



Godalming Junior School

Pupil Survey 2025

Summary



Context

- This year saw 222 responses compared to 228 in 2024
- The survey took place in the summer term 2025



I enjoy school

- 95% responded all or most of the time compared to 77% last year. 😊
- 1/3 responded 'All the time' 😊



What 3 words would you use to describe what it is like being a learner at GJS?

- 75% or 167 children answered FUN to this question. Other responses included:
 - > Proud
 - > Calm
 - > Active
 - > Educational
 - > Exciting!
 - > Happy
 - > Joyful
 - > Cool!



Teachers help me do my best

- 90% responded all or most of the time compared to 77% last year. 😊
- 56% responded that teachers help them in EVERY lesson 😊



My teachers give me work that challenges me

- 76% responded all or most of the time compared to 51% last year. 😊
- 20% stated this happened ALL the time 😊



I enjoy learning at school

- 95% responded that they enjoy their learning most of the time compared to 81% last year.
- 42% responded that they enjoy their learning ALL the time
- Reasons why children enjoy their learning were:
 - > Teachers are kind 😊
 - > Lessons are fun and challenging 😊
 - > We are given fun problems to solve 😊
 - > Lessons can be tricky 😊
 - > Lots of different lessons 😊
- However, one did respond that lessons can be boring 😞

There is an adult to talk to if there is something worrying me

- 93% agreed there are adults to talk to compared to 86% in 2024 😊



Behaviour

- 88% agreed that most of the time, behaviour in lessons is good compared to 92% in 2024
- 97% agreed that the behaviour of pupils at break and lunch is good most of the time, this was the same as in 2024 😊



Safeguarding

- 96% agreed that they feel safe at GJS most of the time compared to 95% in 2024 😊 66% mentioned **teachers** in their reasons why they feel safe
- Reasons the children gave for feeling safe included:
 - > Teachers on duty
 - > Regular drills and lockdowns keep us safe
 - > GJS is a safe school
 - > Teachers are really good!

Other headlines

- 98% agreed that GJS encourages children to look after their **physical** health 😊
- 95% agreed that GJS encourages children to look after their **emotional** and **mental** health 😊
-  99% agreed that GJS encourages children to live up to the school values 😊
- 98% agreed that GJS encourages children to be **respectful** and tolerant of people from other backgrounds and treated equally 😊
-  97% agreed that teachers provide children with targets to develop skills further 😊
-  96% agreed that our 10richment weeks play a key part in our wider **inclusive** curriculum at GJS 😊 International and Hero Weeks being the most popular 😊
- **98% are proud to be at GJS, 78% strongly agree** 😊