

Health Consultation Survey - Summary.

As part of the requirement to consult with our community on the schools health programme we sent home a summary document which outlined how we deliver the Health and Physical Education programme here at Grant's Braes school. This survey was sent to all families in both paper and digital form. Parents were given one week to return the attached form and give us feedback and/or suggestions related to the programme.

We had 27 forms returned.

The feedback from the survey was overall very positive.

19 of the returned forms stated they were happy or very happy with the variety and quality of programmes being offered by the school.
The yellow shirt programme got a special mention as being an excellent programme.

6 forms had no comments or suggestions but were signed and returned.

There was no negative feedback on any of the current programmes being offered or suggestion that programmes should not be offered.

9 people gave suggestions for consideration these included:

Dealing with Nits

More work on food and nutrition

Internet safety

Inclusiveness of children with special needs

More work on relationships and dealing with bullying

Dental Hygiene

The importance and tips for good sleep routines

A request for more information on the content of the topics on mental health.

While some of these suggestions are already incorporated into programmes offered there are some new ones also. I will discuss these suggestions with the management team and look at how we think they fit the current programme and needs of our students. Some of them could be good as health snippets for parents in newsletters such as sleep, internet safety and head lice.

Overall the response to this survey was low but consistent with previous surveys and parent meetings. 18% responded. Of these 70% stated their satisfaction with programmes and 33% offered some sort of suggestion for consideration. 0% stated concerns about current programmes.

There was a parent meeting in term one to outline the content of the keeping ourselves unit and this was attended by approximately 20 parents.

While 82% did not respond I believe if they had concerns they would have put in a form or contacted me.

