

Statutory Representation Period Analysis

School: Shadsworth Infant School

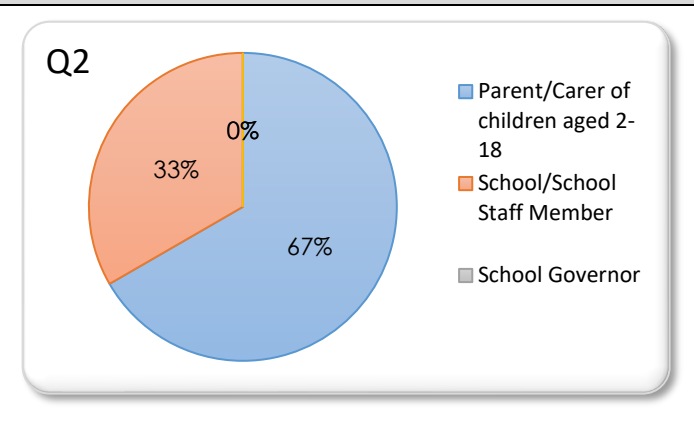
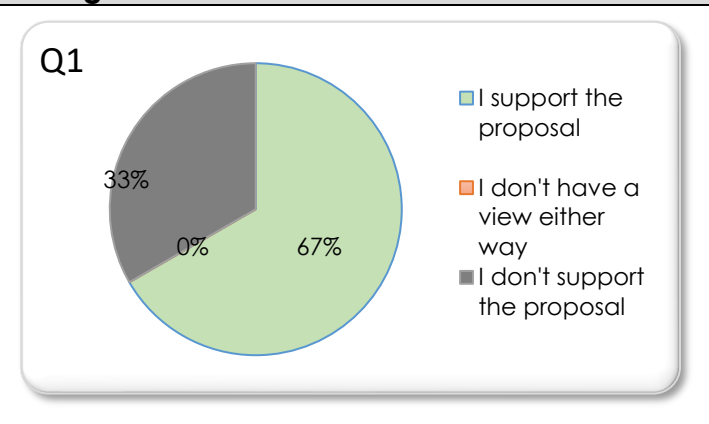
Proposal: Statutory representation period on the proposed addition of a SEN Unit at Shadsworth Infant School.

Start Date: 9th October 2023

End Date: 3rd November 2023

Q1. How do you feel about the proposed change?

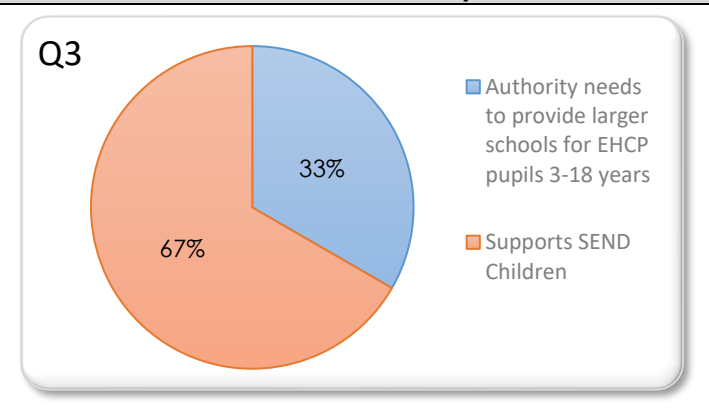
Q2. Which of the following best describes you?



There was a total of **3 replies** to the statutory representation period via the online questionnaire. There was an overall majority of **67% support for the SEN Unit. 1 person was against the proposal (33%)**. However if you take into account the data collected from the pre-statutory publication consultation, the **overall consensus is that there is support for the SEN Unit at Shadsworth Infant School.**

The **majority of replies came from parents/carers of children aged 2 - 18** who offered their support with the proposal.

Q3. Please tell us the reason for your views, or write any other comments on this proposal.



Where responses were given for question 3 they were **mostly positive**. It was highlighted that there was a **need for more specialist provision for children with special educational needs**. Despite **one response against the proposal**, the comment linked to this **highlighted a need for larger schools for children with EHCP from 3 – 18 years**. By **opening the SEN Unit at Shadsworth Infant School, this goes some way in expanding the provision for specialist**

Additional Information:

- The local authority carried out a pre-statutory publication consultation from 18th April 2023 to 5th June 2023. The results of this pre-publication consultation showed an **overwhelming response in support of the SEN Unit (97%)**. There were no respondents opposed to the SEN Unit, with one person (3%) having no view either way.

Overall Consensus: Based on the pre-statutory publication and this representation, the majority consensus is in supporting the proposal.