level of care they show goes far beyond just academics. It doesn’t feel like just a school; it feels like a family that has helped me raise my sons. They’ve truly been my village. From Ms Sam and Ms Fatima supporting me through milestones like potty training in Reception, to Ms Aziza guiding me with practical learning methods like the looping method in maths, the amount of support, checking up on parents, not just students, those moments stay with you as a parent. Little things like the Head Teacher’s weekly updates, the openness of staff, and their willingness to listen make you feel valued and heard. It’s a place where children are genuinely cared for, not just academically but also emotionally and socially. With heartfelt thanks.”

“Feedback and concerns are heard”

“I’ve seen my daughter excel from reception and now in Year 1. We do lots of things at home too but I don’t feel the need to do too much extra as I know she’s getting the right support and attention at school! I always speak highly of TVI and recommended it to anyone I know.”

“Because is such a green beautiful school”

“Very good school, and all the staff is very friendly and helpful”

“This school is beyond my expectation.”

“Is simply the best school”

“Putting him in this school has been life-changing for us. My son is happy to go to school, and when I pick him up, he’s still happy. He loves his teacher, and his attitude has completely changed for the better. He has become more confident, more secure, and less afraid. He has also improved a lot in his learning. It’s also wonderful to see how Paul and the whole team—not just his teachers—truly care about the children. My only regret is not enrolling him sooner.”

“I think the head teacher is great and very understanding to all children. I think the SEND staff are excellent with all children although there should be more training in Sen not just for the class teacher. Other than that excellent school and staff.”

“For overall development of a child, it’s the best school in this borough”

“Because of family like bonding at school with peers and teachers child feels at home with no extra pressure or expectation . So naturally a child delivers and learn more in a healthy environment. I have not seen any crying children in the morning in these 2 years that itself is a big achievement! My hearty appreciation for Paul by maintaining this good standard each year !”

“For children who struggle to understand or cope in everyday situations, the school breaks things down in bite sizes for they to learn and understand better.”

“Strong emphasis on reading which we love. Small school. Not too many children in each class. Great teachers. Great communication most of the time. However extracurricular could be better for reception kids.”

“TVI have great staff who try their best to ensure children feel safe, happy to come to school and learn by adapting and connecting with them and their different personalities. When my son started nursery he was emotional and would cry often and miss home, however with the excellent team of Sam, Fatima & Debbie, he gradually let go as he built a good bond and felt safe and happy. He would say “don’t wait for me, you can go home I am happy now”. This was great to hear and see. Later once he moved over to Reception, again he had a difficult start as it was now no longer part-time but full-time and new staff and class. He was emotional again but now he is finally settled and happy and told his parents “I like school, I am happy”. ... I highly recommend TVI for their commitment and dedication to supporting children in being the best they can be and developing confidence and independence.”

“Very friendly and welcoming will help solve any issues you may have”

“Teachers are very friendly and all the other staff does amazing work to ensure my child has a good time in school playing & learning”

In summary, this is what you told us...

Children are happy and safe

★ 4.94 / 5

Families overwhelmingly told us their children:

- enjoy coming to school
- feel safe
- feel cared for
- are happy at Thames View Infants

Behaviour and Relationships

Behaviour is strong across the school

★ 4.81 / 5

Families told us that:

- children are well behaved
- staff support children positively
- expectations are clear
- relationships are strong

Bullying

97% of families said their child has not been bullied at Thames View Infants.

Where concerns had been raised:

100% of families agreed the school dealt with concerns quickly and effectively.

We know how important it is that children feel:

- safe
- listened to
- supported
- included

Teaching and Learning

Families gave extremely positive feedback about:

- what children learn
- communication about learning
- children's progress
- the range of subjects available

Scores included:

★ 4.90 / 5

"The school makes me aware of what my child will learn."

★ 4.87 / 5

"My child does well at this school."

★ 4.84 / 5

"The school lets me know how my child is doing."

★ 4.87 / 5

“There is a good range of subjects available.”

Support for Families

Concerns are listened to and handled properly

★ 4.90 / 5

Families told us they feel:

- listened to
 - supported
 - respected
 - able to approach the school when needed
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SEND Support

Families of children with SEND gave very positive feedback.

100% agreed or strongly agreed that:

“The school gives my child the support they need to succeed.”

This is something we care deeply about as an inclusive school community.

Clubs, Activities and Wider Opportunities

Families also recognised the wider opportunities available to children:

★ 4.65 / 5

At Thames View Infants, we believe education is about far more than academic attainment alone.

We want children to:

- develop confidence
 - build friendships
 - discover talents
 - enjoy creativity
 - make memories
 - and grow into kind, resilient young people
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Recommendation to Other Families

100% of families said they would recommend Thames View Infants to another parent.

We are incredibly proud of this feedback.

It reflects the hard work of:

- children
 - staff
 - governors
 - and families working together every day.
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Thank you once again for your continued support, encouragement and trust. I am proud of our School community and remain committed to giving every child:

- a happy start
- a safe environment
- wonderful experiences
- and the very best foundations for later life.

Whilst there is always room for improvement, over the last 19 years, my team and I have continued to work hard to help every child and their family achieve their best. And we'll continue to do so into the future!

With very best wishes,



Paul Jordan

Headteacher,

Thames View Infants