



Self-completion questionnaire (10-15 yrs)

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COMPLETING THE QUESTIONNAIRE

The questions inside cover a wide range of subjects, but each one can be answered simply by ticking the box next to the answer, as in the example below. Next to some of the boxes are arrows and instructions. They show or tell you which question to answer next. If there are no special instructions, just answer the next question.

Example question

Q16 Did you have breakfast today?



When you have finished answering the questionnaire, please seal it in the envelope and hand it back to the interviewer. If you have any questions or need help, please ask the interviewer. Thank you again for your help.

+ + + + The next few questions are about your relationship with your How often do any of your brothers or sisters do any parents even if either of them live in a different household to you. of the following to you at home? Quite a lot (more than 4 Not much A lot (1-3 times in times in the (a few times Most children have occasional guarrels with their parents. Never last 6 months) every week) last 6 months) How often do you quarrel with your mother? YPARGM Hit, kick, or push you Most days YPSIBHIT More than once a week Take your belongings YPSIBSTEAL Less than once a week Call you nasty names YPSIBVERAB Hardly ever Make fun of you Don't have a mother YPSTBTEASE How often do you do any of the following to your brothers or How often do you quarrel with your father? sisters at home? Quite a lot YPARGF (more than 4 A lot Most days Not much times in the (a few times (1–3 times in Never last 6 months) last 6 months) every week) More than once a week Hit, kick, or push them YPHITSIB Less than once a week Hardly ever Take their belongings YPSTEALSIB Don't have a father Call them nasty names YPVERABSIB Make fun of them YPTEASESIB 10 + +11

+ + + + How would you rate your relationship with your step-mother or father, or other person like this? How often do you talk to your mother, about things that matter to you? YPTLKM YPSTEPREL Very good Most days More than once a week Less than once a week Hardly ever Don't have a mother Very poor How often do you talk to your father, about things that matter to you? YPTLKF Most days More than once a week Less than once a week Hardly ever Don't have a father Do you have a step-mother or father, or someone like this, living at home with you? YPSTEPHAS 12 + + 13

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Now for some questions about how you see yourself as a person.
For each item, please tick the box for Not True, Somewhat True or
Certainly True. It would help us if you answered all items as best you
can even if you aren't absolutely certain. Please give your answers on
the basis of how things have been for you over the last six months.

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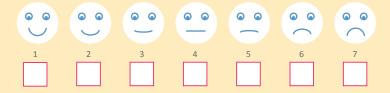
the basis of how things have been for you over the last six months.						
		Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true		
	nice to other people. e about their feelings					
YPSDQB	am restless, I cannot stay still for long					
_	et a lot of headaches, ach-aches or sickness					
	ally share with others od, games, pens, etc.)					
l get YPSDQE	very angry and often lose my temper					
	n my own. I generally one or keep to myself					
YPSDQG	sually do as I am told					
YPSDQH	I worry a lot					
l am helpfi YPSDQI	ul if someone is hurt, upset or feeling ill					
l am	or squirming					
YPSDQK	nave one good friend or more					

	Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true
I fight a lot. I can make other people YPSDQL do what I want			
l am often unhappy, YPSDQM down-hearted or tearful			
Other people my age YPSDQN generally like me			
I am easily distracted, I find it difficult YPSDQO to concentrate			
I am nervous in new situations. YPSDQP I easily lose confidence			
I am kind to young children YPSDQQ			
I am often accused of lying YPSDQR or cheating			
Other children or young people YPSDQS pick on me or bully me			
I often volunteer to help others YPSDQT (parents, teachers, children)			
I think before I do things YPSDQU			
I take things that are not mine from home, school or elsewhere			
I get on better with adults than with YPSDQW people my own age			
I have many fears, I am easily scared YPSDQX			
I finish the work I'm doing			

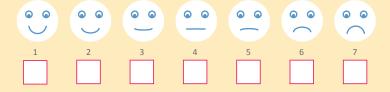
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The next few questions are about how you feel about different aspects of your life. The faces express various types of feelings. Below each face is a number where '1' is completely happy and '7' is not at all happy. Please tick the box which comes closest to expressing how you feel about each of the following things...

A Your school work? YPHSW



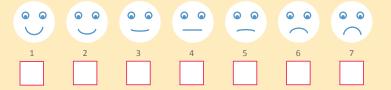
B Your appearance? YPHAP



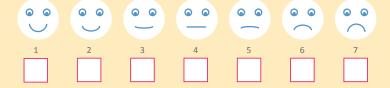
C Your family? YPHFM



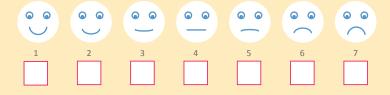
D Your friends? YPHFR



E The school you go to? YPHSC



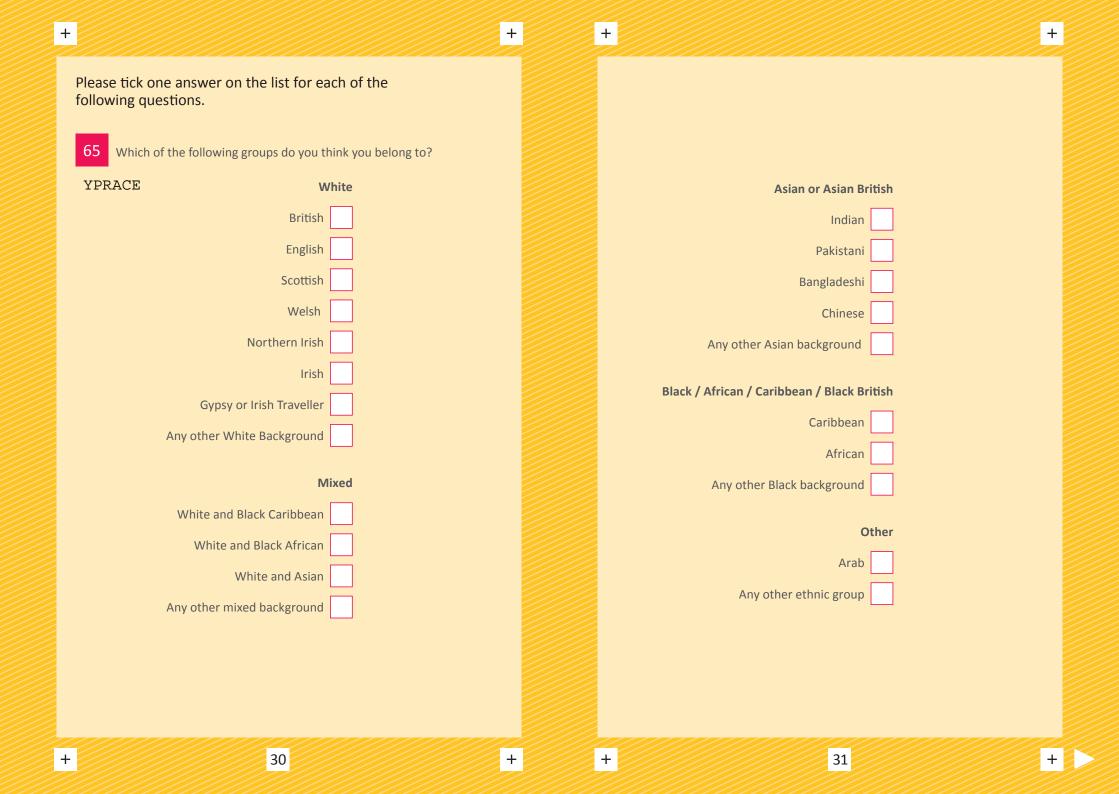
F Which best describes how you feel about your life as a whole? YPHLF



+ + + + Would you like to go on to do further full-time education My parents come to school parents evenings. at a college or University after you finish school? YP2UNI YPPAREVE Always or nearly always Sometimes Don't know Hardly ever Never Not sure In the last 12 months, have you ever played truant, that is missed school without permission, even if it was only for a half day or single lesson? YPTRUANT How often do other pupils at your school misbehave or cause trouble in your classes? YPOTRMISB In most or all of your classes Less often but in more than half of your classes My parents are interested in how I do at school. In about half your classes YPPARSCH Always or nearly always Now and then Sometimes This is not a problem at all Hardly ever Never Not sure 20 21 + +

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And how often would you say you yourself misbehave or cause trouble in your classes? YPMISBSCH In most or all of your classes Less often but in more than half of your classes In about half your classes Now and then This is not a problem at all	How often do you get bullied in other ways at school such as getting called names, getting left out of games, or having nasty stories spread about you on purpose? YPFROBULLI Never Not much (1–3 times in the last 6 months) Quite a lot (more than 4 times in the last 6 months) A lot (a few times every week)
Now some questions about bullying at school. How often do you get physically bullied at school, for example getting hit, pushed around or threatened, or having belongings stolen? YPFRPBULLI Never Not much (1–3 times in the last 6 months) Quite a lot (more than 4 times in the last 6 months) A lot (a few times every week)	Do you physically bully other children at school by hitting or pushing them around, threatening them or stealing their things? YPFRPBULLY Never Not much (1–3 times in the last 6 months) Quite a lot (more than 4 times in the last 6 months) A lot (a few times every week) How often do you bully children in other ways at school such as calling them names, leaving them out of games or spreading nasty stories about them on purpose? YPFROBULLY Never Not much (1–3 times in the last 6 months) Quite a lot (more than 4 times in the last 6 months) A lot (a few times every week)
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About how many hours a week would you say that you usually spend looking after or doing things for them? YPCAHRS Write in hours	Do you ever smoke cigarettes at all? Please do not include electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes). YPEVRSMO Yes 56
How often do you have to miss school to do this?	No ST
YPCASCH Never Once a week or more often Once or twice a month	Please read the statements below and tick the box beside the statement that describes you best. YPSMOFRO I have smoked only once or twice
Here are a few questions about health and nutrition.	I used to smoke but I don't now
How many days in a usual week do you eat fast food such as McDonalds, Burger King, KFC or other take-aways like that? YPFFDWK Every day, or nearly every day About once a week Every now and then Never or hardly ever	I sometimes smoke, but not every week I usually smoke between one and six cigarettes a week I usually smoke more than six cigarettes a week
How many days in a usual week do you eat crisps or sweets or have fizzy drinks such as Coke or lemonade? YPJFD Every day, or nearly every day About once a week Every now and then Never or hardly ever	Do you ever use electronic cigarettes (e-cigarettes)? YPECIG Yes No
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+ + + + And what is your religion? If you have no religion tick "No religion". If you could vote for a political party, which one would you vote for? YPRELIGGB YPVTE3GB No religion Conservatives Labour Church of England/Anglican Liberal Democrat Roman Catholic Scottish National Party Church of Scotland Plaid Cymru Free Church or Free Presbyterian Church of Scotland **Green Party** Episcopalian **UK Independence Party** Methodist **British National Party** Baptist Other party Congregational/United Reform/URC None Other Christian Christian (no denomination specified) How interested are you in politics? Muslim/Islam YPVTE6 Very interested Hindu Fairly interested Jewish Not interested Sikh Buddhist Other I don't know 32 + 33 + + +

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The final two questions are about what you want to do in the future.

At what age would you like to leave home?

YPLVHM

Write in age

Finally, what job would you like to do once you leave school or finish your full-time education?

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Thank you for your help

Please place the questionnaire in the envelope and hand it back to your interviewer.

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