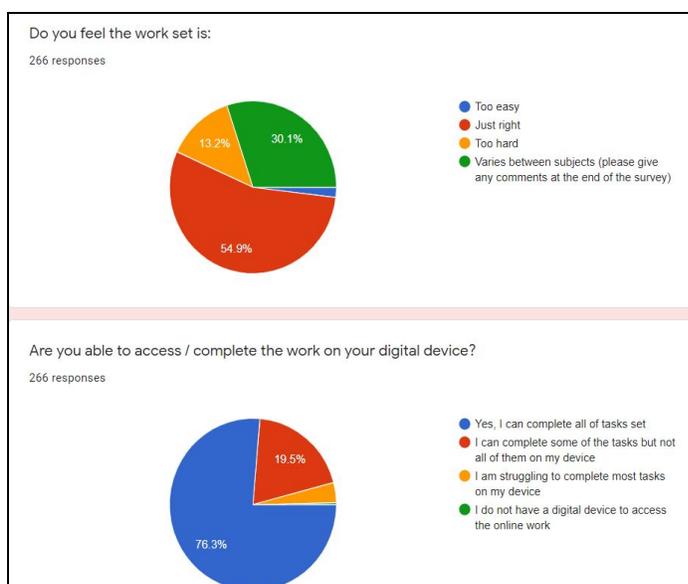


## Stakeholder Surveys - Feedback

In order to support future planning for our remote learning provision, we took the opportunity to get feedback from staff, students and parents/ careers. Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete the survey and for your feedback.

The responses were overwhelmingly positive from students and parents alike. As a school, we took the decision to deliver 100% of live lessons to Years 11,12,13, 50% of live lessons to Years 9,10 and 25% of live lessons to Years 7,8. From the survey, 90% of students said that they were accessing 3 or more live lessons a day. In total, 96% of students were able to access most of the tasks on their devices and 76% of students said that they felt that they were getting enough feedback. We asked students which activities they felt supported their learning well. The range of tasks identified shows the variety of teaching and learning methods that teachers are using to engage and support with student progress. Responses pointed to quizzes, live feedback using the chat function and the use of online learning platforms such as Dr Frost and The Oak Academy.

### Results from Student Feedback

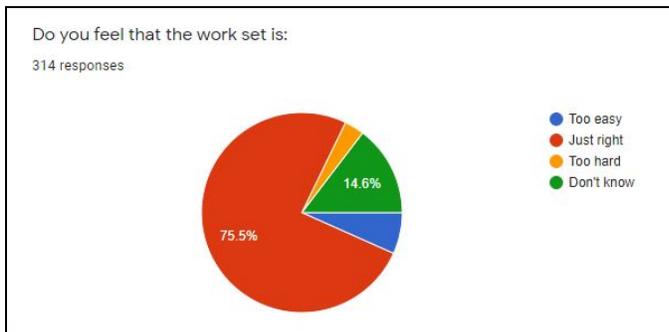


Shifting from classroom teaching to remote learning has certainly been a challenge for staff and students alike. Getting to grips with new technologies was an initial hurdle to overcome. During the first lockdown, we piloted live lessons with Years 11 and 13. We offered staff training to upskill teachers on how to use Google Meet. On our return to school, we continued to support students who were self isolating through a blended learning approach. This put us in good stead for lockdown 3. It is amazing to see how far we have come over a short period of time and how well our students have adapted to this new way of learning.

Staff training has taken the form of one to one coaching sessions and guided video clips recorded by our Computing Team. In response to parent and student feedback, we offered staff

training on how to give feedback using software such as Google Forms and Mote which allows teachers to give verbal feedback.

Prolonged screen time and falling behind on work were common issues raised by parents, students and staff. For this reason, we introduced 'Feedback Friday' and 'Catch up Friday' to enable students to get on top of their work or to undertake work away from the screen. It was great to see examples of some of the creative work that students have produced on these days.

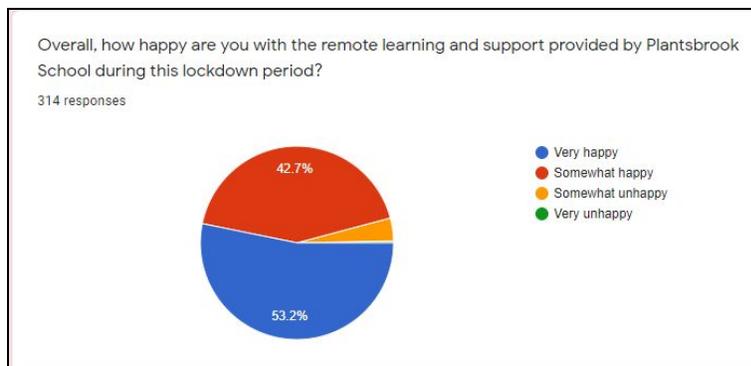


Personalising learning for all students remotely presents a significant challenge, especially for our SEND students. Nothing beats the face to face support that teachers can offer in a classroom. To address some of the concerns raised, we have delivered training on how to support lower ability students remotely.

We also appreciate that there has also been some confusion over how to access live lessons and where tasks are recorded. As a school, we use ShowMyHomework as an organisational tool to log homework. We have asked teachers to continue to use this to schedule live lessons but recognise that other portals such as Google Classroom have features that support remote learning in a way that ShowMyHomework may not be able to. Moving forward, we very much hope that we will be able to return to 100% face to face teaching. In the event that we have future lockdowns, we will certainly look to iron out some of the issues raised.

Remote learning has opened our eyes to the amazing possibilities that technology brings in terms of supporting student learning and we will continue to make use of online learning platforms such as Google Classroom in our everyday teaching.

### Results from Parent/ Carer Survey



It was very reassuring that 100% of parents / carers said that their children were able to access the work and 96% of parents / carers said that they were happy with the remote learning and support provided by Plantsbrook School.

We would like to thank all students, parents and carers and carers for their continued support during this difficult time and appreciate the lovely comments that were shared on the surveys. It really does make us very proud to be Plantsbrook!

Thank you and very well done to all the teachers and staff who are working so hard to keep learning and education going - it is much appreciated.

I would like to send a big thank you to all of the staff at this time. You are going above and beyond for our children.

All my teachers are doing very well considering the situation.