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### YOUNG LIFE & TIMES SURVEY 2006

#### **Young Life and Times Survey 2006**

RSEX 1. Are you male or female?	YEARSNI
1. Are you male or lemale: ✓	2. How many years have you lived in Northern Ireland?
Male 1 Female 2	☐ ☐ Years
	Teals
WHERELIV 3. If you have not always lived in Northern Irela	and, what other countries have you lived in?
PLACELIV 4. Would you describe the place where you	ı live as ✓
A big city The suburbs or outskirts of a big city A small city or town A country village Or, a farm or home in the country? Don't know	1
ETHNCAT 5. To which ethnic group do you consider you belong?	<ul><li>MEMMEC</li><li>6. Do you consider yourself to be a member of a minority ethnic community?</li></ul>
	Yes
WALKAREA 7. 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	0 to 5 minutes

THISOCT	OCT2YRS	
9. What do you think you will be doing in	10. What do you think you will be doing in two	
October 2006?	years time, in October 2008?	
At school or college full time 1 Working full time 2 Working part time 3 At school or college and working part time 4 On a training scheme 5 Unemployed 6 (Please say why you think you will be unemployed)	Going to college or university full time 1 Working full time 2 Working part time 3 At college or university and working part time 4 On a training scheme 5 Unemployed 6 (Please say why you think you will be unemployed)	
Other (Please say what)	Other (Please say what)	
disagree with the following four statements  EXPSCH10  11. On the whole, I felt very happy while at sch	EXPSCH4	e l
Strongly agree	Strongly agree	
EXPSCH11 13. Most teachers did not respect me as an individual.	EXPSCH12  14. I am satisfied that I have achieved at scho to the best of my ability.	ol
Strongly agree	Strongly agree	

were gene	say that the students at your school erally allowed to express their views running of the school	16. Did your school have a school council, that is, a body made up of teachers and students who together decide some things about the running of the school?
A lot A little Or, not a Don't kr		Yes
•	effective was the school council influencing issues affecting	
	A lot	
18. What kinds	s of things did the students at your scho	√ Yes No Don't
STUDSAY1 STUDSAY6 STUDSAY3 STUDSAY4 STUDSAY7 STUDSAY0 (Please say what)	School uniform How the school budget was allocated The curriculum Facilities (e.g. toilets or lockers) School policies (e.g. anti-bullying or su Other	1
(STUDSAY8 (STUDSAY9 (STUDSA10	School meals) School formals and events) Charity and fund raising events)	
		n going to school. As far as you know, over the lt to afford each of the following for you?
COST1 COST2 COST3 COST4 COST5 COST6	School uniform School books and materials Day trips/events during the school Day trips/events outside school h School-organised holiday trips Other (Please say what)	

attend?  Planned Integrated	or nearly all Protestant or nearly all Catholic stly Protestant stly Catholic out half Protestant and half Catholic n't know
Grammar         □ 2         All           Secondary         □ 3         Mo           Irish language         □ 4         Mo           Special School         □ 5         Abox	or nearly all Catholic 2 stly Protestant 3 stly Catholic 4 out half Protestant and half Catholic 5
(Please say what)	
22. Thinking about the future, do you think that you yourself will stay in Northern Ireland, or do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some with the point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some with the point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some will be point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future, do you think that you will leave at some point?  When the future is a future future for the future	. Why do you think that you will leave? (Please tick all boxes that apply.)  HYGONI1 Better job prospects elsewhere HYGONI2 Because of the Troubles HYGONI3 To seek a better future in general HYGONI4 Because of a relationship HYGONI5 To go to college/university HYGONI8 (To go to travelling/gap year) HYGONI6 Other (Please say what)  HYGONI7 Don't know
BACKNI	TIGONIT DOLL KNOW
24. And do you think that you would ever come back t	o live?
Yes	
Now some questions about you and your family	<b>/.</b>
	ARESEP  6. What about people not living with you, do you personally provide some regular service or help for any sick, disabled or elderly relative, friend or neighbour not living with you?  Yes  No  Don't know  3

DISAB1	LIMDISAB
27.Do you have a long-standing illness, disability or infirmity? By long-standing with mean anything that has troubled you over a period of time or that is likely to affect	
you over a period of time?  ✓	Yes
Yes	
No 2 (Please go to question	<b>_</b>
LIVEPAR 29. Do you currently live with your parents,	including adoptive parents?
Man with an analysis of an in the arise the	✓
Yes, with my mother and my father in the Yes, with my mother, but not my father	
Yes, with my father, but not my mother	$\bigsqcup_{j=1}^{n-1} 2$
Yes, with my mother for some of the time	
Other (Please say who you live with)	5
QMOTHER  30.Most young people have occasional quarrels with their parents. How often do quarrel with your mother?  Most days More than once a week Less than once a week Hardly ever Don't have a mother Don't know  30.Most young people have occasional properties.  1	QFATHER 31. How often do you quarrel with your father?  you  Most days  More than once a week  Less than once a week  Hardly ever  Don't have a father  Don't know
TMOTHER  32.How often do you talk to your mother ab things that matter to you?	TFATHER  out 33.How often do you talk to your father about things that matter to you?  ✓
Most days 1	Most days 1
More than once a week	More than once a week
Less than once a week 3	Less than once a week 3
Hardly ever 4	Hardly ever 4
Don't have a mother 5	Don't have a father 5
Don't know	Don't know
CLFRREC 34.How many close friends do you have – f trouble?	riends you could talk to if you were in some kind of

SRELFRND		SRELREL		
35. About how many of your friends would you		36.What about your relatives? About how		
say are the same religion as you	ı?	many are the same religion as	you?	
	<u> </u>		<b>√</b>	
All	1	All	1	
Most	2	Most	2	
Half	3	Half	3	
Less than half	<u> </u>	Less than half	4	
None	<u> </u>	None	5	
Don't know	☐ 6	Don't know	<u> </u>	
Other	7	Other	7	
(Please say what)		(Please say what)		
WELLOFF	mily in finance	المناد		
37. How well off do you think your fa	mily is linand	aany?		
Not at all wall off	<b>V</b>			
Not at all well off				
Not very well off Average	☐ 2 ☐ 3			
Well off	H			
Very well off	<u></u>			
Don't know	5			
Don't know	<u> </u>			
Now some questions about ho	w you have	felt in the last few weeks.		
CONCENT		WORRY		
38. Have you recently been able to o	concentrate	39. Have you recently lost much sl	leep over	
on whatever you're doing?		worry?		
	<u>✓</u>		<b>√</b>	
Better than usual	1	Not at all	1	
Same as usual	2	No more than usual	2	
Less than usual	3	Rather more than usual	3	
Much less than usual	4	Much more than usual	4	
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USEFPART	alayina a	MAKEDEC	مر مومادات م	
40. Have you recently felt you were	playing a	41. Have you recently felt capable	or making	
useful part in things?	✓	decisions about things?	✓	
More so than usual	т П 1	More so than usual	1	
Same as usual		Same as usual		
Less useful than usual	$\prod_{3}^{2}$	Less so than usual	☐ 3	
Much less useful	☐ <sup>3</sup>	Much less capable		
Much less useful	4	Much less capable	□ 4	
STRAIN		OVERCOME		
42. Have you recently felt constantly	under	43. Have you recently felt you coul	ldn't	
strain?		overcome your difficulties?		
	$\checkmark$	<del>-</del>	$\checkmark$	
Not at all	1	Not at all	1	
No more than usual	2	No more than usual	2	
Rather more than usual	<u> </u>	Rather more than usual	<u> </u>	
Much more than usual	□ <sub>4</sub>	Much more than usual		

ENJOYACT  44. Have you recently been able to enjoy you normal day-to-day activities?	FACEPROB  45. Have you recently been able to face up to your problems?		
More so than usual 1 Same as usual 2 Less so than usual 3 Much less than usual 4	More so than usual		
UHAPPY 46. Have you recently been feeling unhappy and depressed?	LOSECONF 47. Have you recently been losing confidence in yourself?		
Not at all	Not at all		
WORTHPER 48. Have you recently been thinking of yours as a worthless person?	HAPPY 49. Have you recently been feeling reasonably happy, all things considered?		
Not at all	More so than usual 1 About the same as usual 2 Less so than usual 3 Much less than usual 4		
Stress and depression are quite common among young people in Northern Ireland. If you are affected by problems like these and want to speak to someone, call one of the helplines below.			
DON'T IGNORE PRO	OBLEMS LIKE THESE!		
Youthline Northern Ireland:	0808 808 80 00		
Childline (for young people up to 18 yea	rs): <b>0800 11 11</b>		
Samaritans: Text: 07725 90 90 90 Textphone (for deaf or hard of hearing):	08457 90 90 90 e-mail: jo@samaritans.org 08457 90 91 92		

You can also find useful information at: <a href="http://www.heads-away-just-say.com">http://www.heads-away-just-say.com</a>

The next questions are about children's lives in developing countries. A developing country is one in which many people are living in absolute poverty. This means that they are living on less than one dollar a day. When we refer to children, we mean children and young people under the age of 18.

INTDEV 50. Are you interested in finding out about children's lives in developing countries?
Yes ☐ 1 No ☐ 2
INFODEV 51. How do you find out about what is happening in developing countries? Please tick the source of information that you think is <b>most</b> useful and important to you.  TV News  Newspapers or magazines  School lessons  3
Other school activities
DEVCONCN  52. In many of these countries, there are people who do not have enough to eat, cannot go to school to learn to read and write, or cannot always get basic healthcare. Which of the following best describes how you feel about this?  I am very concerned about it
I am fairly concerned about it I am aware of it but I don't have strong feelings about it one way or another I am not very concerned about it I am not concerned about it Don't know
HELPDEV  53. Do you think that you personally, or your family, can do anything to help children in developing countries or not?  ✓  Yes □ 1 (Please go to next question)
No 2 (Please go to question 55)  Don't know 3 (Please go to next question)

Giving money to charity Buying fair trade goods Taking part in campaigns like Make Poverty History Writing to MPs or other politicians Writing article for school/local newsletter Going on holiday to a poorer country Joining a charity Please name one you think it would be best to join  Other  Other  Other  Other  Hunger Malaria AIDS Diseases linked to unclean water Road traffic accidents Natural disasters (e.g. tsunami or earthquake) War Don't know  HIVSCHL  56. Have you ever been in a lesson at school where HIV and AIDs has been discussed?  Yes  1 (Please go to next question) No 2 (Please go to question 58) Don't know  3 (Please go to question 58)	HELPDEVM 54. How do you think you can help? Please tick the one way that	you think would help <b>most</b> . ✓
Don't know	Buying fair trade goods Taking part in campaigns like Make Poverty History Writing to MPs or other politicians Writing article for school/local newsletter Going on holiday to a poorer country Joining a charity	2 3 4 5 6
MDEATHS  55. In 2005, which of the following do you think led to the most child deaths globally? Please tick one.  Hunger  Hunger  Malaria  AIDS  Diseases linked to unclean water  Road traffic accidents  Natural disasters (e.g. tsunami or earthquake)  War  Don't know  HIVSCHL  56. Have you ever been in a lesson at school where HIV and AIDs has been discussed?  Yes  1 (Please go to next question)  No  2 (Please go to question 58)	Other	8
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No 2 (Please go to question 58)	HIVSCHL 56. Have you ever been in a lesson at school where HIV and AID  ✓	s has been discussed?
HIVSURI	No 2 (Please go to question 58)  Don't know 3 (Please go to question 58)	

57.If yes, please list the subject area(s) in which these topics were discussed? (e.g. Geography, PHSE, Citizenship).

58. How much do you agree or disagree with the following statements about HIV and AIDS?

#### (Please tick one box on each line √)

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't
HIVAIDS1	agree	Agree	uisagree	Disagree	uisagiee	CHOOSE
I think I know enough about HIV to protect myself from becoming infected HIVAIDS2	1	2	3	4	5	6
I would like to know more about how children's lives are affected by HIV and AIDS HIVAIDS3 It would bother me if there was	1	2	3	4	5	6
someone who was HIV positive in my class HIVAIDS4 The spread of HIV and AIDS	1	2	3	4	5	6
throughout the world is something I worry about	1	2	3	4	5	6
The next few questions relate to and community relations in Nor			round an	d experie	ences of p	oolitics
POLITICS 59. How much interest do you general what is going on in politics?	ally have in	60. H	WPOL ow much co plitics in No			about
A great deal Quite a lot Some Not very much None at all Don't know	1 2 3 4 5 6		A great dea Quite a lot Some Not very mu Nothing at a Don't know	uch		1 2 3 4 5
<b>RELAREA</b> 61. Would you describe your area as			./			
M O	ainly Catholi ainly Protest r mixed? on't know		1 2 3 4			
<b>ANYRELIG</b> 62. Do you regard yourself as belong	jing to any إ	oarticular	religion?			
Yes	(Please go to n		)			

RELIGION		CHATTEND	
Church of Ireland (Anglican) Catholic Presbyterian Methodist Baptist Free Presbyterian Brethren Islam Hinduism Judaism Buddhism Other (Please say what)	1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 11	64. Apart from special occasion weddings, funerals, baptishow often nowadays do you services or meetings connicteligion?  Once a week or more 2 or 3 times a month Once a month Several times a year Less frequently Never Don't know	sms and so on, ou attend
RELIDIMP 65. Some people feel very strongly religious identity, that is, whether Catholic, Protestant or somethin even if they don't go to church, people say that their religious is not important to them. How importanic important to you?  Very important  Quite important  Neither important nor unimport  Not very important  Not at all important  I don't have a religious identity	er they are ing else – Other dentity is portant is  1 2 tant 3 4 5	NINATID  66. Which of these best described you think of yourself?  British Irish Ulster Northern Irish Other (please say what)  Don't know	cribes the way  1 2 3 4 5 6
NATIDIMP 67. Some people feel very strongly a national identity, that is, whether British or Irish or something else say that their national identity is to them. How important is your not you?  Very important Quite important Neither important nor unimporta	they feel  Other people not important national identity		
Not very important Not at all important Don't know	4 5 6		

FEELCATH	FEELPROT
68. How favourable or unfavourable do you fee about people from the Catholic community?	I 69. How favourable or unfavourable do you feel about people from the Protestant community?
$\checkmark$	✓
Very favourable 1	Very favourable
Favourable 2	Favourable
Neither favourable nor unfavourable	Neither favourable nor unfavourable
Unfavourable 4	Unfavourable
Very unfavourable 5	Very unfavourable
Don't know	Don't know
	DOTT KNOW
PROTCATH  70. And do you see yourself as:  ✓  Part of the Protestant community  Part of the Catholic community  2	RLRELAGO 71. What about relations between Protestants and Catholics? Would you say they are better than they were 5 years ago, worse, or about the same now as then?
Neither 3	
	Better Worse About the same Other (Please say what)  Don't know
RLRELFUT	RELGALWY
72. And what about in 5 years time? Do you think relations between Protestants and Catholics will be better than now, worse than now, or about the same as now?	73. Do you think that religion will always make a difference to the way people feel about each other in Northern Ireland?
✓	Yes  1
Better 1	No 2
Worse 2	Other 3
About the same	(Please say what)
Other 4	Don't know
(Please say what)	Don't know
<del></del>	
Don't know	

MXRLGNGH 74.If you had a choice, would you prefer to live in a neighbourhood with people of only your own religion, or in a mixed-religion neighbourhood?		MXRLGWRK 75. And if you were looking for a job, would you prefer a workplace with people of only your own religion, or a mixed religion workplace?		
Own religion only Mixed religion neighbourhood Other (Please say what)	1 2 3	Own religion only Mixed religion workplace Other (Please say what)	1 2 3	
Don't know	4	Don't know	4	
OWNMXSCH 76. And if you were deciding where to would you prefer a school with chemixed-religion school?  Own religion only Mixed religion school Other (Please say what)  Don't know				
OMARRLG 77. Do you think that most people in Ireland would mind or not mind if close relatives were to marry som different religion?  Most people would mind a lot Most people would mind a little Most people would not mind Don't know	Northern one of their	SMARRLG 78. And you personally? Wo not mind?  I would mind a lot I would mind a little I would not mind Don't know	ould you mind or  1 2 3 4	
OMARRETH 79. Do you think that most people in Ireland would mind or not mind if close relatives were to marry som different race or ethnic origin?  Most people would mind a lot Most people would mind a little Most people would not mind Don't know	one of their	SMARRETH 80. And you personally? Wound?  I would mind a lot I would mind a little I would not mind Don't know	uld you mind or not	

SETHFRND		SETHREL		
81. About how many of your friends would you		82. What about your relatives? About how many		
say are the same race or ethnic		are the same race or ethnic or	igin as you?	
	$\checkmark$		$\checkmark$	
All	1	All	1	
Most	□ 2	Most	☐ 2	
Half	<u></u> 3	Half		
Less than half	☐ <sub>4</sub>	Less than half	$\prod_{4}$	
None	5	None	☐ 5	
Don't know	6	Don't know	6	
Other	7	Other	7	
(Please say what)	<b>□</b> ′	(Please say what)	□ ′	
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FEELMEC		DA COMNIKO		
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3. And how favourable or unfavour		84. How much do you agree or dis		
you feel about people from min ethnic communities?	Office	the statement, "In relation to c		
etimic communities?	./	ethnicity, I prefer to stick with own kind"	people of my	
Manufacca makin	<b>,</b>	OWN KING	./	
Very favourable		Ctrongly agree	, ·	
Favourable	<u> </u>	Strongly agree	H ¹	
Neither favourable nor unfavourable	<u></u> 3	Agree	2	
Unfavourable	<u> </u>	Neither agree nor disagree	<u> </u>	
Very unfavourable	5	Disagree	<u> </u>	
Don't know	☐ 6	Strongly disagree	5	
		Don't know	□ 6	
COMMENTS				
85. Is there anything else you woเ	ıld like to say ab	oout community relations in Northe	rn Ireland?	
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SEXATT				
86. Which of the following state	ements applies	best to you?		
our manufacture of the same same grant		✓		
I have felt sexually attracted:				
only to females and never t	to males			
more often to females and at least once to a male				
about equally often to fema		<u> </u>		
more often to males and at				
only to males and never to				
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Every year we ask respondents what they think we should be asking the 16-year olds in next year's survey. Below are some questions that last year's respondents suggested we should ask.

Are any of these environmental issues important to you?

87.

	(Please tick one box for each line)				
ENVIMP1 ENVIMP2 ENVIMP3 ENVIMP4 ENVIMP5 ENVIMP6 ENVIMP7 ENVIMP8 ENVIMP9	Air pollution Global warming/Climate change Damage to the ozone layer Noise pollution Water pollution (of sea, rivers, etc) Litter Waste management, for example, recycling Using up natural resources (coal, gas, oil) Loss of plants, animals and habitats	Very Important  1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Important  2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2	Not important  3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3	Don't know  4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4 4
	you think that through your own actions you c ck one box for each line)	an make a c	lifference to a	·	sues?  Don't know
ENVACT1	Air pollution		1	2	3
ENVACT2	Global warming/Climate change		1	2	3
ENVACT3	Damage to the ozone layer		1	2	3
ENVACT4	Noise pollution		1	2	3
ENVACT5	Water pollution (of sea, rivers, etc)		1	2	3
<b>ENVACT6</b>	Litter		1	2	3
ENVACT7	Waste management, for example, recycling		1	2	3
ENVACT8	Using up natural resources (coal, gas, oil)		1	2	3
ENVACT9	Loss of plants, animals and habitats		1	2	3
	be running another survey of sixteen year old uld be asking them about life in Northern Irela		Is there any	thing that you	think

The results of this survey will be published in early 200	
If you would like an invitation to the launch of the findir contact details below.	ngs, please tick this box and fill in your
If you would like a summary of the results, please tick below.	this box  and fill in your contact details
Name	
Address	
Telephone number	
Email address	

# Thank you very much for taking the time to complete this questionnaire

If you have completed this questionnaire, please send it back in the Freepost envelope provided. Please note that you do not need a stamp.

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