

Zippy's Friends and Apple's Friends school survey 2017

We asked schools and teachers for their feedback on running *Zippy's Friends* and *Apple's Friends*. We received feedback from over 70 schools. This information is invaluable and helps us to develop and improve the programmes, so many thanks to all those who took the time to complete the survey. All schools were entered into a prize draw, and **congratulations goes to Tewksbury Primary School who won a £250 Entertainer voucher!**

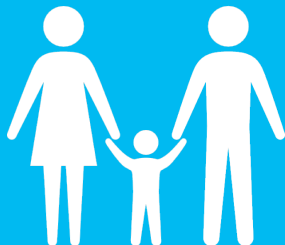
Here are some responses from the survey which help remind us why it is important to find time in the week for this lesson.

OUTSIDE THE CLASSROOM

68%

of teachers agreed that benefits had been noticed outside the classroom

"Parents have told me their children are now able to resolve conflicts with siblings rather than argue"



ENJOYMENT

98%

of teachers agreed that all children enjoyed *Zippy's Friends* and *Apple's Friends* sessions, which many teachers noted was due to children feeling empowered to join in and have their voices heard

COPING

87%

of teachers agreed that children are better at dealing with their feelings and dealing with difficult situations since taking part in *Zippy's Friends* and *Apple's Friends*

"Children who struggle building friendship groups are now more confident at building relationships with their peers"



PROGRAMME DELIVERY

81%

of teachers agreed that they feel excited and engaged when teaching *Zippy's Friends* and *Apple's Friends*

WHOLE CLASS APPROACH

87%

of teachers agreed *Zippy's Friends* and *Apple's Friends* are suitable for all children regardless of ability and are very inclusive

BEHAVIOUR

65%

of teachers felt the programmes improved the children's behaviour

"The structure, lesson plans and resources make delivering the programme straightforward"

