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Dear Parents and Caregivers,

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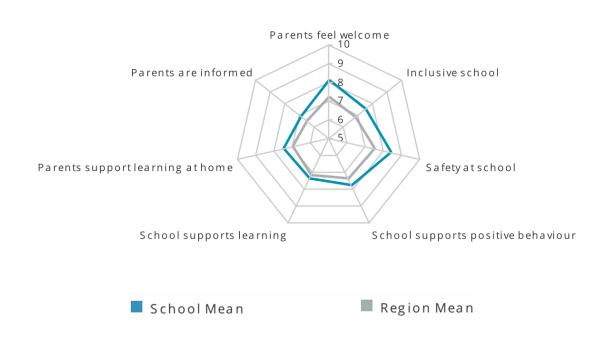
Last term we asked all our parents and/or carers to complete the *Tell Them From Me survey*. The 'Partners in Learning' Parent Survey was based on a comprehensive questionnaire covering several aspects of parents' perceptions of their children's experiences at home and school. The survey provides feedback to schools about the extent to which parents feel the school supports learning and positive behaviour and promotes a safe and inclusive environment.

The survey included seven separate measures, which were scored on a ten-point scale. The scores for the Likert-format questions (i.e., strongly agree to strongly disagree) have been converted to a 10-point scale, then averaged and reported by question and by topic. A score of 0 indicates strong disagreement; 10 indicates strong agreement; 5 is a neutral position (neither agree nor disagree).

This report provides results based on data from 62 respondents in this school who completed the Parent Survey between 27 May 2021 and 25 Jun 2021.

The *spider diagram* below gives a summary of these results and a comparison of our results with the 'region'. The region is the mean or average score of all schools in Catholic Education - Diocese of Parramatta.

This information is vital as it has affirmed some of our current practices and processes. However, it will also be used to assist with planning our improvement agenda for 2022 and beyond.



At Holy Family we are:

- Safe
- Respectful
- Responsible
- Learners

Mr Anthony McElhone Principal

Updates of Events

For the health and safety of our community we still need to follow the NSW Government's COVID-19 guidelines. Following is an update about upcoming events:

Date of Event	Event	Details
20 August & 10 September	Whole School Assembly	Cancelled
25 August	St Nicholas Netball Gala Day	Cancelled
27 August	Stage 2 Touch Football Gala Day	Cancelled
3 September	Father's Day Prayer & BBQ/ Book Week Celebration	Cancelled
20-22 October	Stage 3 Camp	To be confirmed. Awaiting further advice from the organiser (Dept of Sport & Recreation)
4, 11 & 18 November	Kindergarten Transition	To be confirmed. Awaiting further advice from the NSW Government regarding COVID restrictions
Late Term 4	Grandparents Day	Details to be confirmed in early Term 4

Staff Development Days

Following are the dates for the remaining staff development days this year. A reminder that children do not attend school on these days.

- Monday, 13 December
- Tuesday, 14 December
- Wednesday, 15 December

Please note that the student's final day will be Friday, 10 December.



2021 School Calendar

The key date of events and celebrations for 2021 can be viewed in our online school calendar. The calendar can be viewed on our school website http://www.hfluddenham.catholic.edu.au/en/Our-Community/Events

Seesaw

It is important that you check this regularly as it is our main channel of information. If you are having trouble with the app, please email Mrs Edwards on medwards3@parra.catholic.edu.au.





Enrolments for Kindergarten 2022

Application forms are available for collection from the school office. When the application form has been fully completed it should be returned to the office with the required documentation by **ASAP**.



Primary Sport Update - 17 July 2021

Due to the current COVID-19
restrictions, all Term 3 Primary
Sport Gala Days
& Athletics carnivals
are POSTPONED



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*Transitional Life Changes

*Stress Management

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