

Parent Evaluation of Program

These are the results from the Parent Evaluations we received for this year (2006-07)

PROGRAM CONTENT:	5	4	3	2	1	Don't Know
Curriculum	17	13	2			
Age Appropriate	24	7	1			
Adequate Play Materials	21	9	2			
Physical Activities	23	7	2			
Music Appreciation	17	13	1			1
Use of Literature	19	11	1			1

COMMENT: "Don't go outside as much as I'd like them to." "Angie does awesome with the author studies!" "Great job to all!"

"Would give you 10's. Thanks for the wonderful years!! You will be greatly missed."

FACILITY:	5	4	3	2	1	Don't Know
Safe	25	7				
Children-oriented	26	5				
Inviting	26	5	1			
Attractive	25	6	1			
Comfortable	25	7				
Neat and Clean	23	8	1			
Accessible	24	8				

COMMENT: "In between 5 and 4"

STAFF:	5	4	3	2	1	Don't Know
Professional	19	11	1	1		
Knowledgeable	21	10	1			
Child-oriented	23	8	1			
Responsible	24	7	1			
Prepared	24	7	1			
Warm and Caring	27	4	1			
Open and Commutative	22	9	1			
Helpful	22	9	1			
Neat and Clean	25	6	1			

COMMENT: "Parent letter's should be typed and not hand written." "(Low score) excluding the other teacher. This teacher is wonderful!"

GENERAL:	5	4	3	2	1	Don't Know
Cost	10	13	6	1		2
Registration Procedures	17	11	2			2
Spring Program	26	6				
Info Made Avail. to Parents	21	11				
Efficiency or Total Operation	20	12				

COMMENT: "Use both power points in video. My child wasn't in it. Close ups of kids on stage."

1. If you have a problem, concern or suggestions, would you know whom to talk with?

YES: 25

NO: 7

Would you feel comfortable doing so?

Comments: "Not always"

YES: 30

NO:

2. What do you like best about our program?

Good Education	The Christian atmosphere.
The loving care the teachers give my child.	Amy and Nicole are great teachers!!
Water play, outside playground, nice teachers.	Administrative staff and teachers!
Education and biblical stand points.	The teachers are well educated.
Love the Spring Program. We feel our child gets the one and one attention when necessary. Thank you!	
Our child enjoys every day and is consistently learning new things. We appreciate the Christian basis her learning comes from.	
The variety of activities my son does during the day and the daily/Friday reports! My Favorite!	
My daughter has a lot of fun, doing all of the activities.	Jen and Darla are fantastic!
The Spring Program! The more experienced teachers. The learning opportunities my children have.	
Lots of activities, different learning plan weekly, friendly staff.	Curriculum and safety
The fact that my child has learned so much and she can't wait to come to school every day.	
Staff. They are all so wonderful. I just love all the Kindergarten teachers and helpers. The Kindergarten too. It was the best thing ever to have all day Kindergarten.	The discipline
Discipline	Very caring, open, honest. Wonderful Teachers!
2 classes - It's a lot better being divided for the "subjects" not to mention for the number of kids.	
Everything is so well organized - everything seems to go flawlessly!	
Everything	Christian based curriculum.
Everything. I wish that my daughter could continue with Kiddie Prep. We will miss all the staff, environment, Spring Program, etc..	
It has been a wonderful and educational experience for her.	
Christ-centered environment; Cheery and caring staff who are concerned about our children's' wellbeing. The school is a <u>safe</u> place and I feel secure leaving my children in the care of the staff.	

3. Are there any areas you would like to see improved or changed?

Make parents listen!!	None that I can think of.
Class a little more organized (the children not in chaos at times).	No
More of a security device on the entry doors, so not just anyone can walk in without being noticed.	No.
Send more emails or send things in the mail to part-time parents.	No
More focus on numbers & letters in 3/4 age grps.	None - Keep doing what you're doing.
2 parent/teacher conferences would be much more helpful than one.	
Encourage good eating habits. We love the good manners club. Would like the kids to eat more veggies.	
Some of the staff are young and immature - They should divide the young girls up with more experienced teachers.	
More communication, which teacher do I talk to? Is there a certain teacher that spends more time with my child?	
Monthly statements emailed out. I have lots of trouble keeping up with my balance due to holidays and stuff like that.	
Include more academic work.	No.
If there is a change in classroom, post it outside of each individual class. Or give warnings when posting is going up.	
Put a limit on number of people to come for the Spring Program or better yet - maybe divide into 2 different nights. It's <u>way</u> too	

over crowded!!

Possibly moving the Spring Program to a larger facility. (Lack of space/perking) Kudos to everyone who put all their time and effort into the Spring Program!!

I would like to see more emphasis on letters and their sounds in the classroom.

4. What could we do differently to improve communication between the parents and the school?

Weekly newsletters??

Email more info

A daily sheet about what my child did for the day, not just a green, yellow, or red card. More details about their progress.

The green, yellow, red system is good, but it would be helpful if the teacher that observed some of the behaviors would sign it so that we can discuss it with him/her the next day. At the end of the day, the staff who is in the room at pick up time usually had no idea what kind of day the child had.

None that I can think of.

Make the entire staff knowledgeable - sometimes the teachers in the afternoon have no idea what happened that day. EX-if the child was hurt earlier in the day.

Nothing

Have a sheet posted on who we can talk to and the best time to talk to them is. Look more approachable?

Use email more often. That is my primary way of communicating at work and with friends because it's non-invasive.

You could not do any better. You already have excellent communication.

Make a "weekly" newsletter, we only got one maybe once a month - Sometimes I don't think even that many.

New emailed statements and communications are great.

Nothing - Was kept very aware of what was happening with the school.

5. Please share any additional comments or suggestions you may have about KPS.

Darla & Jen have been great. We will miss them.

Keep up the great work!

As mentioned above, we have confidence in the staff for the most part. However, I've noticed (and commented to the administration) that a couple of staff personnel seem to lack the maturity and temperament needed to deal effectively with children.

A little on the pricey side.

Your smiles and hard work are appreciated by use, keep up the good work.

Maybe let parents know when drills will be for younger kids who may not understand. (fire drills, tornado, lock down...etc.)

Try not to raise voice when child is not listening.

Kdg. Graduation in the evening, not lunch time.

For the most part, I love KPS and so do my children.

Keep up the good work.

Overall, I love KPS and so does my child. Making these forms also shows me you care about my needs as well as my child's.

I love this place! I searched long and hard before finding you and it was all worth it!

Keep up the good work. It may be better to have graduation ceremonies in the evening hours to make it more convenient for parents to attend.

If my child was coming for breakfast, it would be nice if the new menu for the following week was posted on the website before Monday so I wouldn't always have to call and ask what you're having for those of us who have someone else pick up in the afternoon and don't see the new one.

Thanks to everyone for all their time, gifts and talents!!

Thanks for Spring Program DVD's.

I cannot thank Kiddie Prep enough for all they have done in the past 5 years. I hope the school is around for when our daughter has children, that way there is 3 generations that attended Kiddie Prep!
