

William Austin Junior School

Title of Meeting: Family Forum

Date of Meeting: 28.1.16



Minutes taken by:	Donna Chambers
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Apologies: n/a	
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Present: Mrs Adams, Head Teacher
Mrs Parkar, Deputy Head
Mrs Chambers, FW Team Leader
Mrs Akhtar, FW
1 family represented

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	Time meeting opened: 9.00am	
1.	Behaviour Parent stated that she had no major issues and overall was quite happy. It was disappointing that the provision at St Matthews was not currently available as this was preferred to having one of their workers present here to support with behaviour.	
2.	SEN Parent was impressed with our SEN department and appreciates the level of support provided by the SEN team, especially Mrs Day.	
3.	Uniform A question had been sent in by a parent who could not attend, about why we did not wear Summer dresses. It is because it is easier for families to to work with polo shirts and there is more uniformity this way with boys and girls being dressed similarly. We were reminded that we still have the Salwar Chemise. The recent new school jumper has been criticised for not washing well and 'bobbling'. The school will give that feedback to the supplier.	
	Summary: The parents were thanked for their input, we are very grateful for all their thoughts and ideas and time taken out of their day to participate. It would be lovely to see more parents next time as their ideas are greatly valued and it is a marvellous opportunity for them to gain more insight into how our schools runs and make an impact on improvement.	

Meeting closed at: 9.30am