**Parent Confidence in School Questionnaire**

Please complete the following questions by entering the relevant information or circling the appropriate answer. Your responses will be used to help us develop our partnership work with parents/carers and will be anonymous.

Please circle one descriptor, unless otherwise specified.

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| **Demographics** | | |
| **Are you . . .**  (please circle) | Parent | Carer |
| 1. Gender | Male | Female |

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| **My child** | | | | | | |
| 3. My child has attended XXXXXXX School since Y7 | Yes | | | No | | |
| 4. My child is in Year …(e.g Y7, Y8) |  | | | | | |
| 5. My child has additional needs in the following area(s):  (please tick those that apply) | Language | Social skills | Learning | | Physical/ sensory | Specific difficulty e.g. dyslexia |

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| **How do you view your child’s school?** | | | | | |
| Please circle the number according to the level of agreement with the following statements.  1 = strongly agree and 5 = strongly disagree | | | | | |
| 1. The school keeps me well informed (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. The school values my knowledge of my child (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. This school always does what it is supposed to do (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. The school responds flexibly to meeting my child’s needs (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. School staff understand my child’s needs (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. This school is always honest with me (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. At this school I know I will be listened to (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I am confident that the school can meet my child’s needs (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I am able to influence decisions about my child’s education (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I know who to contact if I am worried about my child (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I really trust this school (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. My child is happy at school (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I have a good relationship with staff at this school (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. I am not worried about my child when they are at school (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. My child’s school is a good source of information (for instance information about local clubs or parent support) (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. The school encourages my child to take part in a range of wider participation activities (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. This school has high standards for all children (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. Staff at school are always ready to help (G) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. The school is preparing my child well for when they leave school (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |
| 1. The school works in partnership with me to support my child’s learning and development (S) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 |

Thank you for completing this questionnaire

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