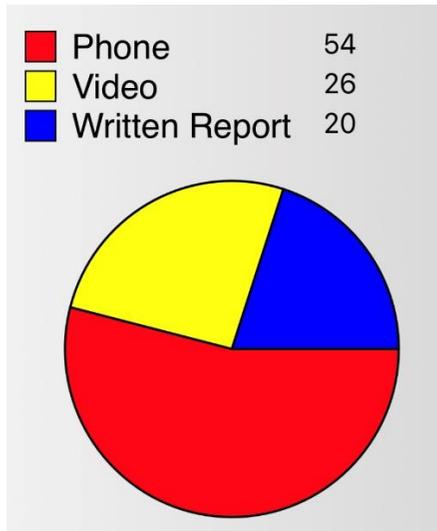


Parents' Evening Survey Findings: October 2020

Thank you for your feedback, it was very much appreciated. The results (by percentage of responses) showed:



What are you planning next?

We are currently investigating, alongside other CLP schools, a booking system which the local Secondary school uses where calls can be made on mobile/tablet/PC by phone with the possible option for video. We will let you know more next term when it is time for the spring term review.

What if I am worried about my child in the meantime?

Please leave a comment in the reading record and the teacher will get back to you. If you have a concern/query please do not leave it until the next parents' evening.

What if COVID advice changes?

We will respond accordingly and keep to any rules/guidance given.

Here is a summary of the points you raised and our replies.

Parent comment	Our reply
10 mins is not long enough, need at least double	This would not be possible as it would mean a class teacher would have around ten hours of meetings.
3 way call for working parents/split families	If we can facilitate this we will. But at the moment we would suggest a speakerphone is used or parents take it in turns.
Written report followed up by phone call	This would just be too time consuming.
Face to face SD at the village hall	At the moment we have been advised not to have face to face meetings.
Like to see their work, maybe on video/emailed	We hope to be able to share the children's work with you later in the year in a socially distanced way.
Really flexible during current restrictions. If there was a concern about progress, I would like to know sooner rather than later even if via email.	Please be assured that if staff were concerned about progress, we would not wait until parents' evening and we hope you would do the same.
I would like a follow up form for each parents evening in the future if they are by phone. It is good to have a record of what both the parents and school have said at a parents evening which can be referred to at future meetings/phone calls	This would not be practically possible for a class of children. But if a child has SEN or is on the class teachers' concern list then a follow up record is put in the reading diary with action points from both home as well as school.
An evening phone call would be better than straight after or before school.	These timings were arranged to facilitate in school meetings before we were informed we needed to change. Cancelling the appointments not held and asking people to rebook would have caused confusion so we kept them as they were. I asked teachers to move the appointment if a parent requested it. Next time, it will be easier as will we know when you book what the procedure will be.
I have found video calls through a platform called 'school cloud parents' evening' worked extremely well https://www.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/	Yes Huish Academy use this, we are impressed with it too and are looking into it.

<p>I would like it written so I can keep it with all his school documents especially as he has just started school. It has a sentimental value too.</p>	<p>The children all have a summer term written report instead of parents' evening. You will always have at least one written document each academic year.</p>
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General Comments	Our reply
<p>Great to just be able to get quick feedback recently from both teachers. Much appreciated especially knowing the strain all working in education are under.</p> <p>The time to talk to teachers is so important, particularly as face to face time at drop off/pick up is limited in the current world.</p> <p>I think it is important to have a regular update of how my child is performing in key area along and welcome suggestions of how to support improvements. I don't have a strong opinion of how this is delivered.</p> <p>Don't mind whatever is easiest for the teachers!</p> <p>All feedback is super so really whatever suits the staff</p>	<p>Thank you.</p> <p>I think we would all agree we would like face to face appointments but need to be flexible so planning for the next term with plenty of time is helpful.</p>