

## MarvellousMe @Hartsfield JMI School- Analysis of Pupil Survey October 2017

|                | 1. Do you like getting a MarvellousMe badge? |           |                     | 2. Do you feel proud when you receive a MarvellousMe badge? |           |            | 3. Do your parents tell you when they receive a MarvellousMe? |           |            | 4. Does the award start a discussion at home about school? |            |            |
|----------------|--|-----------|---------------------|---|-----------|------------|---|-----------|------------|--|------------|------------|
| Year           | Yes  | No        | Why? (see comments) | Yes   | No        | Sometimes  | Yes   | No        | Sometimes  | Yes  | No         | Sometimes  |
| <b>*R (58)</b> | 58   |           |                     | 58  |           |            | 50  | 8         |            | 50   | 8          |            |
| <b>*1 (61)</b> | 60   | 1         |                     | 61  |           |            | 58  | 3         |            | 34   | 27         |            |
| <b>2 (56)</b>  | 56   |           |                     | 44  |           | 12         | 37  | 2         | 17         | 21   | 10         | 25         |
| <b>3 (56)</b>  | 56   |           |                     | 46  |           | 10         | 30  | 8         | 18         | 10   | 20         | 26         |
| <b>4 (58)</b>  | 56   | 2         |                     | 45  | 2         | 11         | 34  | 4         | 20         | 9  | 10         | 39         |
| <b>5 (81)</b>  | 77   | 4         |                     | 65  | 2         | 14         | 63  | 2         | 16         | 23   | 18         | 40         |
| <b>6 (58)</b>  | 51   | 7         |                     | 34  | 8         | 16         | 31  | 5         | 22         | 3  | 30         | 25         |
| <b>Total</b>   | <b>414</b>                                   | <b>14</b> | <b>-</b>            | <b>353</b>  | <b>12</b> | <b>63</b>  | <b>303</b>  | <b>32</b> | <b>93</b>  | <b>150</b>   | <b>123</b> | <b>155</b> |
| <b>%</b>       | <b>97%</b>                                   | <b>3%</b> |                     | <b>82%</b>  | <b>3%</b> | <b>15%</b> | <b>71%</b>  | <b>7%</b> | <b>22%</b> | <b>35%</b>   | <b>29%</b> | <b>36%</b> |

\* Completed as a whole class

**Comments-** Numerous comments were received with those received more than once summarised below.

**Reception:** It makes me really happy, we show other people, because I'm proud of myself, I like my mummy being happy

**Year 1-** My parents are proud of me, it makes me feel happy, I like getting badges, I get some awards at home. We would like a sticker/badge to wear too

**Year 2-** it makes me smile, my mum gives me a treat, it's fun, wonderful idea, I like it 'because my mum and dad know I am doing well at school

**Year 3-** I like it because- 'my mum and dad can see how I have been learning', 'it will tell my mum that I have been working hard' at the end of the day my parents are proud of me' 'it makes me feel happy inside' 'I get awarded for things I work really hard on' 'because my parents say well done and I am proud'

**Year 4-** 'my parents get excited', 'it makes me feel proud', 'I am impressed with myself' because I like my parents knowing what I do at school', 'my mum loves it', 'it makes me feel confident' 'because my mum screams very loud' it makes me feel good about my work'

**Negatives:** 'It doesn't feel very special because it is just on a screen', 'my parents are not sure which is a badge', 'I don't like that everyone can see how many badges others have', '....reception have more badges,' 'I don't like how they (parents) can't comment back', 'I want them more often'

**Year 5-** 'It tells my parents how well I have done' I feel I have achieved something, 'it makes my mum be proud and smile' 'because my mum loves to hear I'm doing well in school' ' my parents praise me' 'I feel proud of myself' 'I like to see if the teacher is impressed with my work' 'it is a nice feeling', 'because it makes me feel happy because my mum is at work she gets the alert and it makes her feel proud'

Negatives/suggestions- 'I wish when we got a class MarvellousMe we got a massive star saying on the inside 'class', 'I feel sad and disappointed when I don't get a marvellous Me'.

**Year 6-** 'I feel better for the rest of the day', 'it makes me feel good' 'I feel proud', 'it shows you/them that you've been especially good at a subject'' I feel like I have done something well and someone notices'

Negatives/suggestions- 'love getting them for myself but when your whole class gets them I don't feel as proud'

## Summary

- 428 sets of data were recorded across the school
- The app has been positively received by the children with 97% liking receiving a badge and 82% reporting that they feel proud.
- 71% are told by their parents that they have received a MarvellousMe message via the app
- 71% also agreed that the award started a discussion at school (sometimes/yes) although the idea of what a 'discussion' is could be seen as subjective- younger children believing a discussion is a comment while the older children could see it as a focus of a more prolonged conversation.
- A minority of children were sceptical regarding the app with the percentage increasing with age. Overall only 3% did not like receiving the badge/ did not feel proud.
- Any specific additional comments were almost exclusively positive about the app with the generation of pride and happiness of the children and also of the parents recorded as a recurring theme.

## Action to be taken

- Survey results to pupils, staff, parents and Governors
- MarvellousMe app to continue in school
- Discuss with teachers about ensuring that messages are as personal as possible - guidance of one activity badge ( what we have been learning etc) per week to all children with other awards based on individual children's achievements – could be between none to three for a week depending on the child- we need to keep the app meaningful. #

# Link to pupil survey action