



Bromley Heath Infant School
Parent Coffee Meeting
Monday 19th Jan 2018



Meeting 3	
NOTES	ACTION
We discussed the following items.	
Parents noted that Y2 parents had mixed views on the children wearing PE kit and highlighted that the children would need to get changed once in the junior school. Mrs Long reminded parents that were in attendance that the reason for the proposed change was to enable the children to be more active and have a longer active PE session rather than spending 15 mins at each end of a PE session. It will also enable the teachers to take the children out to do physical activity in other subjects – such as maths or geography. This fits with the Government’s drive to get children to be more active in and out of school.	<i>TL to re send the message about the reason behind the change via a school news letter.</i>
A parent enquired if the school had registered on the Easy Funding site? This is a cashback site that pays a % of any sales to a nominated charity. Parents informed the group that the Friends of School had registered previously and were still registered and small amounts have been received by the F.O.S. It was decided that it would be good to highlight this again to parents as many holiday companies offer cashback to charities through this site.	<i>FoS to investigate further and inform parents TL to add info to the next newsletter.</i>
We discussed the recent parent survey and Mrs Long informed the group that 57 families and 26 children responded. The overwhelming majority of responses were positive and the areas to be developed are the perception of the children’s behaviour and looking at the perception of bullying, where most parents did not know how these areas were dealt with. Mrs Long will be working with parents, school council and staff on how to improve these perceptions.	
Mrs Long asked parents present to look at the new child friendly version of the school’s Anti-bullying policy. Parents suggested adding that parents will also be informed on the child’s version. It was agreed that this would be a good idea. The policy will now be discussed with the school council before going to the Governors for approval.	<i>School council to give their views of the anti-bullying policy.</i>
It was also noted that the school was still looking into the use of safe words for when adults ring school to change who is picking up a child.	
Next meeting: Tues 13 th March at 2.30pm	