

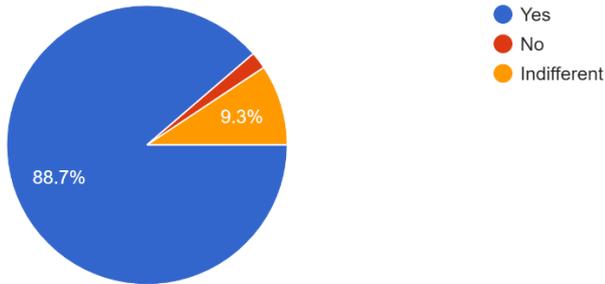
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Dear Parents

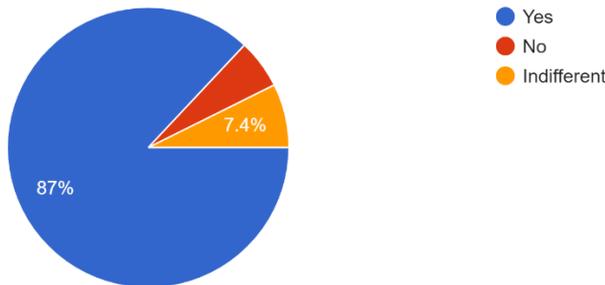
**Survey Feedback and Home Learning Updates**

Thank you so much for taking the time to complete the short survey on our ‘No-Screen Day’, I have captured the responses for you below. 356 parents responded.

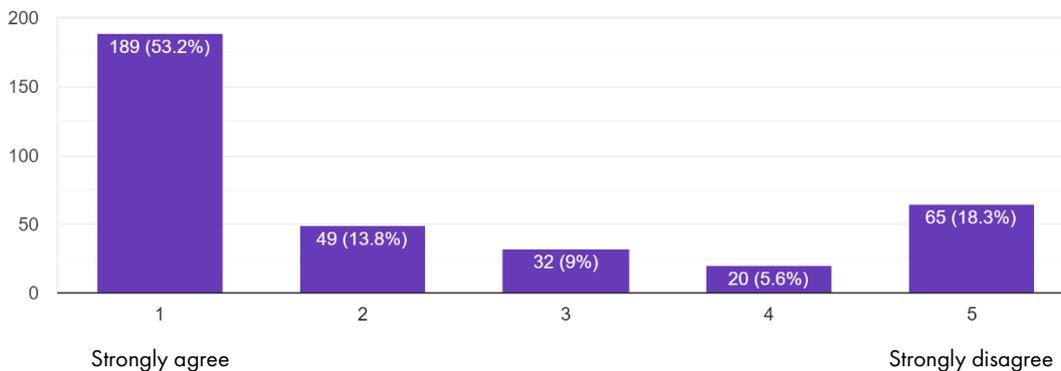
Did your child like the No Screen Friday?  
353 responses



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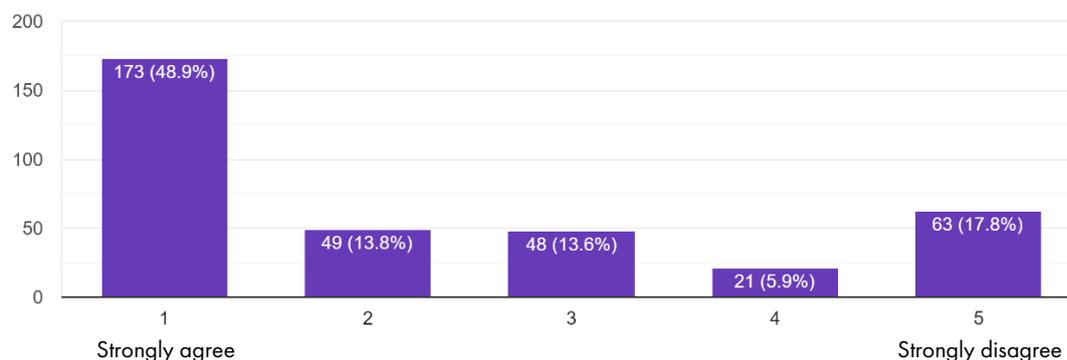


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355 responses



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354 responses



With these results in mind, and the benefits the day brought to the vast majority of children, we have decided to hold another one on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February.

It will be slightly different though, in order to take account of all views of all the parents who completed the survey.

So, firstly, it will be a 'No-Screen Morning' rather than a whole day. Secondly, the teaching team have prepared year group specific tasks for their children to complete during the morning – all of which have an education focus linked to their current learning. The teaching team have also prepared, where it's appropriate to the task, packs of resources to make the tasks as accessible as possible for all their children.

You will be able to collect the resource packs, as well as new reading books, on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> February. The No-Screen Morning tasks for Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February will be released at 1pm today to allow you and your child time to have a look at what to expect next Friday.

## Home Learning Updates

The work for the day will now be scheduled to be released at 7:30am – this will commence from Monday 8<sup>th</sup> February – I know for some families this will be a welcome change as they will be able to start their day earlier.

As a school we have followed the Government's directive in terms of the hours of learning we must provide each day. Speaking to many parents this week, I am hearing how hard our children and you are finding this now. On the flipside we have also been asked for more work for some of the children. It's a very difficult one to balance.

However, I am currently reviewing the curriculum delivery and there will be a change after half term with more focus on PE and games using our new Jasmine PE platform at home, as well as a regular every other week No-Screen Morning with links to the curriculum specific to each year group.

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As a teaching team, we will be meeting next week to review year group specific workload for after half term.

I've said it before during the celebration assemblies, but I'll say it again: if you only manage to get the maths, English, Guided Reading, phonics done each day – then take that as a win.

Kind regards

George Flooks  
Headteacher

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