

William Austin Junior School

Title of Meeting: Family Forum

Date of Meeting: 11.3.2019



Minutes taken by:	Jackie Slater
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Apologies: n/a	
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Present:
Mrs Adams, Head Teacher
Mrs Parkar, Deputy Head
Ms Slater, FW Team Leader
Mrs Pal, FW
6 families represented

		Action
	Time meeting opened: 9:00am	
1.	<p><u>Parents view on school</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Very good school, everything is nice • Teachers help children to excel • Parents feel if they have any issues they can speak directly to class teacher and it will be resolved • A parent shared how all of her 5 children have attended WAJ and all have gone on to be high achievers • Family Centre is always very welcoming, staff very helpful • Family Centre run good courses for parents • Parent gave their view on Stay and Play and how much her daughter loved coming and asks to come everyday. Mum asked if it would be possible for this to be run twice per week. 	<p>Sewing tutor also a parent and was able to answer questions regarding sewing course as interest shown from a couple of parents</p> <p>Mrs Slater to review timetable to see if this is possible. Mrs Slater to talk to other Mums who attend to get their views</p>
2.	<p><u>Homework</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Parent shared how she is struggling to get her child to do their timetable rock stars homework • Parent felt level of homework was not enough for her child who is in year 6 	<p>Mrs Adams provided strategies for Mum to try with her son to encourage his learning and informed her about lunch time maths club</p> <p>Mrs Adams and Mrs Parkar confirmed level of work per year group and discussed the importance of having a</p>

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		healthy balance of activities outside school
.3.	<u>Holiday Club Activities</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parents asked about holiday clubs when they are to start when will information be provided if place given	Mrs Slater informed parents letters will be going out from CYCD to confirm all dates times and details in due course.

Meeting closed at: 10.00am