



Kids' Life and Times Survey 2024 Questionnaire

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First, some questions about you

Q1. Which one of the following describes you best? (Please tick one answer only) **RSEX**

Boy	1
Girl	2
Neither	3
I don't want to say	4

Q2. How would you describe the place where you live? (Please tick one answer only) **PLACELIV**

A city or town	1
A village or in the country	2
I'm not sure	3

Q3. Do you have a long-term disability, illness or medical condition? (Please tick one answer only)

LONGILL

Yes	1	Go to Q4
No	2	Skip to Q5
I'm not sure	3	Skip to Q5

Q4. What disability/medical condition do you have? (Please tick all that apply) **LONGILL1**

Physical disability (e.g. walking or getting around)	1
Intellectual disability (e.g. finding it hard to understand things or remember things)	1
Sensory disability (e.g. hearing, seeing or both)	1
Autism	1
Communication (e.g. talking to others, stammering)	1
Specific learning difficulty (e.g. dyslexia)	1
Mental health condition (e.g. anxiety or depression)	1
Other long term condition (e.g. asthma, diabetes, chronic fatigue)	1
I'm not sure	1

Q5. Which of your parents do you live with? (Please tick one answer only) **LIVEWITH**

My mum and dad in the same house	1
My mum for all or most of the time	2
My dad for all or most of the time	3
My mum for half of the time and my dad for half of the time	4
Somebody else (Please type in who you live with in the box below)	5

Q6. Do you have your own bedroom for yourself in the home where you normally live?

(Please tick one answer only) **OWNROOM**

No	1
Yes	2

Q7. How many bathrooms (room with a bath/shower or both) are there in the home where you normally live? (Please tick one answer only) **NUMBATH**

None	1
One	2
Two	3
More than two	4

Q8. Does your family own a car, van or truck? (Please tick one answer only) **FAMCAR**

No	1	Go to Q9
Yes, one	2	Go to Q9
Yes, two or more	3	Go to Q9
I don't live with a family	4	Skip to Q12

Q9. How many computers (including laptops and tablets, not including game consoles and smartphones) does your family own? (Please tick one answer only) **NUMCOMP**

None	1
One	2
Two	3
More than two	4

Q10. How many times did you and your family travel out of Northern Ireland or Ireland for a holiday last year? (Please tick one answer only) **ABROAD**

Not at all	1
Once	2
Twice	3
More than twice	4

Q11. Does your family have a dishwasher at home? (Please tick one answer only) **FAMDISH**

No	1
Yes	2

The next questions are about school

Q12. Looking back over the time that you were at this school, would you say you were mostly happy at this school or mostly unhappy? (Please tick one answer only) **HAPPYSCH**

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Mostly happy	1
Mostly unhappy	2
I can't decide	3

Q13. Have you personally ever been bullied in school? (Please tick one answer only) **BULLEVER**

Yes	1	Go to Q14
No	2	Skip to Q15
I don't know	3	Skip to Q15

Q14. What form(s) did this bullying take? (Please tick all that apply) **BULLFMEV**

Being teased or called hurtful names BULLFMEV1	1
Being left out of things on purpose BULLFMEV2	1
Being hit, kicked, punched, slapped or physically hurt in any other way BULLFMEV3	1
Having my money or possessions taken from me BULLFMEV4	1
Having lies/rumours or gossip spread about me BULLFMEV5	1
Cyber bullying - bullying using mobile phone, tablets, online games, social media etc. BULLFMEV6	1

The next few questions are about how you feel about doing classes or projects or sharing facilities with other schools where pupils are from a different religion.

Q15. Sometimes primary schools get together with other schools where pupils are from a different religion. Pupils might go to another school to use the computers or swimming pool, or to do classes or projects with the pupils from the other school. This is called Shared Education. Have you done anything like this? (Click one answer only) **SEDUC**

Yes	1	Skip to Q17
No	2	Go to Q16

Q16. Would you like to be involved in Shared Education? (Click one answer only) **SEFUT**

Yes	1	All Skip to Q24
No	2	
I don't know	3	

Q17. Please click on all the things you have done. (Click all that apply) **SEDONE**

I have had classes with pupils from other schools	1
I have done projects with pupils from other schools	1
I have used or shared sports facilities or equipment, like computers with pupils from other schools	1
Something else (Please type what you did with pupils from other schools in the box below)	1

Q18. How much did you like or dislike doing any of the following? (Click one answer on each line)

	Liked it a lot	Liked it a little	Did not like it very much	Did not like it at all	I did not do this
Sharing classes SEDIS1	1	2	3	4	5
Doing projects together SEDIS2	1	2	3	4	5
Sharing sports facilities and computers or equipment SEDIS3	1	2	3	4	5
Being taught by different teachers SEDIS4	1	2	3	4	5
Travelling to a different school SEDIS5	1	2	3	4	5
Learning new things with pupils from another school SEDIS6	1	2	3	4	5
Doing classes we normally don't get to do at our school SEDIS7	1	2	3	4	5
Making new friends SEDIS8	1	2	3	4	5
Being with children who are a different religion to you SEDIS9	1	2	3	4	5
Being with children who have a different skin colour or who speak a different language than you SEDIS10	1	2	3	4	5
Being with children who are richer or poorer than you SEDIS11	1	2	3	4	5

Q19. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statement: (Click one answer only)

SERESP

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	I don't know
Since taking part in Shared Education, I am better able to respect the views of others.	1	2	3	4	5	6

Q20. Since taking part in Shared Education, how many close friends have you made with children who are a different religion to you in the other school(s)? (Click one answer only) **SEFNDS**

None	1
1	2
2-4	3
5-9	4
10 or more	5
I don't know how many close friends I made	6

I don't know what religion the friends I made are	7
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Q21. Did you have lessons on Personal Development and Mutual Understanding (PDMU) as part of Shared Education? These lessons might include topics such as Similarities and Differences, Friendships, All about Me, Living in Our Community. (Click one answer only) **SEPDMU**

Yes	1
No	2
I can't remember	3

Q22. Overall, how did you feel about sharing classes, projects or equipment with other schools? (Click one answer only) **SEFEEL**

Very favourable	1	Go to Q23
Favourable	2	
Neither favourable nor unfavourable	3	
Unfavourable	4	
Very unfavourable	5	Skip to Q24
I don't know	6	

Q23. Why are you in favour, or not in favour, of sharing with other schools? (Please type below.)

SECOMM

All respondents

Q24. Suppose a group of children from another school were coming to do a project with your class. Would you mind if they were from these kinds of schools? (Click one answer on each line)

	I would mind a lot	I would mind a little	I would not mind at all	I don't know
A primary school near this school SHPRIM	1	2	3	4
A school for children with special educational needs or disabilities SHSNEEDS	1	2	3	4
A secondary school for older children SHSEC	1	2	3	4
A school where most of the children are a different religion to you SHDIFREL	1	2	3	4
A school where most of the children are richer or poorer than you SHDIFSC	1	2	3	4
A school where most of the children have a different skin colour or speak a different language than you SHDIFMEC	1	2	3	4

A SHARED EDUCATION CAMPUS is where two (or more) schools share one building or where there are facilities in each school building which both schools use. One school would usually have mostly pupils from a Catholic background and the other school would usually have pupils mostly from a Protestant background and they would share classes and facilities with each other.

Q25. Would you like your school to be part of a Shared Education Campus? (Click one answer only)

SHLIKE1

Yes	1
No	2
I don't know	3

Q26. If your school was on a Shared Education Campus, do you think it should have the following... (Click all that apply) **SEFAC**

One main school entrance SEFAC1	1
Shared sports facilities SEFAC2	1
Shared lunchtime and dining facilities SEFAC3	1
A shared school bus SEFAC4	1
One school uniform SEFAC5	1

Q27. If you were in a shared campus school do you think you would... (Click one answer only) **SHLIKE**

Like it a lot	1
Like it a little	2
Not like it at all	3
I don't know	4

Q28. What do you think you would like or dislike about a shared campus? (Please type below)

SECCOMM

Q29. In **your school** you might have lessons and discussions about the different groups of people living in our society and about treating people fairly and with respect. As a result of being involved in any of these activities in **your school** do you think your attitude towards any of the following groups has changed or has stayed the same? (Click one answer on each line)

	I am more positive towards them	My attitude to them has not changed	I am more negative towards them	I have not had any lessons or discussions about this topic
People with different religious beliefs CREDEL	1	2	3	4
People who have a different skin colour or speak a different language to you CREDMEC	1	2	3	4
People of different ages (older and younger people/children) CREDAE	1	2	3	4
Girls and boys CREDEG	1	2	3	4
People with a disability and those without a disability CREDDIS	1	2	3	4
People with different political opinions CREDPOL	1	2	3	4

The next questions are about children's rights

Q30. Have you heard of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child, also known as the UNCRC? **HRDUNCRC**

Yes	1
No	2
I don't know	3

Q31. Have you heard of the Children's Commissioner for Northern Ireland, also known as NICCY?

HRDCOMM

Yes	1
No	2
I don't know	3

Q32. What do you think the Children's Commissioner does? (Please click one answer only) **COMMDO**

Carries out school inspections	1
Protects and promotes the rights of children and young people	2
Gives money for children to do projects	3
I don't know what the Commissioner does	4

Q33. The Commissioner has a duty to let children and young people and their parents/guardians know about his work and how he can help. How would you prefer to get information from the Commissioner? (Please click ALL that apply) **COMMINFO**

Through a school or youth group	1
On social networking sites (e.g., Facebook, TikTok, X (Twitter), Instagram)	1
Through the Commissioner's website	1
Through the media (TV, radio, newspapers)	1
Other (type in how)	1

Q34. Part of the Commissioner's job is to listen to the views of children and young people on issues that affect them. How would you like to give your views to the Commissioner? (Please CLick ALL that apply) **COMMVIEW**

Through school or youth group	1
On social networking sites (e.g., Facebook, TikTok, X (Twitter), Instagram)	1
Through commenting on a website	1
By email	1
By texting	1
By phoning	1
By letter	1
Other (type in how)	1

Q35. What social media sites do you use? (Please write in) **COMMSITE**

Q36. Do you have your own personal mobile phone? **OWNMOB**

Yes	1	Go to Q37
No	2	Skip to Q38

Q37. How often do you use the Internet on your mobile phone? **INTMOB**

Almost every day	1
At least once or twice every week	2
At least once every month	3
Less often than once a month	4
Never	5
I don't have the internet on my mobile phone	6

Q38. How often do you use the Internet at home? **INTHOME**

Almost every day	1
At least once or twice every week	2
At least once every month	3
Less often than once a month	4
Never	5
We don't have the Internet at home	6

Q39. Are you able to access the Internet whenever you want to or need to? **INTACC**

Never	1
Sometimes	2
Often	3
Always	4
I don't know	5
Prefer not to say	6

Q40. How much do you think your parent/carer knows about what you do on the Internet? **INTPAR**

Nothing	1
Just a little	2
Quite a bit	3
A lot	4
I don't know	5
Prefer not to say	6

Q41. Have you been taught about staying safe online in the last year?

WEBSAFE

Yes	1	
No	2	

Now some questions about your health

Q42. In general, how would you say your health is? (Please click one answer only) **KY10PHYS**

Excellent	1
Very good	2
Good	3
Fair	4
Poor	5

And thinking about the last week...

Q43. Have you felt fit and well? **KY10IN01**

Not at all 1	Slightly 2	Moderately 3	Very 4	Extremely 5
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Q44. Have you felt full of energy? **KY10IN02**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q45. Have you felt sad? **KY10IN03**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q46. Have you felt lonely? **KY10IN04**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q47. Have you had fun with your friends? **KY10IN05**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q48. Have you had enough time for yourself? **KY10IN06**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q49. Thinking about the last week have you been able to do the things that you want to do in your free time? **KY10IN07**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q50. Have your parent(s) or guardian(s) treated you fairly? **KY10IN08**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q51. Have you got on well at school? **KY10IN09**

Not at all 1	Slightly 2	Moderately 3	Very 4	Extremely 5
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Q52. Have you been able to pay attention? **KY10IN10**

Never 1	Seldom 2	Quite often 3	Very often 4	Always 5
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Q53. Please read each statement below and decide if you think it describes you or not. If you think it describes you click on **This is like me**. If you think it does not describe you click on **This is unlike me**

USET 1 - 8 (Self_Esteem)

	This is like me	This is unlike me
I am easy to like	1	2
I am a lot of fun to be with	1	2
I am popular with children my own age	1	2
I would rather play with children younger than me	1	2
Children usually follow my ideas	1	2
I do not like to be with other people	1	2
Children pick on me very often	1	2
Most people are better liked than I am	1	2

You are nearly at the end, just one more question to go!

Q54. What job would you like to do when you grow up? **SUGG2024**