Parkland School Division 70 **Q1** What are some things you appreciate and some concerns you have about Blueberry School and/or Parkland School Division this year? (Note: you can hit the three purple dots and skip a thought in the 'Star' phase if a thought doesn't apply to you.) The sidewalks and parking lot are a death trap. We need some work done and some 4 🛨 **4.4 ★★★★☆** (38 ▲) 3 🛨 🔳 sidewalks repaired. A better plan for drop off Ranked #1 of 141 2 ★ 🛚 and pick up would be g Good too! 1 🔺 Parking lot and paths is a nightmare with ice 5 🛨 Safety of students and staff 4 🛨 🖿 **4.4** 3 ★ 🗖 Ranked #2 of 141 2 ★ 🗉 1 ★ Glad to have hot lunch back! Thanks for this! 4.3 4 + 3 🛨 Ranked #3 of 141 2 ★ 🗉 1 🔺 It is time to let parents back in the school 5 🛨 Parents need to feel more connected. **4.3** 4 ★ 📟 3 + Ranked #4 of 141 2 ★ 1 + The parking lot is a nightmare It's a safety 5 hazard, the physical lot is full of potholes and 4.3 *** (29 🌡) 4 ★ 3 🛨 🗉 not enough room for pick up, kids are popping Ranked #5 of 141 2 ★ out from between cars, it's dangerous! 1 🔺



Winter conditions. The sidewalks and parking area are a joke and very dangerous Simple: dangerous. I've seen adults and kids fall and hurt themselves. Fix the problem already	4.1	★ ★ ★ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #13 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
A way to see the school I understand with current pandemic restrictions it would require planning but we have never seen the inside of the school/classroom	4.1	★★★★☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #14 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ = 1 ★ =
Principle support Having someone that stands for what your child needs is extremely helpful	4.1	★ ★ ★ ☆ (35 ♣) Ranked #15 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ ■ 1 ★ ■
Students are losing EAs. When they burn out because of difficult students and leave, they aren't always replaced. Or, when an EA is sick, they aren't Always replaced. This is troubling as both staff and students rely on the important role that EAs play in our school.	4.1	Anked #16 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★ =
Icy sidewalks. I have seen over a dozen kids hit their heads this past few weeks and not even a bit of salt was on the ground The well being and safety of the kids. Ready to call safety out there it's so dangerous	4.0	Anked #17 of 141	$5 \bigstar =$ $4 \bigstar =$ $3 \bigstar =$ $2 \bigstar =$ $1 \bigstar =$
I appreciate the hard working staff!!! Even more during these uncertain times. Thank you for everything you do! Every. Single. Day.	4.0	★★★★ (39 ▲) Ranked #18 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ ■ 1 ★
I enjoy seeing the children's art work in the newsletter and photos of what the children have been doing. Children feel special that they have had their work shared	4.0	★ ★ ★ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #19 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★ ■
The ice on the sidewalks is horrendous. The safety of students, staff and visitors seem not to be important to the school division as this is a problem that results in injury every year.	4.0	★ ★ ★ ★ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #20 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

I appreciate our commitment to levelled literacy intervention and math intervention Students are being met where they are at and receiving intense support to boost their skill and understanding as often as possible	4.0	★ ★ ★ ☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #21 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ ■ 1 ★ ■
mental health as it relates to covid - for teachers as well as students. Its become extremely polarizing. obvious	4.0	★★★★ (38 ♣) Ranked #22 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Options classes Allowing students to still have choice even with impacts of COVID. Having passion projects really helped the kids.	4.0	★ ★ ★ ★ ☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #23 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Parking in DROP OFF!!!! This needs to be fixed ASAP. With is being so icy. The cars parking there is making it way more dangerous! There is parking at the back.	4.0	★★★★ (35 ♣) Ranked #24 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *
There needs to be more EA's, class sizes are way to big for one teacher, kids are not getting the help and support they need.	4.0	★ ★ ★ ★ ☆ (34 ♣) Ranked #25 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I have always been very happy with Blueberry School, my biggest concern has always been the ice in the winter. I have seen teachers and students fall. The icy needs to be cleared or more gravel put down on it. Someone is going to get seriously hurt out there!	4.0	★ ★ ★ ☆ (6 ▲) Ranked #26 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Love the school and staff! They're all open and easy to communicate with. We need to address dangerous winter/spring sidewalks Dozens of parents and children have been hurt. It's never shoveled, salted or sanded. It's super dangerous. Need to hire a snow removal company.	3.9	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #27 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

The ICE - At Muir and Blueberry has been horrendous! Dangerous and terrifying to think about injuries and risk. Important to have proper staff and budget for maintenance for basic schoolyard safety - even just for walkways.	3.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (39 ▲) Ranked #28 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★
I appreciate that Blueberry School keeps the children inside the school for recess when it's freezing cold out. They need to be able to have a good time and not be frozen while they do it.	3.9	★★★☆☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #29 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
The playground needs some tlc. I'm sure the school is already aware of this. It would be nice to see an outdoor track for the students and an improved outdoor basketball court.	3.9	★★★☆☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #30 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Thank you to all staff for making the best of another tough year! Making decisions/protocols and enforcing them is not an easy task - especially with some parents who seem to do nothing but complain!!	3.9	★★★☆☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #31 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
We need more speech intervention in schools. My child benefitted when AHS had speech therapists in school and we miss this service.	3.9	★★★☆☆ (36 ▲) Ranked #32 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Bullying. It is sad the amount it happens and how much it hurts those who are the subject of it and hurt that parents feel seeing their child hurt. It just hurts	3.9	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (35 ▲) Ranked #33 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 1 *
Lack of support for EA students The average of 25-75% puts a lot of kids without help. 25th percentile is an envious indicator for help but considered "average"	3.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (34 ▲) Ranked #34 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Allow option classes to each individual not one option for the whole class As an educator, education should be first priority, instead of implementing stricter covid rules	3.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (32 ▲) Ranked #35 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

Staff expectations are not consistent in each classroom. Some teachers are not held to the same expectations. More evaluations should be conducted on continuous staff to ensure everyone is meeting TQS.	3.9 ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (8 ♣) Ranked #36 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★
Insufficient chipping on icy sidewalks at Blueberry. Safety. Viewed too many kids and adults slipping on icy sidewalks.	3.9 ★★★☆☆☆(4♣) 5 ★ 8 anked #37 of 141 3 ★ 1 ★
Great staff Willing to coach, give extra time after school to support individual students with academics, meet all learners where they are at	3.8 ★★★☆☆(40 ▲) Ranked #38 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Happy with the new principal. She seems to actually listen when there is a problem and stays involved in the day to day happenings.	3.8 ★★★☆☆☆(40 ♣) Ranked #39 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ ■ 1 ★ ■
Love the Teachers!! They really always seem to go the extra mile. They are the line of communication between the parent and the student. They are who parents count on to keep us informed.	3.8 ★★★☆☆☆(40 ♣) Ranked #40 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★ ■
Allowing children to play with children of all ages is important to their growth & development and mental health. They learn compassion, respect for everyone, to teach others new ideas- no matter age, shape, or size	3.8 ★★★☆☆☆(39♣) Ranked #41 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★ 1 ★
Bullying seems like a brush off too often, especially if it's a girl doing it to a boy. No matter the gender or age, bullying is never acceptable.	3.8 ★★★☆☆☆(37♣) Ranked #42 of 141 5 ★ 4 ★= 3 ★ 1 ★ 1 ★

Mr.Marcel is a fantastic teacher!	3.8	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (9 ≛) Ranked #49 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Ms clampit Is amazing! Because she brings positive and happy times to blue berry	3.8	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (15 ♣) Ranked #48 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I love Blueberry! We have been a part of this community for 35 years. The teachers and administration are exceptional! Thank you. This had been a hard 2 years for everyone.	3.8	★★★☆☆ (26 ▲) Ranked #47 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Office staff is kind and helpful at all times. The office is the first contact and this is very important.	3.8	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (29 ▲) Ranked #46 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Bullying behaviour that continues and is not addressed. Labels placed on students that then follow them throughout their time at the school. Impacts the student's development and well-being.	3.8	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (31 ▲) Ranked #45 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
things have been great overall. However I do have 2 concerns. Making it so hard for support with kids with learning disabilities and icy sidewalks My child has suffered with getting support until I had to make a scene. They felt the school didn't care about the well- being. Icy sidewalks!!!!	3.8	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (36 ▲) Ranked #44 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
teachers, other parents and kids. Only through hockey and primary friendships have we gotten to know other families from the community. This is important as we are new to the area and community is important! Honestly, don't know if there is a solution atm.	3.8	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (37 ▲) Ranked #43 of 141	3 * 2 * 1 * •

Require additional EAs. EAs are essential. Kids requiring support lose out and manage the emotional toll of having difficulty at school. Teachers need their support as well.	3.8	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (3 ♣) Ranked #50 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *
Appreciating the school doing the best you can do given the limited support from AB government and min. of education and differing community opinions This has been a challenging year in many ways and the teachers and administration continue to show up and do what they can using the tools they have.	3.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #51 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *
Let us bring home made snacks to school! I am all for covid precautions but this is not going to spread covid. Small things like this help parents feel connected and the kids enjoy special treats on special occasions.	3.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #52 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Most subs that take over extended leaves are wonderful. Helps our children emotionally and academically when their regular teacher is gone.	3.7	★★★☆☆☆(38▲) Ranked #53 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ = 1 ★
My kid loves this school, so do we. Great staff makes all the difference. When teachers and staff are fully there for the kids, it makes all the difference. Thank you for being that kind of school	3.7	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #54 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *
Openness of administration Willing to listen to community concerns and support staff and parents	3.7	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #55 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Student achievement Blueberry has a high expectation for student academic excellence	3.7	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #56 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

I appreciate the teacher commitment and 5 🛨 3.7 ★★★☆☆(37 ▲) involvement they always go above and 4 ★ = 3 ★ 💳 beyond. I have concerns with the Ranked #57 of 141 2 ★ 💳 administration level of things this year 1 + ----Communication home is huge right now with parents not being allowed in schools. I'm not feeling this is happening at an administration level. Protocols Children's mental health 5 🛨 💻 3.7 ★★★☆☆(37 ▲) 4 🛨 🚃 3 ★ 🚃 Ranked #58 of 141 2 * = 1 + I love that I can talk with my admin at any time when I feel I need support or that a 3.7 ★★★☆☆ (36 ♣) 4 🛨 🚃 3 ★ 🚃 student needs more support. I feel like I have Ranked #59 of 141 2 🛨 🔳 the opportunity to be heard when something is 1 + important to me. open door policy with admin 3.7 ★★★☆☆(36 ▲) 4 🛨 🖿 3 🛨 🚃 Ranked #60 of 141 2 🛨 🗉 1 🛨 🗖 I've been in the school(not in 2 years 5 🛨 however) and the washrooms in this school 3.7 ★★★☆☆ (34 ♣) 4 ★ = 3 ★ = need some attention. Communication w/ Ranked #61 of 141 2 ★ 💳 parents has also lacked. Importance for functional washrooms is obvious. Willingness to work with other professionals 5 + to assist my child. I appreciate the dialogue 3.7 ★★☆☆☆(34 ▲) 4 🛨 🖿 3 ★ 🗉 between our teacher and psychologists to Ranked #62 of 141 2 ★ 💳 ensure consistent approaches and techniques 1 🛨 = are utilized I love LOVE the strong school wide initiatives that help keep standards high for student 3.7 ★★★☆☆(33 ▲) 4 🛨 🚃 3 ★ 💳 achievement. I also appreciate all of the Ranked #63 of 141 2 + programs offered to Support this!

I dislike when things are kept secret for no apparent reason. When something is decided, it benefits everyone to let them know. If something is not Decided, it may help staff feel valued and important to be treated as professionals who can offer to help or find solutions within our school communit	3.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (26 ♣) Ranked #64 of 141	5 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I like the amount of communication to the parents from administration and teachers This is important so we know how to best prepare the kids.	3.7	★★★☆☆☆(16 ♣) Ranked #65 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I feel the Standard of academics is much higher at Blueberry then other schools in parkland. It makes them ready for the next grade	3.7	★★★☆☆☆(13▲) Ranked #66 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Lack of/distribution of EA support in the classrooms. More supports are needed to ensure kids are closing the gaps and teachers have appropriate support in the classroom.	3.7	★★★☆☆ (8 ♣) Ranked #67 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I appreciate the teachers walking students to the bus at the end of the day. I know where to meet my child and it's a nice feeling for a parent to say hello to their child's teacher once in a while.	3.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (5 ♣) Ranked #68 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I appreciate how many staff are on supervision. There are always many orange vests out there in the morning. This is important for safety and a welcoming feeling, especially when it is pitch black outside.	3.7	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (4 ♣) Ranked #69 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
The morning drop off is a nightmare. We need police directing traffic on the main road so cars turning left can get in. Kids are tapped by vehicles or almost hit because left turning vehicles have to rush turning as right turners don't let them in.	3.6	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #70 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

Love all the academic pull out programs they offer for students. They keep children engaged in learning at their level whether they are advanced or struggling.	3.6	★★★☆☆☆(37♣) Ranked #71 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Love the communication and positivity! I feel good sending my children to the school every day.	3.6	★★★☆☆ (37 ♣) Ranked #72 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ = 1 ★
Online school frustrating at best when kids are isolating with symptoms/covid. Limited resources, feeling disconnected, don't want to bother teacher. A huge piece of the puzzle to ensure our kids don't fall too far behind when being responsible/keeping them home, feeling somewhat unsupported.	3.6	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (35 ♣) Ranked #73 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Doing their best to navigate covid Makes it easier for the kids to adjust if school leads the way	3.6	★★★☆☆ (34 ▲) Ranked #74 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ = 1 ★
Collaboration time for staff Weekly and bi- weekly team time helps with achieving school goals and having a consistent approach among staff	3.6	★★★☆☆☆(33 ♣) Ranked #75 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I appreciate the atmosphere of acceptance and community that Blueberry school creates. It's important because I know my children are in a safe place to be themselves and experience quality learning.	3.6	★★★☆☆ (33 ▲) Ranked #76 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Why is bullying and assault "pushed under the rug" there is zero communication from administrators on how thing are being handled to keep kids safe there is such a lack of morale, and accountability, my children don't like going to school because they don't feel safe.	3.6	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (33 ♣) Ranked #77 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

The administrators are firm, fair, and caring. This is important for fundamental structure.	3.6	★★★☆☆ (29 ▲) Ranked #78 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Parking Lot and Side walks!! We do this every year and year after year nothing changes. Signs were put up that say NO PARKING ANYTIME. This is a major safety issue! NO PARKING ANYTIME should mean exactly that. It shouldn't matter the time of day.	3.6	★★★☆☆☆ (26 ♣) Ranked #79 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★ 4 ★
I appreciate the thoughtful leadership of our administrators. I also appreciate how our staff has been diligent with masks and extra hygiene. Our admin has worked hard to allow us to meet learners where they are at. Extra care with masks/good hygiene has prevented covid outbreaks.	3.6	★★★☆☆ (25 ▲) Ranked #80 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *
EAs SHOULD NOT be running classes, this has been happening for a few years now, They are not teachers, therefore shouldn't be in charge of teaching classes of any kind	3.6	★★★☆☆ (13 ▲) Ranked #81 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Admin time is taken up by Covid restrictions Not enough time for them to be circulating in the school and being part of the classrooms.	3.6	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (5 ♣) Ranked #82 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
In the mornings some students have been bumped by cars, trying to turn in.	3.6	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (4 ♣) Ranked #83 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Parents have been kept out of the school and no longer feel part of the school community I should be welcomed regardless of covid Our school has been much more rigid than others	3.5	★★★☆☆ (37 ▲) Ranked #84 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ = 3 ★ = 2 ★ = 1 ★

I appreciate the ability to provide input on the school calendar, however I would like to see the results of the survey. It's frustrating to complete the survey hoping to impact change to have the calendar not even reflect seemingly common sense choices.	3.5	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (34 ♣) Ranked #85 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★ 1
Having junior high subs that don't teach but babysit. There are a few regular subs who babysit rather than teach.Students need to be engaged and assisted in learning even when the regular teacher is away	3.5	★★★☆☆☆(33 ▲) Ranked #86 of 141	$5 \star \\ 4 \star \\ 3 \star \\ 2 \star \\ 1 \star $
Would like to see proactive development community building in junior high My child is entering jh next year and I want a more positive learning environment	3.5	★★★☆☆☆(33 ▲) Ranked #87 of 141	$5 \star \\ 4 \star \\ 3 \star \\ 2 \star \\ 1 \star $
Staff should not be asked to share their thoughts on this same forum. The perspectives are much different, and privacy is necessary for staff. Professionalism and privacy for staff members.	3.5	★★★☆☆ (26 ▲) Ranked #88 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Staff, students and our Associate Superintendent Provides time to share thoughts and ideas, laughter	3.5	★★★☆☆ (19 ♣) Ranked #89 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
My kid tells me about all of the indoor recesses. It seems like there are way more this year than ever before.	3.5	★★★☆☆☆(8▲) Ranked #90 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Out of School Care is appreciated. It simplifies child care and allows me to know my child is safely at school after drop off and until pick up. Very very helpful for an anxious child.	3.5	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (3 ♣) Ranked #91 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Zen Den In school support available to teach/support young students with anxiety or anxious behaviors is very important. The care and concern is appreciated.	3.5	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (3 ♣) Ranked #92 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

We are brand new to the area and appreciate how Blueberry attempts to keep us all informed in a timely manner of important matters. I think knowledge and information is very important and especially because there is far less face to face interaction.	3.4	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (39 ▲) Ranked #93 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★
Control of electronic devices in schools and on busses Devices should not be permitted. Young kids are being exposed to inappropriate content (ie violence/gore, mature content)	3.4	★★★☆☆ (38 ▲) Ranked #94 of 141	5 ★ ■ 3 ★ ■ 1 ★ ■
We are new to the school district, so far I have been happy with the level of learning. I am concerned about our children and their education during this time, and I think PSD is doing a good job keeping them on track	3.4	★★★☆☆☆(38 ▲) Ranked #95 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★ 1
Parking during drop off!! Every morning I have to drive all the way to the end to drop off. Cars are just parked all along the drop off zone!!		★★★☆☆ (35 ▲) Ranked #96 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Zen Den should be available for all Only offered on Tuesdays and Wednesdays which limits one of the kinder classes. COVID is contributing to high rates of child anxiety	3.4	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (35 ♣) Ranked #97 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
How EA's are running some classes instead of qualified teachers. EA's are to assist the teacher, they do not have expertise equivalent to a teacher.	3.4	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (34 ≗) Ranked #98 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
No school librarian? Wondering if this is something new or my son is not understanding the situation correctly but I understand that there is no current librarian on staff	3.4	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (33 ♣) Ranked #99 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
There seems to be a lot of bullying going on at the school They say they do not tolerate bullies yet it continues and a lot gets ignored	3.4	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (33 ♣) Ranked #100 of 141	5 * 4 * 3 * 2 * 1 *

Older students seem to be bored with outdoor breaks, so seeing some winter sports things set up would be nice. I overheard two students wishing for cold as they get to stay in and that is better than "boring" outside.	3.4	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (26 ♣) Ranked #101 of 141	5 ★ = 3 ★ = 2 ★ = 1 ★ =
Concern over the enforcement of PHM (Masks) on children Impacts development and ability to learn / socially interact.	3.3	★★★☆☆☆(38▲) Ranked #102 of 141	5 ★
Too many school apps! One app to do it all please	3.3	★★★☆☆☆(37 ♣) Ranked #103 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
We are new and have never heard my child comment on the number of fights and bullying that he is witnessing as he has here at Blueberry. Kids should not feel unsafe to go to school. It should be an open and safe space to learn and be yourself.	3.3	★★★☆☆☆(37 ▲) Ranked #104 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ = 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Calendars with the school newsletter I know I don't think to look at the website ever- they should bring the calendar back.	3.3	★★★☆☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #105 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Current events, and not so current, are not discussed in school. I have 2 kids that have graduated and never learned about 9/11 in social studies What is happening in the world, our country. 9/11 is part of our history and is more important than other topics taught in the social curriculum	3.3	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (35 ▲) Ranked #106 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
POOF Program/Mental Health Excludes kindergarteners. Need more psychological/mental health programs	3.3	★★★☆☆☆(35▲) Ranked #107 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

Lack of playground supervision/children's concerns ignored My child has repeatedly gone to the playground supervisor to report bullying and has always been dismissed and no follow up by the supervisor	3.3	★★★☆☆ (34 ♣) Ranked #108 of 141	$5 \star \\ 4 \star \\ 3 \star \\ 2 \star \\ 1 \star $
I have concerns about EA's being left to run the classroom and the class, with no teacher present for the class, ie grade six Phys Ed. EA's are educational assistants and not teachers. Many are great to assist with small groups but not teach the whole class.Some are nasty.	3.3	★★☆☆☆ (27 ♣) Ranked #109 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
The kids want the freedom to play where they would like to outside, not be confined to certain areas. Please stop the cohorting already All the petty little rules need to end	3.3	★★★☆☆ (27 ▲) Ranked #110 of 141	$5 \star =$ $4 \star =$ $3 \star =$ $2 \star =$ $1 \star =$
Not being allowed in the scchool. Was hoping for a new principal to stop the clicks with certain parents in this school and have some fresh insights. The school needs to evolve with new ideas and be more welcoming to new parents.	3.3	★★★☆☆ (14 ▲) Ranked #111 of 141	$5 \star \\ 4 \star \\ 3 \star \\ 2 \star \\ 1 \star $
I appreciate the time the staff took to figure out how to cohort students and supervise them throughout the day to keep case numbers at minimum I am looking forward to seeing how things change with the easing of restrictions.	3.3	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (9 ♣) Ranked #112 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I appreciate that the teachers have been doing their best to keep kids safe and some have been better than others at communicating. Not happy that some teachers have been focused on discussung current news events rather than curriculum and safety concerns with the ice/parking.	3.3	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (6 ♣) Ranked #113 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Great communication	3.3	★★☆☆☆(3≛) Ranked #114 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

Ensure no further restrictions on kids, including cohorting. The last two years have been so hard on kids. They haven't been able to socialize the way they need to. We need to let them get back to being kids.	3.3	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (1▲) Ranked #115 of 141	5 4 3 - 2 - 1 -	★ ★
Appreciate the option for online learning when needed. Very much appreciate the flexibility of teachers and staff during these unpredictable times. Allows children to continue learning even when off for long periods	3.2	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #116 of 141	5 4 3 - 2 - 1 -	* * *
I think that Blueberry School needs to be more aware of the children's needs. The children need a safe place to express their feelings and a quiet and aloneness place to talk to family if they need.	3.2	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (34 ♣) Ranked #117 of 141	5 4 3 - 2 - 1 -	★ ★ ★ ★
I had some concerns this year over the Division's pandemic responses. I hoped the Division would prove itself as a leader, making choices and taking actions in the best interest of our students proactively vs reactively.	3.2	★★★☆☆ (32 ♣) Ranked #118 of 141	5 4 3 - 2 - 1 -	★ ★ ★
What is the goal of team time? Do staff have time set aside to creatively collaborate? Or is it the collective completion of a checklist?	3.2	★★★☆☆ ☆ (24 ♣) Ranked #119 of 141	5 - 4 - 3 - 2 - 1 -	* * * *
Masks need to go- it's so sad that kids in younger grades don't get to see the teachers mouth moving for annunciation Development! They need this!	3.1	★★★☆☆ (36 ♣) Ranked #120 of 141	5 4 3 2 1	★ = ★ = ★ = ★ = ★ =
I appreciate dialog we have with our daughters teacher. I don't appreciate the current use of masks in our childrens learning environment! Dialog with daughters teacher is great because it allows us to know how we can assist in our child's learning. Not enough space to comment on masks	3.1	★★★☆☆ (35 ♣) Ranked #121 of 141	5 · 4 · 3 · 2 · 1 ·	* * * *

I don't completely enjoy the negative and harsh way some teachers treat kids. I know it's hard for everyone this year. I think more patience is neede Kids are going through a lot and we've had some pretty mean and hard comments from teachers that are degrading to some kids.	3.1	★★★☆☆ (35 ▲) Ranked #122 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
STEM should go. My class is always, always wild throughout the block and it takes time to calm them down again. Why not use them time to do word work Or math games or something the teacher needs to still fit in.	3.1	★★★☆☆☆(34 ▲) Ranked #123 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
That kids are assessed for additional programing within the school if needed. However if found this was done too early in the year to really grasp the Understanding of the childs needs - these programs are appreciated but I feel that they are implemented to early and some kids may be placed improper	3.1	★ ★ ☆ ☆ (5 ♣) Ranked #124 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Breaks are too long Concern about the amount of actual school days with all the breaks. Would prefer longer weekends oppose to a week off in fall and spring.	3.1	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (3 ♣) Ranked #125 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Supportive and responsive staff. From custodians to administration, the school is welcoming.	3.1	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (3 ♣) Ranked #126 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
COVID protocols have been handled very well. Thank you for doing everything possible to keep our kids safe Nobody wants their kid to become sick and especially not now. Until vaccines take a better hold, I feel at ease with how our school is handling it	3.0	★★★☆☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #127 of 141	5 ★
Some teachers are condescending to students. Teachers should be more patient and kind during these hard times. Their attitude isn't helping develop a positive attitude towards school and learning	3.0	★★★☆☆☆(37 ▲) Ranked #128 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

I like the variety of options available in jr high. My child has been excited for her options every term	3.0	★★★☆☆☆(9▲) Ranked #129 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
The lack of instruction/teaching for grade 8 science They are not prepared at all, I feel they get minimal instruction	3.0	★ ★ ★ ☆ ☆ (7 ♣) Ranked #130 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I really hope our kids can back to being kids as soon as possible. The masks have been unnecessary for the past two years.	2.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (35 ♣) Ranked #131 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ = 3 ★ = 2 ★ = 1 ★
being able to be rehired with psd	2.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (23 ♣) Ranked #132 of 141	5 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Way too much assessment this year. Teachers are teaching more to the assessments and are bogged down by the marking process. Not enough time to plan creatively for kids.	2.9	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (5 ♣) Ranked #133 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
I feel that there maybe to many days off for our kids. I do understand the importance of PD for the teachers. My kids are in the younger grades, and the inconsistency is hard. And for parents to have so many days off is becoming impossible.	2.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (36 ▲) Ranked #134 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 1 ★ 1 ★
I have no concerns at the moment. I only have a kinder attending.	2.7	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (2 ♣) Ranked #135 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Amount of PD days/schools breaks Concern there isn't enough academic days and breaks are too frequent/long	2.6	★★☆☆☆ (39 ♣) Ranked #136 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★

School Calendar: 28 days off plus 8 stats This is extremely difficult for working parents. Combine spring break with Easter and limit fall to 4 days	2.6	★★☆☆☆ (35 ▲) Ranked #137 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★
Disappointed with the professionalism of the teachers.What happened to dressing nice and in a respectful manner. They go to work in leggings or Jean's. One teacher even told the kids to call her by her first name.What happened to respecting the teaching staff	2.3	★ ★ ☆ ☆ ☆ (38 ♣) Ranked #138 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
The principal doesn't give anyone the time of the day all you get is send me an email and she will get back to you never does. Have an amazing principle will bring positive outlook on the kids	2.3	★★☆☆☆☆ (21 ▲) Ranked #139 of 141	5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Mrs. Feschuck has been amazing. Her kindergarten program has been really great. This has made the transition to kindergarten really great for both child and parent. Much appreciated!	0.0		5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★
Please bring back in person parent/teacher discussions and parents getting to see in classroom. Getting to better understand a child's school life and the relationship with teacher & parent is key.	0.0		5 ★ 4 ★ 3 ★ 2 ★ 1 ★