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To the team at Elementary Technology,

The following are some comments after your outstanding advice, supply, installation and ongoing support of our PA and site lockdown system.

Why did you decide you needed a PA / Lockdown system?

We purchased the PA/Lockdown system as our bell system was very outdated and we saw it being used at one of the other Trust schools to great effect.

Who in the school requested the system?

I believe it was a conversation between the Head and the Ops Manager

What problems were you looking to solve?

General movement and lateness of students to lessons. Also, the ability to inform all people when necessary.

How did you evaluate what was available?

The usage at one of the Trust schools was enough for us to see the potential so very little evaluation was necessary.

Why did you choose Elementary Technology for this project?

As you had dealt with one of the Trust schools, it made perfect sense to use you.

How has the system fulfilled your requirements?

The system has really fulfilled what needs we had. Our bells are music tracks which gives our students time to get from one lesson to the next before the track ends else you are late. They love the tracks and “try to beat” the music there. We have had fire drills /

intruder drills which totally fulfilled the requirement and we even use it when we have Parents' Evenings.

What benefits have you seen since implementation?

Late to lesson marks are now down.

What advice would you give to others looking for a similar solution?

A jump from the old bell system to this is quite the leap but the benefits are massive. Audio information with words means the students won't be confused about what they should be doing or where they are going.

Would you recommend Elementary Technology and the Audiebant system to other schools?

Very much so. A great system that we now wouldn't be able to live without.

Any other thoughts to help us improve?

Keep up the great service. I don't think you can improve but feel free to prove me wrong.

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If it helps, other schools are welcome to contact me to discuss our experience with the project.

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