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Dear Parent,

Thank you for taking the time to complete our Parent Consultation for New Starters.

Below is a summary of the results for your interest. I am very pleased to say that it seems our personal touches are much appreciated and the response has been very positive. 11 forms were sent out and 8 completed forms have now been received.

Grading used on a scale of 1 to 5 (1=poor 5=excellent).

1 How welcome were you made to feel on approaching the school in the first instance?

8 out of 8 responses grade 5

Comments made included:

- *None made*

2 How well informed did you feel prior to your child/ren starting the school?

8 out of 8 responses grade 5

Comments made included:

- *None made*

3 What part of the induction process did you find the most useful e.g. prospectus, pre visit information, school tour...

5 out of 8 responses grade 5.

3 no response

Comments made included:

- *School Tour 1*
- *School Tour 2*
- *Visiting the school and my child looked at the written information at home a lot*
- *Pre-visit information*
- *Prospectus and school visit*
- *We joined late but were given lots of help and support*
- *We always wanted our child to go to Egton School, so when we received the prospectus it was lovely to read what happened and how the school ran. The evening introduction was exciting as well as my husband and I had never been in the school. All staff were very welcoming and a warm feeling within the school.*
- *New starters meeting and tour*

- *Information folder/prospectus*

4 How well do you think your child has settled into school life and routines?

7 out of 8 responses grade 5

1 out of 8 responses grade 4

Comments made included:

- *X gets excited when X is off to school. X loves seeing friends. X had the biggest grin, especially on the run up to the infant party*
- *Mornings/lunch phased start worked well*

5 What factors do you think have contributed to the way in which your child started school?

2 out of 8 responses grade 5.

6 not graded

Comments made included:

- *Very friendly staff (also very patient with both children) Nice relaxed atmosphere in school*
- *The lovely staff have really helped X settle in*
- *Everyone was very welcoming and interested in getting to know the children*
- *Half days*
- *School routine*
- *Friendly*
- *Being at Egton Playgroup*
- *Morning/afternoon visits to the school at the end of the summer term 2017*
- *Friendly staff, lovely children*

6 If you have any personal and additional comments that you would like to make we would be very pleased to receive them as this helps to inform our school for future developments.

Comments made included:

- *Caring ethos, a friendly school*
- *It is a very warm, welcoming, happy school, great atmosphere.*
- *Gradual introduction to the school a great idea, but X just loved school so much they wanted to stay.*

School Response

- We are very glad to know that our arrangements help our children to settle so quickly and happily, as we put a lot of thought and time into our arrangements for our new starters and their families.
- Thank you for your feedback, it is important to us.

Yours sincerely,

Liz Orland
Headteacher