



Clayfield College

24 October 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

Earlier this year, I commissioned an independent, confidential 'experience' survey of parents (Pre-Prep to Year 12) and students (Years 6 to 12) as part of our commitment to continually monitor and improve the quality of education we provide to our students.

This information is most important for the College for our operational and strategic planning, as well as for tracking changes in our performance.

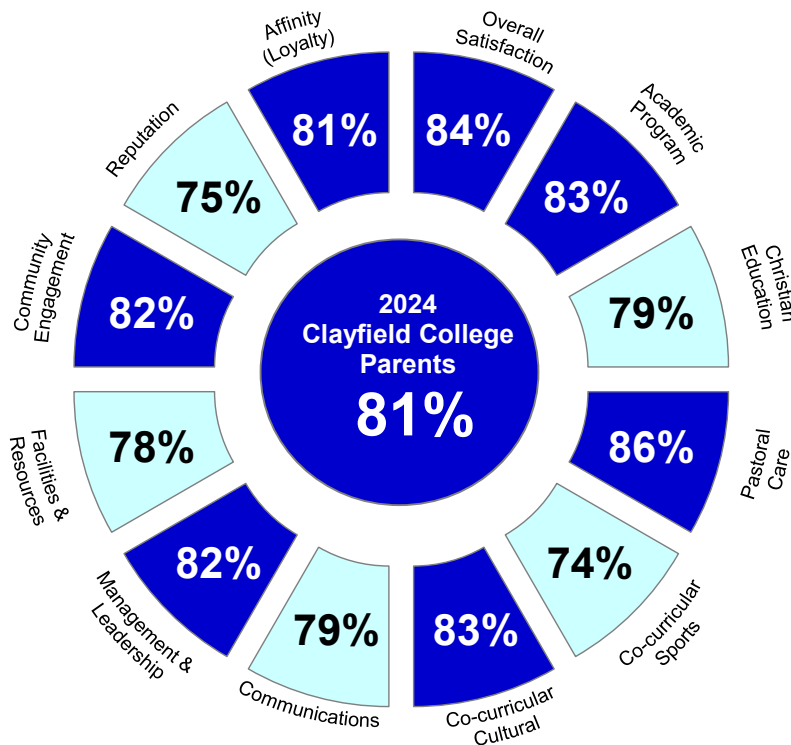
For the 2024 review, a total of 214 parents completed the survey.

The surveys were extensive and covered in excess of 300 aspects of education at the College.

Overview of Key Areas

The 'MMG Wheel' below reflects the average scores for parents across key areas.

Parents noted 'very high' scores for 7 of the 12 areas and 'high' scores for the remaining 5 areas. The overall score is 'very high' (81%).



Very low	Low	Moderate	High	Very high
<50%	50%-<60%	60%-<70%	70%-<80%	80%+

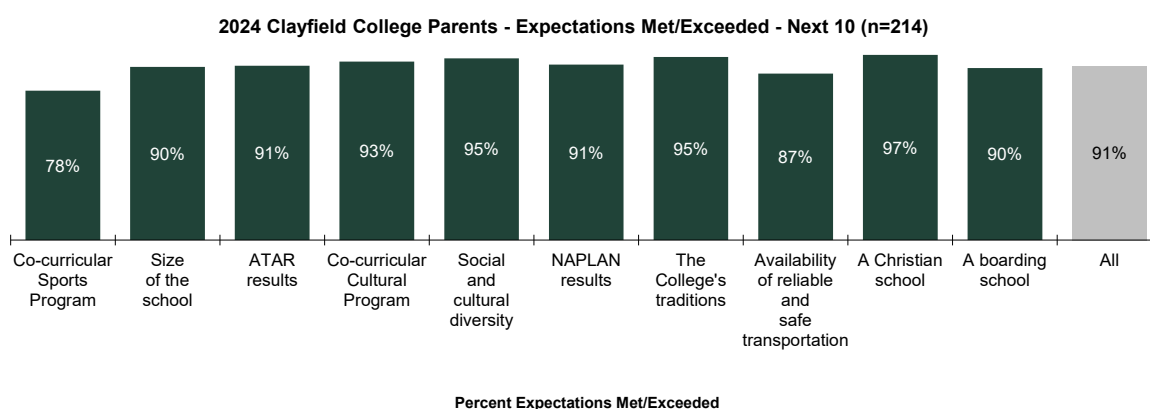
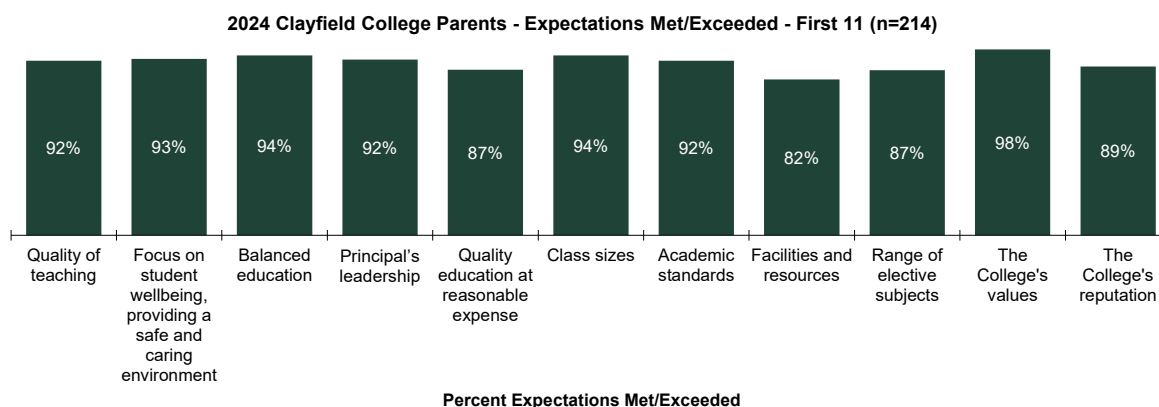
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Expectations Met or Exceeded

The following charts detail the percentage of parents who noted their expectations had been met or exceeded across key areas, ranked in order of the importance they placed on these same areas when choosing the College for their children. For example, 92% of parents noted their expectations had been met or exceeded for 'Quality of teaching' – the noted most important area.

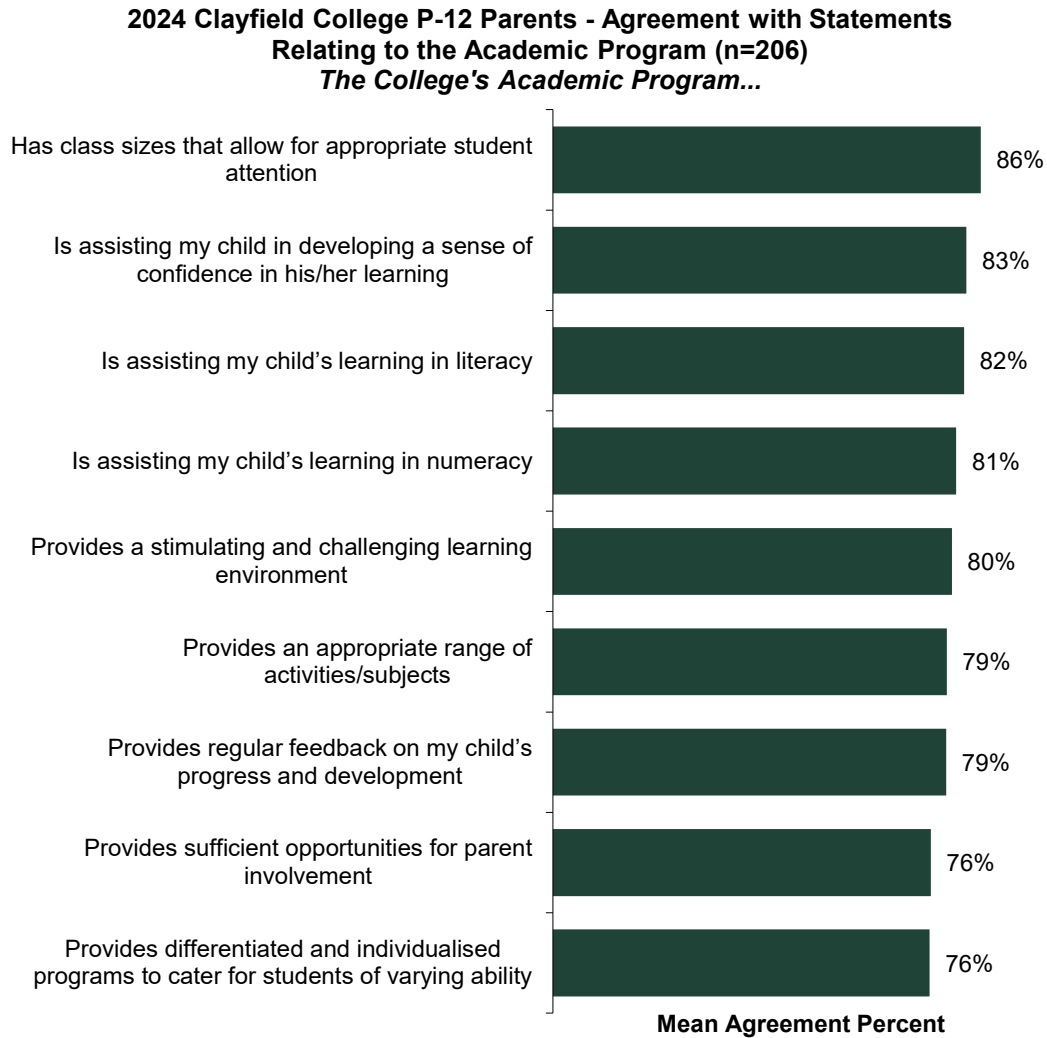


Expectations Met/Exceeded for Top 5 Most Important Areas

1. 92% of parents noted their expectations were met or exceeded in relation to the Quality of teaching
2. 93% of parents noted their expectations were met or exceeded in relation to the Focus on student wellbeing, providing a safe and caring environment
3. 94% of parents noted their expectations were met or exceeded in relation to a Balanced education
4. 92% of parents noted their expectations were met or exceeded in relation to the Principal's leadership
5. 87% of parents noted their expectations were met or exceeded in relation to Quality education at reasonable expense

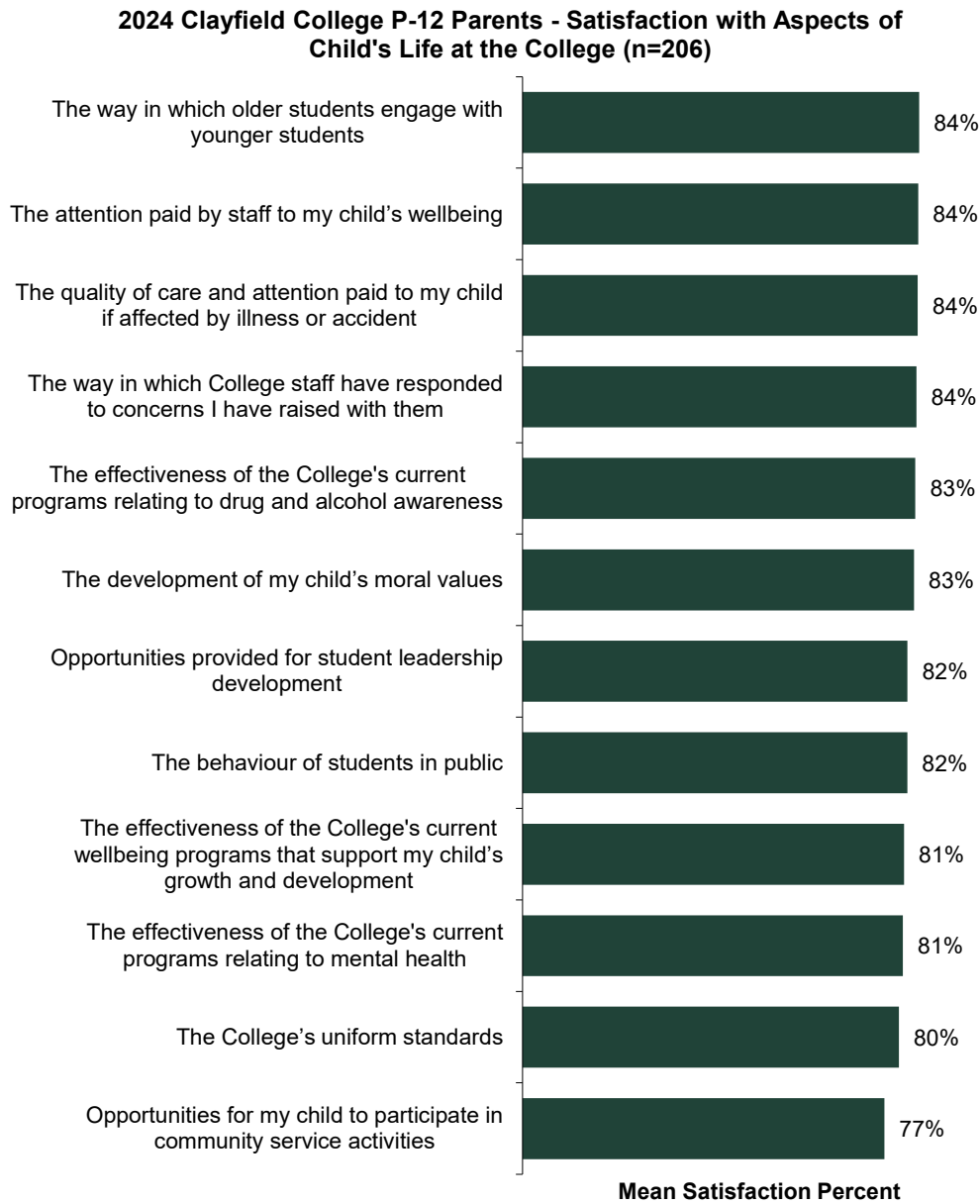
Academic Program

The following chart shows Prep to Year 12 parents' level of agreement with statements relating to the Academic Program at the College.



Child's Life at the College

The following chart shows Prep to Year 12 parents' level of satisfaction with aspects of their child's life at the College.



Open Responses

Parents also provided valuable 'open responses' on a number of areas. These responses added greatly to the value of the review. In response to the question about what parents valued most about Clayfield College, the top five areas noted by parents are detailed below.

2024 Clayfield College Parents - What do you value most about your association with the College? (Top 5)
Quality of teachers & staff
Safe, caring & supportive environment
The College community
The College culture & values
Child enjoys going to school

Overall, we are very pleased with the results. However, there are areas identified where further investigation and attention will be given. These include the ongoing pursuit of academic excellence in our programs, aspects of the pastoral care program and aspects of the co-curricular sports program. The survey also provided some wonderful insights into student use of technology which we look forward to exploring with our community further.

We wish to thank the 2024 parents sincerely for their feedback and for the extent of information and quality of views expressed.

Attached is a small sample of some of the 'open ended' comments from parents in relation to what they valued about their experience with the College.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any questions about the information in this document or any other matters.

Kind regards,



Dr Andrew Cousins
Principal



Parent extracts in relation to what they valued about the College.

Wellbeing, quality education and support, caring teachers that are high performing and rewarded, focus on behaviour and standards with values, not just the academics.

We really value the strong sense of community within the college, both for students and parents. Lifelong friendships are being formed and valued. The staff are very highly valued for their commitment, competence and the great care they show students. The small class sizes with opportunity for more individualised learning and teacher feedback are another highly valued feature of the College.

The teachers and great learning opportunities provided to my child. The community spirit and feeling of welcome in the school.

The respect I see the college shows to my child, the genuine concern they have for her well-being and the true delight they take in sharing her moments of success with her.

The fundamental difference to my daughter's life and the joy, confidence and personal growth that this school provides to her.

The compassion and genuine care for my child in the hardest times in her life.

The care the College has given to my children for their education and wellbeing. It is an exceptionally good school with terrific leadership, dedicated teachers and wonderful staff.

Quality of teachers and coaching. Attention, support and recognition for my child. Safe and pleasant environment for my child.

Our son loves his school and is excited to learn and participate; and how welcomed we feel as a family.

Our interaction with various areas of the College have provided us a positive experience and a sense of belonging.

Our children have been supported, nurtured, extended and cared for in a way that would rival any school in Brisbane. We value the staff and the school hugely.

