



Community Questionnaire

At Lawn we believe in the importance of community.

We would like to find out about your experiences, as a family, of the local community.

143 responses

1) As a parent, do you feel that you 'belong' to the Lawn community?

*Very inclusive.
Communication excellent.
Always something happening
Parents kept up to date with events etc on dojo
Staff always welcoming
Kept well informed
Very good
Very much so
It is a very welcoming community
Friendly and inclusive
Definitely*

Yes 129 90%

Somewhat/sometimes 8

No 6

2) Do you feel that you are included in school events? Do you have any suggestions or ideas?

*The school events are always very welcoming and inclusive
If I wanted I believe I would be heard
Lots of opportunity to get involved
Good communication
Yes, always a lot going on
Weekly newsletter supports inclusion
Yes, regular contact*

- More notice of events*
- Consider timings for working parents*
- More opportunities to share what they have been learning through an assembly/play etc*
- More opportunity for parents to come in to school*
- As a working parent it would be nice to know how we can support*
- Sometimes I can miss things on do-jo*
- Fewer events but bigger*

Yes 138 97%

Somewhat/sometimes 2

No 3

3) As a family, do you feel that your identity is valued at Lawn?

Yes, good communication

Yes 140 98%

Not really 1

Not sure 1

No 1

4) Do you attend any community events outside of school?

5) Have you ever felt excluded or discriminated against in the wider community?

No 99%

Yes, but now the children are at school it helps knowing other families

6) Are there any places in Derby or surrounding areas where you do not feel safe, comfortable or welcomed?

City centre

Allestree

Outside Intu

Normanton, Chaddeston, Allenton

Allestree town centre

Current situation in Israel/Ghaza

Year 6 pick up

Darley

About yourself/family:

Which area of Derby/Derbyshire do you live in?

How many children do you have attending Lawn Primary School?

Do you consider that you or a member of your family have ever been impacted by belonging to any of these protected characteristics? (please circle/tick all that apply)

- Age 1
- Disability 1
- Sex (gender) 2
- Gender reassignment
- Marriage or civil partnership 1
- Pregnancy or maternity 1
- Race – 1 during covid, 3

- Religion/belief
- Sexual orientation 1

Appearance 1

Please use this space to provide any further comments related to the above, community, diversity, equity, inclusion or belonging.

For example, what could Lawn do to help all families have a sense of belonging in the wider community?

Always felt welcome

Continue to do what you do now, promote areas where families can seek support and advice. E.g. Bridge the Gap has been amazing for my children. Promoting this enabled us to access this service.

Lawn is always helpful. Couldn't ask for more.

I have always felt part of the Lawn community as do my children. Learning about different cultures and religions, different family dynamics is particularly important.

Lawn and Allestree are very welcoming

Lawn does a wonderful job of encouraging acceptance, embracing differences and understanding diversity. I feel so happy that my boys will grow up in a more compassionate and open circle.

The school has a great reputation for inclusion, equality and diversity

Lawn has always supported both of my children and are always available for extra support

The team at Lawn clearly take inclusion seriously – we could feel it from the first time we looked around and feel very lucky. Teaching about different families feels appropriate and been handled in a way that makes him feel included.

Lots of events offered to all

We are happy with how settled our son is.

Varied, inclusive and diverse

Carry on the positive example of the Summer Faire bringing in the wider community

Keep doing what you are doing

I think the school do a fantastic job with this

Nothing – they cover a wide range of activities and inclusion for all children and families.

- More free activities and clubs after school
- Increase the number of productions E.g. Eid, Passover etc
- More information on transgender please
- Introduce BSL

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.

**This questionnaire is anonymous but if you would like to be contacted to discuss any of the questions please write your name or email our DEIB Lead, Miss Alexander:
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