



St Bernadette's Roman Catholic Primary School

Live the Gospel and when necessary use words

Our mission as a Roman Catholic primary school is to provide a catholic education that puts the word of God at the centre of our school. Our purpose is the happiness of all of our community through the pursuit of school-wide excellence; with success measured on our ability to sustain and enhance our position as a thriving example of Christ-centred education.

Religious Education Questionnaire January 2019

Family responses

1. My child enjoys Religious Education.

97 % agree

- *My child often talks about what she is learning in RE*
- *My child likes to talk about Jesus and tells us about the Bible.*
- *She has enjoyed some of the topics such as Baptism and has talked at home about them.*
- *She always tells me about lessons and she will recreate worships she has done in class.*
- *My son enjoys learning about religious holidays and loves the songs.*
- *Enjoys activities in the computer suite.*
- *My daughter really enjoys RE and talk very highly of what she learns in that lesson*
- *Enjoys talking about what they have been learning at schools. More recently about living the gospel. She is really looking forward to the family liturgy and she understood the true meaning of advent.*
- *He likes talking about what he is learning in RE and applying it to everyday life*

2. I am happy with the RE curriculum programme of Come and See.

97 % agree

- *The children seem to learn a range of different things*
- *It covers all religions*

3. I am happy with my child's standard of work in RE

97 % agree

- *At parents evening we were able to see the work in her book and were very pleased.*
- *Quite often keeps me right regarding religion*
- *My child has a good understanding*
- *She seems to have a good understanding.*
- *Excellent standard of work in my daughter's RE books!*

4. The school keeps me informed of my child's progress in RE

92 % agree

- *We get reports and parents evening*
- *The termly reports inform us in detail about RE and progress made.*
- *We are always informed on termly reports.*
- *Updates are given at parents evening when asked*
- *Through termly reports*
- *Via see-saw, termly reports and parents' evenings*

5. The school keeps me informed about what my child is studying in RE

87 % agree

- *Teachers share things with us on see-saw, the blog, parents' evening*
- *We will often get a seesaw or parent mail about a particular topic.*
- *Through school website and school reports*
- *On the blog*
- *It is all online for you to check*
- *Available to view on the school website*
- *Good updates in the weekly blog about the curriculum and area of focus for that term.*
- *Via see-saw, the weekly blog and there is information on the school's website*

6. The work my child does in RE enables them to think spiritually, ethically and theologically

97 % agree

- *The Jelly beans are a brilliant way to get children to think about how they can be good people and care for others and the world*
- *Always brings it into home living*
- *She really enjoyed the Christmas topic and sending out joy to others and hope*
- *My child lives the gospel*

- *The work in RE helps feed through into my children's decision making and helps them to make good choices.*
- *Definitely! I think the children who attend St. Bernadette's have a very mature approach to thinking about their actions and the world in which they live*

6. Re is well led.

97 % agree

7. What I like about Religious Education at St. Bernadette's.

- *It's clearly very important to the school*
- *RE appears to be at the very heart of the school and a lot of thought has been put into how the children can be involved*
- *The whole school approach and how the children know all about the values that are embedded. The jelly bean award is a brilliant way of doing this. I like parent liturgies when we get the chance to see the children and what they do*
- *It isn't entirely based on the Catholic faith*
- *Staff make it interesting to learn for children*
- *The Catholic values of tolerance and understanding are taught in school*
- *My child plays an active part in spontaneous prayer and enjoys liturgies*
- *Parents are kept updated and you can see the school community witnesses positive benefit in the way the children behave towards one another*
- *It is well taught in a way my child can remember it*
- *It's taught to the children at a level they understand and can relate to. It seems to be fun as well as educational.*

8. What I would like to see improved in Religious Education at St. Bernadette's.

- *Nothing*
- *More information on what they are learning*
- *No improvements needed*
- *I feel that all faiths are taught in school which is a great thing due to lots of negative feelings about other faiths in our communities at the moment*
- *Not applicable*