



# STRANRAER ACADEMY

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## You told us

### Parent & Carer Survey Results 2025/26

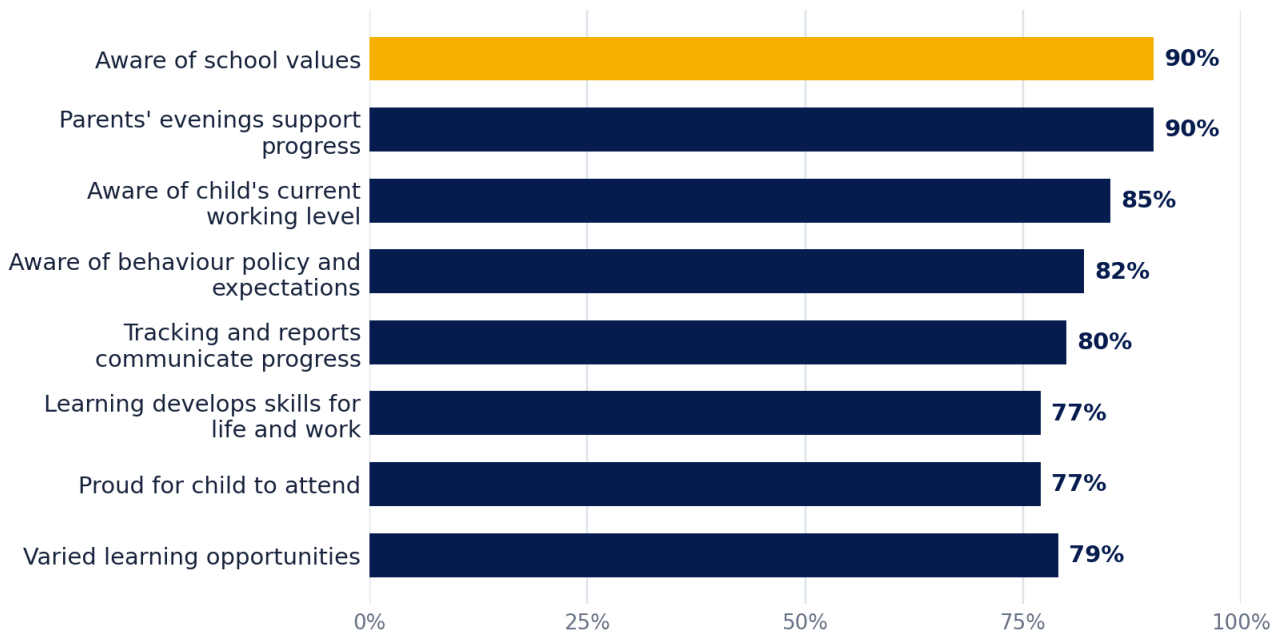
71 responses from parents and carers across S2-S6

Thank you to everyone who completed our annual survey. Your feedback helps us evaluate the work of the school and identify priorities for improvement. The results below show the percentage who selected Agree or Strongly Agree.

HGIOS key: All (100%); Almost all (91-99%); Most (75-90%); The majority (50-74%); Less than half (15-49%); A few (below 15%).

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| <p><b>Most</b><br/><b>(90%)</b></p> <p>know our school values</p> | <p><b>Most</b><br/><b>(90%)</b></p> <p>value parents' evenings</p> | <p><b>Most</b><br/><b>(80%)</b></p> <p>find tracking and reports clear</p> | <p><b>Most</b><br/><b>(77%)</b></p> <p>are proud their child attends Stranraer Academy</p> |
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### Where responses were strongest



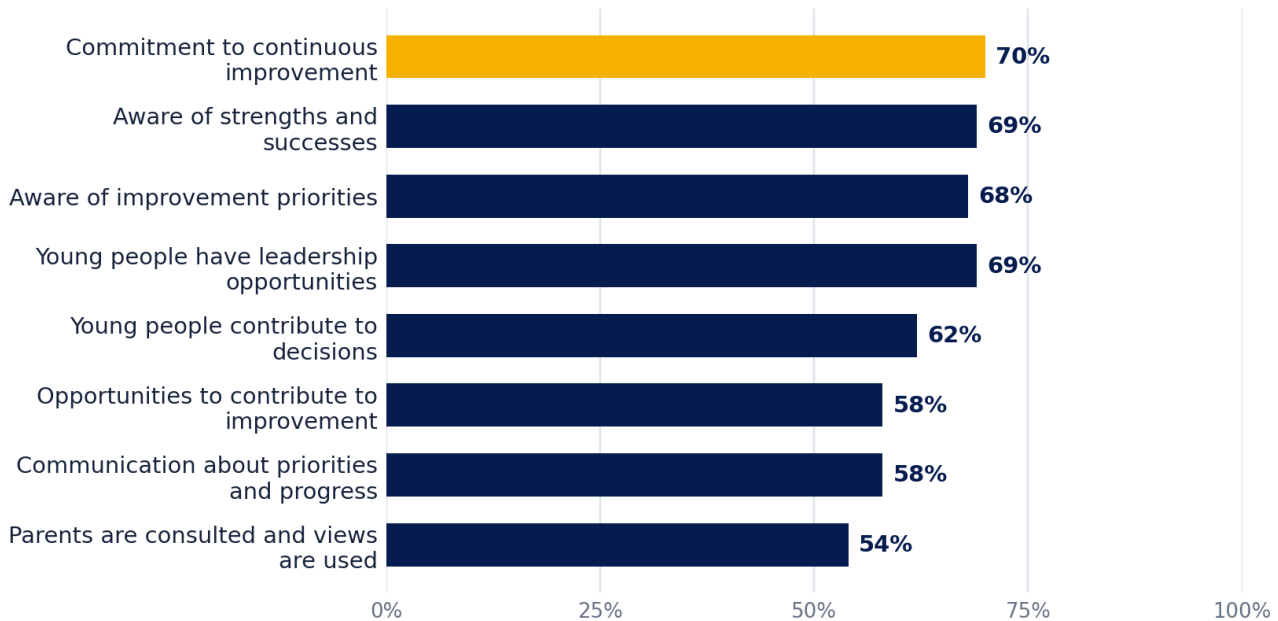
Parents and carers were particularly positive about awareness of the school values, parents' evenings, tracking and reporting, and the range of learning opportunities.

Source: Stranraer Academy Annual Parent Feedback Survey, completed at the end of session 2025/26. Percentages are rounded to the nearest whole number. Positive response = Agree + Strongly Agree.



## VOICE AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT

### Voice and school improvement



### Results in full

| Survey statement                                                          | HGIOS evaluation          |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aware of the school values                                                | <b>Most (90%)</b>         |
| Aware of key improvement priorities                                       | <b>The majority (68%)</b> |
| Aware of key strengths and successes                                      | <b>The majority (69%)</b> |
| Proud for their child to attend Stranraer Academy                         | <b>Most (77%)</b>         |
| Had opportunities to contribute to school improvement                     | <b>The majority (58%)</b> |
| Believe parents are consulted and their views are used                    | <b>The majority (54%)</b> |
| Believe improvement priorities and progress are communicated clearly      | <b>The majority (58%)</b> |
| Believe the school demonstrates a commitment to continuous improvement    | <b>The majority (70%)</b> |
| Believe their child's views and opinions are listened to                  | <b>The majority (58%)</b> |
| Believe pupils are encouraged to contribute to decisions and improvements | <b>The majority (62%)</b> |
| Believe pupils have opportunities to share feedback                       | <b>The majority (52%)</b> |
| Believe leadership opportunities and responsibilities are provided        | <b>The majority (69%)</b> |

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## LEARNING, PROGRESS AND SUPPORT

These responses help us evaluate how well learners understand their progress, receive support and experience learning across the school.

| Survey statement                                                     | HGIOS evaluation             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Aware of their child's current working level                         | <b>Most</b><br><b>(85%)</b>  |
| Tracking and full reports communicate progress clearly               | <b>Most</b><br><b>(80%)</b>  |
| Parents' evenings support understanding of progress                  | <b>Most</b><br><b>(90%)</b>  |
| Confident the school has a good overview of their child as a learner | The majority<br><b>(73%)</b> |
| Feel informed and involved in support decisions and next steps       | The majority<br><b>(63%)</b> |
| Believe the school effectively removes barriers                      | The majority<br><b>(65%)</b> |
| Believe their child experiences varied and appropriate learning      | <b>Most</b><br><b>(79%)</b>  |
| Believe their child is known well and supported to achieve           | The majority<br><b>(73%)</b> |
| Believe their child has access to high-quality resources             | The majority<br><b>(63%)</b> |

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## BEHAVIOUR, CURRICULUM AND NEXT STEPS

| Survey statement                                                    | HGIOS evaluation          |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| Aware of the Positive Behaviour Policy and expectations             | <b>Most (82%)</b>         |
| Confident behavioural issues are addressed appropriately and fairly | <b>The majority (65%)</b> |
| Believe positive behaviour is promoted and recognised effectively   | <b>The majority (69%)</b> |
| Believe the school encourages young people to 'Be Kind'             | <b>Most (75%)</b>         |
| Believe curriculum choices and pathways meet needs and aspirations  | <b>The majority (68%)</b> |
| Believe learning develops skills for learning, life and work        | <b>Most (77%)</b>         |
| Believe the curriculum prepares young people for their next stage   | <b>The majority (66%)</b> |
| Are satisfied that the curriculum meets learners' needs             | <b>The majority (70%)</b> |
| Said option-choice support helped to a great or some extent         | <b>Almost all (97%)</b>   |

Options process: 38 parents/carers said they used the opportunity to discuss choices with Pupil Support. Of the 38 who answered the follow-up question, 37 - almost all (97%) - said the support helped to a great or some extent.

### What happens next

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| <b>Communicate improvement clearly</b>  | Provide concise, regular updates on priorities, progress and the impact of improvement work.                      |
| <b>Increase meaningful consultation</b> | Create more planned opportunities for parents and carers to contribute and explain how feedback has been used.    |
| <b>Evaluate and report impact</b>       | Use future surveys and other evidence to measure improvement from the 2025/26 baselines and report back annually. |

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