

Year 8 Parental Views

Comments/ Suggestions

I had no feedback on my child's monitoring. I have raised this at parents' evening and I am awaiting a response.

Monitoring is a very aspect of academic progress at Helsby High School, the Learning Manager or Head of Year has been in touch with parents to discuss the impact.

Behaviour in class is not effectively challenged when it detracts from a good learning environment.

Each department imposes their own sanctions in line with departmental and school policy. Disruptive behaviour is not tolerated.

We as a family we are very disappointed in the boys PE department. The boys are expected to bring 2 sets of shoes for each lesson i.e. boots and trainers. They are never available at parents evening and are only interested in basketball or football catering for a very small minority.

This has been passed in to the PE Department.

My son feels that some smoke and not enough is done about it.

This has been passed on to SLT.

I feel that children in lower grade classes are not encouraged as much as in the higher grades. Do not seem to have much homework as compared to higher sets. Worried the divide between the set is widening.

Homework is being monitored and HoY and SLT are taking regular planner checks for the amount of homework being set.

I have asked on several occasions for a meeting to discuss my daughter's medical condition – as yet I have had no response but we love Helsby High School on the whole.

This has been passed on to the SENDCO

More sports for the girls e.g. volleyball, badminton

This has been passed on to the PE Department

Erratic homework, do not know what is on offer after school. No updates other than parents' evening, no input into the planner

Details of homework and after school activities are available on the school website/MCAS and text messaging.