

WHAT WOULD WE LIKE YOU AND YOUR CHILD TO DO?

INFORMATION FOR PARENTS



WHAT ARE WE ASKING YOUR CHILD TO DO?

1 ANSWER SOME QUESTIONS ABOUT THEIR LIVES
(around 45 minutes)

2 COMPLETE A SHORT QUESTIONNAIRE ONLINE AFTER THE VISIT
(around 15 minutes)

3 DO A NUMBER ACTIVITY
(around 10 minutes)

4 BE MEASURED
(around 10 minutes)

5 GIVE PERMISSION FOR US TO ADD EXTRA INFORMATION ABOUT THEM
A booklet with information on this will be sent to your child before the interviewer visits, and we would like you to discuss this with them.

Most young people find taking part interesting, and we hope they will do all these things. However, they can choose to do some parts and not others.



WHAT WOULD WE LIKE YOU TO DO?

Most activities conducted by the interviewer during their visit will be with your child. However, we would like one parent to complete a short, 10 minute interview about the family situation, and answer a small number of questions on paper (around 5 minutes).

We would also like parents (or a parent and their partner) who are living with the young person, to complete a short questionnaire online. This is really important to get a full understanding of family life and helps to provide information that your child may not be able to give themselves.

Ideally we would like you to complete this during the interviewer's visit. It should take around 15 minutes.

THE QUESTIONS COVER:

- Your family situation
- Your child's education
- Things you do with your child
- Your health
- Your employment
- Your income

Taking part is voluntary and you can decide to stop at any point or decline any question.

We'd like to send you text and email reminders after the visit to complete the questionnaire, and will be asking for your mobile number and email address to do this. If you're not happy with this, please just let the interviewer know.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN TO THE DATA WE COLLECT?

The answers you and your child give will be held securely and be treated in strict confidence in accordance with the Data Protection Act 1998 and General Data Protection Regulation.

WHO CAN I CONTACT IF I HAVE CONCERNS AFTER TAKING PART?

Below are some contact details that provide advice on a range of issues.

Family Lives
(www.familylives.org.uk)

Family Lives provides confidential advice, information and support on a range of family issues. You can also call them on **Freephone 0808 800 2222**.


Citizens Advice
(www.citizensadvice.org.uk)


Your local Citizens Advice Bureau can offer independent advice in person on a range of general issues including housing, debt and consumer issues.

CONTACT DETAILS

If you would like more information about the survey, please contact the team using the details below:


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THANK YOU FOR YOUR HELP!