

SCHOOL INSPECTION SERVICE

Independent professional inspection of schools affiliated to the Focus Learning Trust, schools accredited as members of the Steiner Waldorf Schools Fellowship, and those schools belonging to the Cognita Group which are not members of the Independent Schools Council and its constituent associations

HANDBOOK FOR INSPECTION: SECTION 3(d) [JCB2]

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PARENTS' AND CARERS' VIEWS OF THE SCHOOL

SECTION 109 (1) AND (2) INSPECTION OF SCHOOLS AFFILIATED TO THE FOCUS LEARNING TRUST/ ACCREDITED AS MEMBERS OF THE STEINER WALDORF SCHOOLS FELLOWSHIP/ BELONGING TO THE COGNITA GROUP EXCLUDING THOSE WHICH ARE MEMBERS OF ISC AND ITS CONSTITUENT ASSOCIATIONS

School:

Inspectors will be visiting the school shortly. They would welcome your views of the school, using this questionnaire. Please read each statement and tick the answer that best fits your view. If you have more than one child at the school, please fill in a separate questionnaire for each. Your answers are confidential to the inspection team. No staff will see your comments, but the inspection report will refer to the views of parents generally.

How old is your child?

In which year group is your child?

		Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Don't know
1	My child likes this school.					
2	My child was helped to settle in well when he or she started at the school.					
3	My child is making good progress at school.					
4	Pupils behave well in school.					
5	Teaching is good.					
6	Staff expect my child to work hard and do his or her best.					
7	The homework given to my child suits his/her ability and consolidates or extends his/her learning experience.					
8	Staff treat all children fairly and with respect.					
9	I am kept well informed about my child's progress.					
10	I feel comfortable about approaching the school with questions, suggestions or a problem.					
11	I understand the school's procedure for dealing with complaints.					
12	The school helps my child to become more mature and take on responsibility.					
13	There is a good range of activities including trips or visits outside lessons.					
14	The school is well run.					

If you wish to add any further comments, please use the back of this questionnaire or write separately to the Reporting Inspector. Please do not refer to individual members of staff by name. Thank you for your views. Please return this form to the school in an envelope. The school will then forward the completed questionnaires, in confidence, to the Reporting Inspector.