

BEHAVIOUR AT THURLSTONE PRIMARY SCHOOL – 17/11/22

I asked groups of children about behaviour in school and these are their responses.:

What kind of good Behaviour Do you see around school?

- *People walk down the corridors instead of run, and children are good at reminding people how to behave.*
- *Children have really good manners – they say hello and good morning and other things to each other and grown-ups all the time. Some people tell grown-ups that they look nice and ask how their day has been. Children are keen to hold doors open and always say thank you to door holders.*
- *I see lots of children remind others how to behave and not in a bossy way.*
- *In the dinner hall children sit quietly at the tables and listen to the grown-ups.*
- *When we line up, there is much less pushing in and people are calmer.*
- *People always listen in class and don't shout out.*
- *Children are really helpful towards each other, especially when they are hurt.*

What helps Children to Behave well?

- *The Behaviour Champions have really helped people to behave well because everyone wants to have hot chocolate and biscuits in the headteachers office. It helps people to remember to not break the rules.*
- *We think it's important for parents to get a message to tell them if we have broken a rule and that helps us to remember to be good as well.*
- *We like having conversations with grown-ups if we have done something wrong because it helps us know what we've done wrong and how we can do better.*
- *The posters and things on the walls around school reminds me to behave well.*
- *The school rules are good. Everyone know what they are and most people understand them – maybe the 4-year-olds don't sometimes because they are still learning them.*

What Do you think Behaviour is like at Thurlstone and Do you feel safe here?

- *It is good; if someone does something wrong, the grown-ups help us. We trust the grown-ups to help us and deal with things properly.*
- *We feel as safe at school as we do at home.*