YOUNG PERSONS’ BEHAVIOUR AND ATTITUDES SURVEY

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Version A

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DEMOGRAPHICS

Please put a tick in the box that applies to your answer: e.g. Mother

A1. Who of the following, if any, do you live with?
(Tick all that apply)

- Mother ☐ 1
- Father ☐ 2
- Step-mother ☐ 3
- Step-father ☐ 4
- Mother’s boyfriend/partner ☐ 5
- Father’s girlfriend/partner ☐ 6
- Sister(s) ☐ 7
- Brother(s) ☐ 8
- Step-sister(s) ☐ 9
- Step-brother(s) ☐ 10
- Half-sister(s) ☐ 11
- Half-brother(s) ☐ 12
- Grandmother ☐ 13
- Grandfather ☐ 14
- Foster parents ☐ 15
- None of these ☐ 16

A2. To which of the following do you consider yourself to belong to?
(Tick one box only)

- The Protestant community ☐ 1
- The Catholic community ☐ 2
- Neither community ☐ 3
- Other ☐ 4

A3. Do all the people who live in your house have the same community background (eg: Protestant, Catholic, or some other community)?
(Tick one box only)

- Yes ☐ 1
- No ☐ 2
- Don’t know ☐ 3
A4. **Does your father have a job at the moment?**
(Tick one box only)
- Yes, has a job/is self employed [ ] 1
- No – not working [ ] 2
- No – retired [ ] 3
- Do not have a father [ ] 4
- Don’t know [ ] 5

A5. **Does your mother have a job at the moment?**
(Tick one box only)
- Yes, has a job/is self employed [ ] 1
- No – not working [ ] 2
- No – retired [ ] 3
- Do not have a mother [ ] 4
- Don’t know [ ] 5

A6. **To which of these ethnic groups do you consider yourself to belong to?**
(Tick one box only)
- White [ ] 1
- Chinese/Hong Kong [ ] 2
- Irish Traveller [ ] 3
- Indian/Sri Lankan [ ] 4
- Pakistani [ ] 5
- Bangladeshi [ ] 6
- Black – Caribbean [ ] 7
- Black – African [ ] 8
- Black – Other [ ] 9
- Korean [ ] 10
- Mixed ethnic group [ ] 11
- Any other ethnic group [ ] 12
- Don’t know [ ] 13
A7.  In which country were you born?  
(Tick one box only)

- Northern Ireland  
- England  
- Wales  
- Scotland  
- Republic of Ireland  
- Somewhere else (please say where) _______________________________  
- Don’t know

A8.  In which country was your father born?  
(Tick one box only)

- Northern Ireland  
- England  
- Wales  
- Scotland  
- Republic of Ireland  
- Somewhere else (please say where) _______________________________  
- Don’t know

A9.  In which country was your mother born?  
(Tick one box only)

- Northern Ireland  
- England  
- Wales  
- Scotland  
- Republic of Ireland  
- Somewhere else (please say where) _______________________________  
- Don’t know

A10.  Would you describe the place where you live as...?  
(Tick one box only)

- A big city  
- The suburbs or outskirts of a big city  
- A small city or town  
- A country village  
- A farm or home in the country  
- Don’t know
A11. Considering the area in which you now live, how long a walk (in minutes) do you think it would take you to move outside of your area?

0 to 5 minutes □ 1
6 to 10 minutes □ 2
11 to 15 minutes □ 3
16 to 20 minutes □ 4
More than 20 minutes □ 5
Not sure of the boundaries of my area □ 6
Don’t know □ 7

A12. Considering the area in which you now live, how long a walk (in minutes) do you think it would take you to move to the centre of your area?

0 to 5 minutes □ 1
6 to 10 minutes □ 2
11 to 15 minutes □ 3
16 to 20 minutes □ 4
More than 20 minutes □ 5
Not sure of the boundaries of my area □ 6
Don’t know □ 7

A13. Do you have any long-standing illness or disability that has troubled you over a period of time, or is likely to affect you in the future?

Yes □ 1 → Continue to Question A14
No □ 2 → Go to Question A15

A14. Does this illness or disability affect your activities in any way?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2

A15. In the last 12 months, which, if any, of the following medical conditions have you had? (Tick all that apply)

Acne □ 1 Diabetes □ 5
Allergies/rashes □ 2 Migraine □ 6
Asthma □ 3 Period pain □ 7
Chest infection □ 4 None □ 8
MORE ABOUT YOU

B1. What do you think you will be doing immediately after you finish school? (Tick one box only)

Going to University  □ 1
Going to a Further Education College (or Tech)  □ 2
Doing some Training/Apprenticeship  □ 3
On a Jobskills or Youth Training Scheme  □ 4
I will be working  □ 5
I will be unemployed  □ 6
Don’t know  □ 7

B2. In the past 12 months, have you been a victim of the following? Yes No
(Tick ‘Yes’ or ‘No’ for each line)

- Been bullied  □ 1  □ 2
- Been knocked down by a car or other vehicle  □ 1  □ 2
- Had things stolen from you that you were carrying/wearing (e.g.: mobile phone)  □ 1  □ 2
- Had your belongings damaged/deliberately broken  □ 1  □ 2
- Been sexually or physically abused  □ 1  □ 2
- Been threatened by paramilitaries  □ 1  □ 2
- Been called names/harassed because of your religion  □ 1  □ 2
- Been called names/harassed because of your race or skin colour  □ 1  □ 2
- Been called names/harassed for some other reason  □ 1  □ 2
- Been assaulted because of your religion  □ 1  □ 2
- Been assaulted because of your race or skin colour  □ 1  □ 2
- Been assaulted for some other reason  □ 1  □ 2
- Been threatened/hurt by someone with a knife  □ 1  □ 2
- Been harassed/bullied/abused via the internet  □ 1  □ 2
- Been bullied/harassed via texts/videos/images or calls to your mobile  □ 1  □ 2
- Something else  □ 1  □ 2
SUBJECT CHOICES

Think about each of the following statements and tick one box to show how strongly you agree or disagree with them.

C1. I have a good choice of subjects.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5

C2. I am able to study subjects in which I am interested.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5

C3. I am able to study subjects which I am good at.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5

C4. I chose subjects with a career area in mind.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5
C5. I am content with the advice I got about my subject choices from my careers teachers.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5
- Does not apply □ 6

C6. I am content with the advice I got about my subject choices from my other teachers.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5
- Does not apply □ 6

C7. I am content with the advice I got about my subject choices from careers advisors (from an outside organisation).

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5
- Does not apply □ 6
FURTHER EDUCATION

D1. Which of the following do you want to do immediately after you finish year 12? (Tick all that apply)

- NVQs ☐ 1
- AS Levels ☐ 2
- A-Levels ☐ 3
- Not planning to stay on in education ☐ 4
- Other ☐ 5

D2. The government has just started giving money to pupils who stay in education after 16, depending on their family circumstances. Have you heard about this Education Maintenance Allowance?

- Yes, I have heard of it and understand what it means ☐ 1
- Yes, I have heard of it but I don't know what it is about ☐ 2
- No, I haven't heard of it ☐ 3

D3. If you were eligible to receive an allowance of £60 every two weeks and a cash bonus of £100 every so often would you stay on at school or go to Further Education College? (Tick one box only)

- Yes, I would only stay on at school if I received this ☐ 1
- I would stay on at school anyway ☐ 2
- Yes, I would only go to Further Education College if I received this ☐ 3
- I would go to Further Education College anyway ☐ 4
- No, I would do none of the above ☐ 5
- Don’t know ☐ 6

D4. Which do you think is the most important for getting a job with good pay? (Tick one box only)

- Staying on in education and getting as many qualifications as possible ☐ 1
- Leaving school and getting a skilled trade ☐ 2
- Neither of these ☐ 3
D5. Which, if any, of the following groups of people encouraged you to think about going to Further Education College or University? (Tick all that apply)

- Your friends  [ ] 1
- Parents/Guardians  [ ] 2
- The rest of your family  [ ] 3
- Careers teachers  [ ] 4
- Other teachers  [ ] 5
- Careers advisors (from an outside organisation)  [ ] 6
- None of these  [ ] 7  → Go to Question E1

D6. Which of these groups of people was most influential in encouraging you to think about going to Further Education College or University? (Tick one box only)

- Your friends  [ ] 1
- Parents/Guardians  [ ] 2
- The rest of your family  [ ] 3
- Careers teachers  [ ] 4
- Other teachers  [ ] 5
- Careers advisors (from an outside organisation)  [ ] 6
STARTING A BUSINESS

E1. Would you be interested in starting your own business at any time in the future?
   Yes          1 → Continue to Question E2
   No           2 → Go to Question E4
   Don’t know   3 → Go to Question E4

E2. Do you have a business idea?
   Yes          1 → Continue to Question E3
   No           2 → Go to Question E4

E3. Which category does your business idea fall into? (Tick all that apply)
   Manufacturing/Construction          1
   Retail                               2
   Catering and Hospitality / Leisure   3
   Finance and Business                 4
   Computing and ICT                    5
   Education                            6
   Health and Beauty                    7
   Domestic Services eg: gardening/cleaning  8
   Transport/Vehicle Service            9
   Craft Products and services / Creative Arts  10
   Agricultural / Environmental        11
   Professional Services eg: Dentists/Solicitors  12
   Unknown                              13

E4. Are you aware of any support that is available to help you start your own business?
   Yes          1
   No           2
E5. Which, if any, of these organisations have you heard of? (Tick all that apply)

- Invest NI □ 1
- Local Enterprise Agencies □ 2
- Young Enterprise □ 3
- Shell Livewire □ 4
- Prince’s Trust □ 5
- None of these □ 6 → Go to Question F1

E6. Which, if any, of these organisations offer business support? (Tick all that apply)

- Invest NI □ 1
- Local Enterprise Agencies □ 2
- Young Enterprise □ 3
- Shell Livewire □ 4
- Prince’s Trust □ 5
- None of these □ 6
SOCIAL SUPPORT

F1. I would now like you to think about your family and friends (by family I mean those that live with you, as well as those who live somewhere else).

Here are some comments that people have made about their family and friends. Please say whether or not they are true for you. (Tick one box for each line)

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<th>I have family/friends who do things to make me happy</th>
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<th>No</th>
<th>Don’t know</th>
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<td>I have family/friends who accept me just as I am</td>
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F2. During the last 4 weeks, how good or bad have you felt about the following? (Tick one box for each line)

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<td>The way you get along with others</td>
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<td>Your body and your looks</td>
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<td>The way you seem to feel most of the time</td>
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<td>The way you get along with your family</td>
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<td>The way life seems to be for you</td>
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<td>Your ability to be a friend to others</td>
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<td>The way others seem to feel about you</td>
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<td>Your ability to talk with others</td>
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G1. Think about each of the following statements and tick one box on each line to show how strongly you agree or disagree with them.

My school is a place where...

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<td>(b) the things I learn are important to me</td>
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<td>(c) I like learning</td>
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<td>(d) I feel restless and want to be somewhere else</td>
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<td>(e) teachers give me the marks I deserve</td>
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<td>(f) I have learned things that will be useful to me</td>
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<td>(g) the things I learn will help me in my adult life</td>
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<td>(h) teachers help me to do my best</td>
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<td>(i) the things I am taught are worthwhile learning</td>
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<td>(j) I am a success as a student</td>
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<td>(k) I really like to go (to school) each day</td>
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<td>(l) teachers listen to what I say</td>
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G2. How often do you find that school is boring?

- Every day
- Many days
- Some days
- Occasionally
- Never

G3. How many days did you skip/scheme/bunk/truant/mitch/skive classes or school this term?

- 0 days
- 1 day
- 2 days
- 3 days
- 4 or more days

G4. Have you ever been expelled or suspended from school?

- Yes
- No

G5. If I have problems at school, my parents/guardians are ready to help me.

- Always
- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never

G6. My parents/guardians are willing to come to school to talk to my teachers.

- Always
- Often
- Sometimes
- Rarely
- Never
G7. My parents/guardians encourage me to do well at school.

- Always □ 1
- Often □ 2
- Sometimes □ 3
- Rarely □ 4
- Never □ 5

G8. My parents/guardians expect too much of me at school.

- Strongly agree □ 1
- Agree □ 2
- Neither agree nor disagree □ 3
- Disagree □ 4
- Strongly disagree □ 5

G9. How do you feel about school at present?

- I like it a lot □ 1
- I like it a bit □ 2
- I don’t like it very much □ 3
- I don’t like it at all □ 4

G10. How stressed do you feel by the school work you have to do?

- Not at all □ 1
- A little □ 2
- Some □ 3
- A lot □ 4

G11. At night, do you have difficulty falling asleep because you are thinking about school?

- Very often □ 1
- Often □ 2
- Sometimes □ 3
- Rarely □ 4
- Never □ 5
G12. Does studying Citizenship make you want to learn more about people from other countries?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don’t know □ 3
Don’t study this □ 4 → Go to Question G14

G13. Does studying Citizenship make you want to learn more about people who have a different religion from you?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don’t know □ 3

G14. Does studying Geography make you want to learn more about people from other countries?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don’t know □ 3
Don’t study this □ 4 → Go to Question G16

G15. Does studying Geography make you want to learn more about people who have a different religion from you?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don’t know □ 3

G16. Does studying History make you want to learn more about people from other countries?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don’t know □ 3
Don’t study this □ 4 → Go to Question G18
G17. Does studying **History** make you want to learn more about people who have a different religion from you?

Yes □ 1

No □ 2

Don’t know □ 3

G18. Does studying **Religious Education** make you want to learn more about people from other countries?

Yes □ 1

No □ 2

Don’t know □ 3

Don’t study this □ 4 → Go to Question G20

G19. Does studying **Religious Education** make you want to learn more about people who have a different religion from you?

Yes □ 1

No □ 2

Don’t know □ 3

G20. Does your school have a school council?

Yes □ 1 → Continue to Question G21

No □ 2 → Go Question G22

Don’t know □ 3 → Go Question G22

G21. Do you think the school council is an effective way for pupils to get their views across?

Yes □ 1

No □ 2

Don’t know □ 3

G22. Have you heard of the United Nations Convention on the rights of the Child? (this is an agreement made by nearly every country in the world that their Government will make sure children and young people have certain rights)

Yes □ 1

No □ 2
G23. Do you feel you have the chance to give your views about issues that affect you?

Yes □ 1  → Continue to Question G24
No □ 2  → Go to Question G26

G24. Do you think your views are listened to?

Always □ 1
Often □ 2
Sometimes □ 3
Rarely □ 4
Never □ 5

G25. Who do you give your views to?
(Tick all that apply)

Parents/Guardian □ 1
Teacher □ 2
Doctor or nurse etc. □ 3
Government workers (eg: politicians, civil servants) □ 4
Youth worker/youth group/youth club □ 5
School council □ 6
Adults in charge of organisations that help children and young people □ 7
Other □ 8

G26. Have you received education in school on the culture and traditions of people from a Catholic community background?

Yes □ 1  → Continue to Question G27
No □ 2  → Go to Question G28

G27. Would you say you know more about the Catholic culture and traditions as a result?

Yes, I know a lot more □ 1
Yes, I know a little more □ 2
No □ 3
G28. HAVE YOU RECEIVED EDUCATION IN SCHOOL ON THE CULTURE AND TRADITIONS OF PEOPLE FROM A PROTESTANT COMMUNITY BACKGROUND?

Yes □ 1 → Continue to Question G29
No □ 2 → Go to Question G30

G29. WOULD YOU SAY YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT THE PROTESTANT CULTURE AND TRADITIONS AS A RESULT?

Yes, I know a lot more □ 1
Yes, I know a little more □ 2
No □ 3

G30. HAVE YOU RECEIVED EDUCATION IN SCHOOL ON THE CULTURE AND TRADITIONS OF PEOPLE OF A DIFFERENT RACE OR COLOUR?

Yes □ 1 → Continue to Question G31
No □ 2 → Go to Question G32

G31. WOULD YOU SAY YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT THE CULTURES AND TRADITIONS OF PEOPLE OF A DIFFERENT RACE OR COLOUR AS A RESULT?

Yes, I know a lot more □ 1
Yes, I know a little more □ 2
No □ 3

G32. HAVE YOU RECEIVED EDUCATION IN SCHOOL ON RELIGIONS OTHER THAN CHRISTIANITY? (EG: ISLAM, BUDDHISM ETC.)

Yes □ 1 → Continue to Question G33
No □ 2 → Go to Question G34

G33. WOULD YOU SAY YOU KNOW MORE ABOUT RELIGIONS OTHER THAN CHRISTIANITY AS A RESULT?

Yes, I know a lot more □ 1
Yes, I know a little more □ 2
No □ 3
G34. How often do you participate in voluntary or community work (eg: charity fundraising)?

- More than once a week □ 1
- Weekly □ 2
- Monthly □ 3
- A few times a year □ 4
- Rarely □ 5
- Never □ 6

G35. Would you feel comfortable being friends with someone of a different race or colour?

- Yes □ 1
- No □ 2
- Don’t know □ 3
## NUTRITION

**H1. How often do you eat or drink any of the following?** *(Tick one box for each line)*

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H2. How many portions of fruit/vegetables (including fresh, dried, tinned, juiced and frozen) do you usually eat each day?

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1     □ 2
2     □ 3
3     □ 4
4     □ 5
5     □ 6
More than 5 □ 7

H3. How often do you usually eat breakfast on school days?

Never eat breakfast on school days □ 1
Have breakfast on most school days □ 2
Have breakfast every school day □ 3
H4. How often do you usually eat breakfast at weekends?

- Do not usually have breakfast at weekends ☐ 1
- Usually have breakfast at weekends ☐ 2

H5. What do you usually do for lunch at school?
(Tick all that apply)

- Eat a school dinner ☐ 1 → Go to Question H7
- Buy a snack in the school cafeteria ☐ 2 → Go to Question H7
- Eat a packed lunch ☐ 3
- Buy lunch outside school ☐ 4
- Go home for lunch ☐ 5
- Skip lunch/don’t have lunch ☐ 6
- Do something else ☐ 7

H6. If you don’t usually eat a school dinner/snack why not?
(Tick all that apply)

- Don’t like school dinners/snacks ☐ 1
- Too expensive ☐ 2
- Because of the queue ☐ 3
- I don’t like the dining hall ☐ 4
- Not enough time, because of other school activities ☐ 5
- Other reason ☐ 6

H7. What do you think is the main reason some children do not take a free school meal when they are allowed to take one?
(Tick one box only)

- They are too embarrassed ☐ 1
- They are afraid of being bullied/teased ☐ 2
- They don’t like the quality/choice of food available ☐ 3
- They don’t like using the canteen ☐ 4
- The canteen is too crowded ☐ 5
- They don’t like queuing ☐ 6
- They bring a packed lunch ☐ 7
- Don’t know ☐ 8
- Other reason ☐ 9
**H8.** Do you think there is usually a good choice of food available in school?

- Yes, all the time
  - [ ] 1
- Yes, if you come early
  - [ ] 2
- Yes, sometimes
  - [ ] 3
- No, never
  - [ ] 4
- Don’t know
  - [ ] 5

**H9.** Is there always a food option available in school which you consider to be healthy?

- Yes
  - [ ] 1
- No
  - [ ] 2
- Don’t know
  - [ ] 3

**H10.** Would you like to see more healthy foods available in school?

- Yes
  - [ ] 1
- No, I am not interested in healthy food
  - [ ] 2
- No, there is sufficient already
  - [ ] 3
- Don’t know already
  - [ ] 4

**H11.** Have you been taught about healthy eating at school (not including Primary School)?

- Yes
  - [ ] 1 &gt; Continue to Question H12
- No
  - [ ] 2 &gt; Go to Question H14

**H12.** In which subject(s) were you taught about healthy eating? (Tick all that apply)

- Biology
  - [ ] 1
- Home Economics
  - [ ] 2
- Physical Education
  - [ ] 3
- Health and Social Care
  - [ ] 4
- PSHE/Personal Development/Learning for Life and Work
  - [ ] 5
- Science
  - [ ] 6
- Other
  - [ ] 7
H13. Did this help you to make sensible choices?
- Yes □ 1
- No □ 2
- Don’t know □ 3
- Would have made sensible choices anyway □ 4

H14. Are you on a diet to lose weight?
- No, because my weight is fine □ 1
- No, but I do need to lose weight □ 2
- Yes □ 3

H15. Do you think your body size is...
- Much too thin □ 1
- A bit too thin □ 2
- About the right size □ 3
- A bit too fat □ 4
- Much too fat □ 5
- I don’t think about it □ 6
**SPORT AND PHYSICAL ACTIVITY**

**Please read the following before answering the questions on sport and physical activity:**

Sport or physical activity is not just exercise but any activity that makes your heart beat faster and makes you get out of breath and sweaty some of the time.

Physical activity can be done in sports, school activities, playing with friends or walking to school. It can include activities such as walking quickly, dancing, cycling, skateboarding, rollerblading, trampolining, football, gymnastics, athletics.

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14. **In the last 7 days, which, if any, of the following sports or physical activities have you done? (Tick all that apply)**

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15. In the last 7 days, have you played any sport, done any exercise, or played actively that made you out of breath or hot and sweaty?

Yes  □ 1  \( \rightarrow \) Continue to Question I6
No  □ 2  \( \rightarrow \) Go to Question I8

16. Over the last 7 days, on how many days have you played any sport, done any physical activity, or played actively that made you out of breath or hot and sweaty for a total of at least 60 minutes each day?

No days  □ 1 day  □ 2 days  □ 3 days  □ 4 days  □ 5 days  □ 6 days  □ 7 days

17. Over the last 7 days, how many hours in total did you exercise so much that you got out of breath or hot and sweaty?

More than 7 hours  □ 1
About 7 hours  □ 2
About 6 hours  □ 3
About 5 hours  □ 4
About 4 hours  □ 5
About 3 hours  □ 6
About 2 hours  □ 7
About 1 hour  □ 8
About ½ hour  □ 9
None  □ 10

18. In the last 12 months, how often, if at all, have you received any tuition or coaching from an instructor or coach (other than your PE/games teacher during normal PE/games lessons) to help improve your performance in any sport or physical activity?

At least once a week  □ 1
At least once a month  □ 2
Once every 2-3 months  □ 3
Once or twice in the last 12 months  □ 4
Not at all in the last 12 months  □ 5
19. During school holidays, how physically active are you compared to when you are at school?

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10. How long do you actually spend taking part in sports or physical activity as part of PE/games lessons in school each week?

(Do not include: Any time taken to get to the gym/sports hall/playing fields Time spent changing)

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12. At the moment, how many days in a school week (ie: Monday to Friday) do you normally stay behind at school for sports or other physical activities?

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13. At the moment, how many days in a week do you normally take part in sports or physical activities not counting anything you do during school hours or stay behind after school on a Monday to Friday to do?

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I14. At school, do you usually spend any time during lunchtimes playing any sport, doing any exercise, or playing actively that makes you out of breath or hot and sweaty?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2

I15. At school, do you usually spend any time during break times playing any sport, doing any exercise, or playing actively that makes you out of breath or hot and sweaty?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2

I16. Are you a member of a school club or team that involves you taking part in sport or physical activity?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2

I17. Are you a member of any other clubs or teams not connected with your school that involves you taking part in sport or physical activity?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2

I18. Can you swim 25m (approximately the length of pool) without any arm bands or floats etc.?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don't know □ 3

I19. In the last 12 months, how often, if at all, have you gone to a live sports event at or with school as a spectator?

At least once a week □ 1
At least once a month □ 2
Once every 2-3 months □ 3
Once or twice in the last 12 months □ 4
Not at all in the last 12 months □ 5
120. In the last 12 months, how often, if at all, have you gone to a live sports event not connected with school as a spectator?

- At least once a week  □ 1
- At least once a month □ 2
- Once every 2-3 months □ 3
- Once or twice in the last 12 months □ 4
- Not at all in the last 12 months □ 5

121. On school days how many hours do you usually spend... (Tick one box for each line)

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122. On Saturdays and Sundays how many hours do you usually spend... (Tick one box for each line)

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J1. **How often do you go to a Public Library? (this does NOT include school libraries)**
(Tick one box only)

- Several times a week [ ] 1 → Continue to Question J2
- Once a week [ ] 2 → Continue to Question J2
- Once every 2-3 weeks [ ] 3 → Continue to Question J2
- Monthly [ ] 4 → Continue to Question J2
- Once every 2-3 months [ ] 5 → Continue to Question J2
- Once every 4-6 months [ ] 6 → Continue to Question J2
- Once in the last 12 months [ ] 7 → Continue to Question J2
- Less frequently [ ] 8 → Continue to Question J2
- Never [ ] 9 → Go to Question J4

J2. **Why do you go to a Public Library? (this does NOT include school libraries)**
(Tick all that apply)

- To borrow/ return/ renew books
- To borrow/ return/ renew other material such as DVDs, CDs, Videos, CD-ROMS
- To look up information
- To study/ do homework
- To browse/ read books/ newspapers
- To use the computer (eg: to use word processing/ database/ spreadsheet packages etc.)
- To access the Internet
- To attend an event/ exhibition
- To use photocopier/ fax
- To use other facilities (eg: café, toilet, shop etc.)
- Other reason

J3. **Thinking about the last time you visited or used a Public Library, how much did you enjoy it? (this does NOT include school libraries)**
(Tick one box only)

- A lot [ ] 1
- A little [ ] 2
- Not very much [ ] 3
- Not at all [ ] 4
J4. What would encourage you to visit or use a Public Library more often? (this does NOT include school libraries) (Tick all that apply)

- Better selection of books [ ] 1
- Longer opening hours [ ] 2
- Better facilities for people with disabilities [ ] 3
- Better selection of DVDs/CDs/CD-ROMs/Videos [ ] 4
- If I had more free time [ ] 5
- More activities for children/young people [ ] 6
- Better public transport links/access to transport [ ] 7
- Better computer/Internet facilities [ ] 8
- If there were fewer people there [ ] 9
- Better facilities such as toilets, shops, parking [ ] 10
- Safer neighbourhood/better location [ ] 11
- More welcoming staff [ ] 12
- Fines were less expensive [ ] 13
- Nothing [ ] 14
- Other reason [ ] 15

J5. Have you ever used the public library service website (www.ni-libraries.net)? (Tick one box only)

- Never heard of it [ ] 1
- Yes [ ] 2
- No [ ] 3
MUSEUMS

Please read the following before answering the questions on museums:

The following questions are about your experiences of museums in Northern Ireland. When you are thinking about what is meant by a museum, please also INCLUDE the W5 at the Odyssey Centre in Belfast and the Ulster American Folk Park in Omagh.

K6. Which, if any, of the following museums have you visited in the last 12 months? (Tick all that apply)

- Ulster Museum in Belfast □ 1
- Ulster Folk & Transport Museum in Cultra □ 2
- Ulster American Folk Park in Omagh □ 3
- W5 at Odyssey Centre in Belfast □ 4
- Armagh County Museum □ 5
- Other museum(s) in Northern Ireland □ 6
- None □ 7 → Go to Question K10

K8. Have you visited any museum in Northern Ireland as part of a trip organised by school in the last 12 months? (Tick one box only)

- Yes □ 1
- No □ 2

K9. Thinking about the last time you visited a museum in Northern Ireland, how much did you enjoy it? (Tick one box only)

- A lot □ 1
- A little □ 2
- Not very much □ 3
- Not at all □ 4
K10. Which, if any, of the reasons listed below would put you off going to a museum in Northern Ireland? (Tick all that apply)

- It is difficult to find the time  □ 1
- It costs too much  □ 2
- Not really interested  □ 3
- I wouldn’t enjoy it  □ 4
- I might feel uncomfortable or out of place  □ 5
- Not having enough information about what is on  □ 6
- Difficulty in getting there/lack of transport  □ 7
- Not enough activities, especially for young people  □ 8
- I don’t have anyone to go with  □ 9
- Nothing would put me off  □ 10
- Other reason  □ 11
L12. Which, if any, of the following ‘Arts’ activities have you DONE or TAKEN PART in the last 12 months? (Tick all that apply)

- Dancing of any kind – not for fitness
- Sang (not karaoke) or played a musical instrument to an audience, including rehearsal for a performance
- Played a musical instrument for your own pleasure
- Written music in your free time
- Written any stories or poetry in your free time (not including school work or homework)
- Performed in or rehearsed for a play/drama/pantomime/musical/opera
- Painting, drawing, sculpture or printmaking in your free time (not including school work or homework)
- Photography or made films/videos as an artistic activity (not including family or holiday photos, films or videos)
- Any sort of crafts such as textiles, wood, pottery or jewellery making
- Read for pleasure (not including school books, newspapers, magazines or comics)
- Helped with organising or running of a musical/festival/pantomime or show of any kind
- None of the above

L13. Thinking about the last ‘Arts’ activity you did or took part in, how much did you enjoy it? (Tick one box only)

- A lot
- A little
- Not very much
- Not at all

Go to L14
L14. Which, if any, of the reasons listed below would put you off doing or taking part in the types of ‘Arts’ activities mentioned earlier? (Tick all that apply)

- It is difficult to find the time [ ] 1
- They cost too much [ ] 2
- I’m not really interested [ ] 3
- I don’t have anyone to do them with [ ] 4
- I wouldn’t enjoy them [ ] 5
- I might feel uncomfortable or out of place [ ] 6
- I don’t have enough information about what is on [ ] 7
- There aren’t enough facilities close to where I live [ ] 8
- My health isn’t good enough [ ] 9
- I don’t have the ability or talent [ ] 10
- Nothing would put me off [ ] 11
- Other reason [ ] 12

L15. Which, if any, of the following ‘Arts’ events have you BEEN TO in the last 12 months? (Tick all that apply)

- Film at a cinema or other venue [ ] 1
- Circus or carnival [ ] 2
- Pantomime or musical [ ] 3
- An Arts festival or Community festival [ ] 4
- Play or drama at a theatre or other venue [ ] 5
- Opera [ ] 6
- Rock or pop music performance [ ] 7
- Traditional or folk music performance [ ] 8
- Classical or jazz music performance [ ] 9
- Other live music performance or concert [ ] 10
- Ballet [ ] 11
- Irish dancing performance [ ] 12
- Any other live dance event [ ] 13
- Poetry reading or storytelling/anything to do with books/writing [ ] 14
- Any type of event including art/photography/sculpture/video/electronic arts/crafts [ ] 15
- None of the above [ ] 16 → Go to L17
L16. Thinking about the last ‘Arts’ event you went to, how much did you enjoy it? (Tick one box only)

A lot □ 1
A little □ 2
Not very much □ 3
Not at all □ 4

L17. Which, if any, of the reasons listed below would put you off going to the types of ‘Arts’ events mentioned earlier? (Tick all that apply)

It is difficult to find the time □ 1
They cost too much □ 2
I’m not really interested □ 3
I don’t have anyone to go to them with □ 4
I wouldn’t enjoy them □ 5
I might feel uncomfortable or out of place □ 6
I don’t have enough information about what is on □ 7
There aren’t enough facilities close to where I live □ 8
My health isn’t good enough □ 9
Nothing would put me off □ 10
Religious reasons □ 11
Other reason □ 12
**THE ENVIRONMENT**

**M1. Are any of these environmental issues important to you?**
(Tick one box for each line)

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**M2. Do you think that through your own actions you can make a difference to any of these issues?**
(Tick one box for each line)

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**M3. How often do you sort/encourage others to sort glass, newspapers etc. for recycling?**
(Tick one box only)

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M4. How often do you make/encourage others to make a special effort to use less electricity/gas at home or school (eg: by switching lights off)?
(Tick one box only)

- Always □ 1
- Often □ 2
- Sometimes □ 3
- Never □ 4

M5. How often do you make/encourage others to make a special effort to use less water at home or school (eg: by taking showers rather than baths, turning off taps)?
(Tick one box only)

- Always □ 1
- Often □ 2
- Sometimes □ 3
- Never □ 4

M6. Which, if any, of the following methods of saving water have you heard of?
(Tick all that apply)

- Only filling the kettle as much as you need □ 1
- Not letting the tap run whilst brushing your teeth □ 2
- Putting a jug of tap water in the fridge rather than run the tap for every drink □ 3
- Using a water butt in the garden to collect rain water for gardening □ 4
- Placing a hippo bag in the cistern of the toilet □ 5
- Using dishwashers/washing machines at the lowest possible setting (eg: 30 °C instead of 40 °C) □ 6
- None of these □

M7. Which form of transport do you use most regularly?
(Tick one box only)

- Car/taxi □ 1
- Public Transport (eg: bus, train etc.) □ 2
- Cycle □ 3
- Walk □ 4
M8. How often do you make a special effort to make sure that your noise (e.g., from a TV/CD player/radio) does not disturb other people? (Tick one box only)
Always  □ 1
Often    □ 2
Sometimes □ 3
Never    □ 4

M9. How often do you buy/encourage others to buy environmentally friendly products (e.g., recycled paper, low energy light bulbs etc)? (Tick one box only)
Always  □ 1
Often    □ 2
Sometimes □ 3
Never    □ 4

M10. How often do you dispose of your litter carefully? (Tick one box only)
Always  □ 1
Often    □ 2
Sometimes □ 3
Never    □ 4

M11. From where do you learn most about environmental issues? (Tick one box only)
School    □ 1
Television □ 2
Radio     □ 3
Newspapers/magazines □ 4
Parents   □ 5
Internet  □ 6
Somewhere else □ 7

M12. In the last 12 months, have you participated in any school trips which were related to the environment (e.g., Biology/Geography field trips)?
Yes      □ 1
No       □ 2
Don’t know □ 3
M13. Are you involved in any environmental projects through school or outside school (eg: Ecoschools, Young Environmentalist awards, local community wildlife projects, members of UWT, RSPB etc)?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3

M14. When shopping for food you should try to buy foods that are produced in Northern Ireland.

Strongly Agree ☐ 1
Agree ☐ 2
Neither Agree nor Disagree ☐ 3
Disagree ☐ 4
Strongly Disagree ☐ 5
Don’t know ☐ 6

M15. You should choose organic foods because they have a less damaging effect on the environment.

Strongly Agree ☐ 1
Agree ☐ 2
Neither Agree nor Disagree ☐ 3
Disagree ☐ 4
Strongly Disagree ☐ 5
Don’t know ☐ 6

M16. In general, there is too much packaging on food.

Strongly Agree ☐ 1
Agree ☐ 2
Neither Agree nor Disagree ☐ 3
Disagree ☐ 4
Strongly Disagree ☐ 5
Don’t know ☐ 6
Renewable energy is produced from naturally occurring sources that cannot be used up, such as sunshine, wind or water. Energy produced by fossil fuels such as coal, oil or gas is not renewable energy as supplies of these will eventually run out.

M17. Do you believe that a large proportion of the energy produced/used in Northern Ireland in the next 10 years will be renewable energy?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don't know □ 3

M18. Do you believe renewable energy can help in fighting climate change/global warming/damage to ozone?

Yes □ 1
No □ 2
Don't know □ 3
TRAVELLING TO SCHOOL

N1. How do you usually travel most of the way TO school? (Tick one box only)

- Walk □ 1
- Bicycle □ 2
- Bus □ 3
- Train □ 4
- Taxi □ 5
- Car □ 6
- Other □ 7

N2. How would you LIKE to travel most of the way TO school? (Tick one box only)

- Walk □ 1
- Bicycle □ 2
- Bus □ 3
- Train □ 4
- Taxi □ 5
- Car □ 6
- Other □ 7

N3. How do you usually travel most of the way home FROM school? (Tick one box only)

- Walk □ 1
- Bicycle □ 2
- Bus □ 3
- Train □ 4
- Taxi □ 5
- Car □ 6
- Other □ 7
**N4.** How would you LIKE to travel most of the way home FROM school?  
(Tick one box only)

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**N5.** If you travel by car TO or FROM school, do any other pupils travel in the car with you?  
(Tick all that apply)

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**N6.** Do you qualify for free school transport (eg: free school bus/train pass)?

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**N7.** How often do you use free transport TO or FROM school?

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**N8.** Can I just check do you ever take the bus TO or FROM school?

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N9. Do you usually find travelling TO or FROM school by bus a pleasant experience?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2

N10. Are you usually comfortable while you are travelling TO or FROM school by bus?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2

N11. Do you usually feel safe while travelling TO or FROM school by bus?

Yes ☐ 1 → Go to Question N13
No ☐ 2 → Continue to Question N12

N12. Which of the following makes you feel unsafe while travelling by bus?
(Tick all that apply)

- Overcrowding ☐ 1
- Lack of seatbelts ☐ 2
- Having to stand ☐ 3
- Having to sit 3 to a seat ☐ 4
- Passenger behaviour (eg: bullying, rowdiness etc.) ☐ 5
- Bus driver behaviour (eg: driving too fast, careless etc.) ☐ 6
- Something else ☐ 7

N13. Do you ever feel your safety is at risk just before getting on or just after getting off the bus?

Yes ☐ 1 → Continue to Question N14
No ☐ 2 → Go to Question N15

N14. Which of the following makes you feel your safety is at risk just before getting on or just after getting off the bus?
(Tick all that apply)

- Could get run over by the bus ☐ 1
- Could get run over by a car, lorry etc. coming after the bus ☐ 2
- Could get run over by a car, lorry etc. coming on the other side of the road from the bus ☐ 3
- Could get pushed onto the road by other children ☐ 4
- Something else – please say what: ____________________________________________ ☐ 5
N15. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the public transport (eg: bus, train etc.) you use to get TO or FROM school?

Satisfied □ 1
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied □ 2
Dissatisfied □ 3
Don’t use public transport to or from school □ 4

N16. Are you satisfied or dissatisfied with the public transport (eg: bus, train etc.) you use on journeys OTHER than to or from school?

Satisfied □ 1
Neither satisfied nor dissatisfied □ 2
Dissatisfied □ 3
Don’t use public transport for other journeys □ 4
## ROAD SAFETY

**O1. How often do you do any of the following?**  
(Tick one box for each line)

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02. In the last 12 months, have you had any type of education on road safety in school (e.g. talks/lessons, projects, packs, leaflets)?
   Yes ☑ 1 → Continue to Question O3
   No ☑ 2 → Go to Question P1

03. How many times have you had education on road safety in school in the last 12 months?
   1-5 times ☐ 1
   6-10 times ☐ 2
   11 or more times ☐ 3

04. Who provided the road safety education in school?
    (Tick all that apply)
    Teacher ☐ 1
    Road Safety Education Officer (RSEO) ☐ 2
    Police ☐ 3
    Someone else ☐ 4

05. Did you find the road safety education you received in school useful?
    Yes ☑ 1
    No ☑ 2
    Don’t know ☑ 3
MONEY

P1. If you borrowed £50 from your parents/guardians, which of the following describes what you would do first?
(Tick one box only)

Use my own money to pay it back  □ 1
Borrow money to pay it back       □ 2
Avoid paying it back              □ 3
None of these                     □ 4
Don't know                        □ 5

P2. If you got £100 as a present from your parents/guardians today, would you spend it or save it?
(Tick one box only)

Save it                           □ 1
Spend it                          □ 2
Save some and spend some          □ 3
Don't know                        □ 4

P3. Which one of the following best describes how you are learning to manage money?
(Tick one box only)

From parents/guardians □ 1
From friends           □ 2
At school              □ 3
Through experience     □ 4
From TV/newspapers etc. □ 5
Don't know             □ 6
ATTITUDES TOWARDS DOMESTIC VIOLENCE

Q1. Do you think boyfriends who hit girlfriends once deserve a second chance in the relationship?
   Yes □ 1
   No □ 2
   Don’t know □ 3

Q2. Do you think husbands who hit wives once deserve a second chance in the relationship?
   Yes □ 1
   No □ 2
   Don’t know □ 3

Q3. Do you think girlfriends who hit boyfriends once deserve a second chance in the relationship?
   Yes □ 1
   No □ 2
   Don’t know □ 3

Q4. Do you think wives who hit husbands once deserve a second chance in the relationship?
   Yes □ 1
   No □ 2
   Don’t know □ 3

Q5. Do you think it is okay for a man to hit his girlfriend/wife if she is nagging or won’t stop arguing with him?
   Yes □ 1
   No □ 2
   Don’t know □ 3
Q6. Do you think it is okay for a woman to hit her boyfriend/husband if he is nagging or won’t stop arguing with her?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3

Q7. Do you think it is okay for a man to hit his girlfriend/wife if she is not treating him with respect?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3

Q8. Do you think it is okay for a woman to hit her boyfriend/husband if he is not treating her with respect?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3

Q9. Do you think it is okay for a man to hit his girlfriend/wife if she has slept with someone else?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3

Q10. Is it okay for a woman to hit her boyfriend/husband if he has slept with someone else?

Yes ☐ 1
No ☐ 2
Don’t know ☐ 3
You have now completed the questionnaire.

Thank You