

We are a group of researchers at the University of XX.

We are interested in knowing the opinions and points of view of young people of your age. We would be very grateful if you would answer this questionnaire for us.

The questionnaire is being answered by children in many countries all over the world. It will help adults to know more about what children think about their lives.

We don't ask your name and no one will know your answers.

There are no right or wrong answers, we are only interested in knowing your choices, opinions and feelings.

You don't have to answer any questions you don't want to.

For each question, please tick the box or circle the number of the option that best corresponds to your personal situation or position.

## Section 1: About you

1.	How old a	e you?
10 y	ears old	

10 years old	
11 years old	
12 years old	
13 years old	
14 years old	

## 2. Are you?

A girl	
A boy	

## Section 2: Your home and the people you live with

4. [1	[This question is optional – see Appendix]								
5. W	Which of the following best describes the home you live in?								
I live w	with my fa	amily							
I live ir	n a foster	home							
I live ir	n a childr	en's hom	e l						
I live ir	n anothe	r type of l	nome						
	6. How many people usually live in your home (including yourself)? (number) Please include anyone who lives in your home most of the time								
7. P	Please tic	k all of th	e people	who l	ive in your ho	ome?			
Mothe	er								
Father	r								
Stepm	nother								
Stepfa	ather								
Grand	lmother								
Grand	lfather								
Brothe	ers and si	isters							
Other	children								
Other	adults								
<ul> <li>8. In total, how many brothers and sisters do you have? (number) (including step brothers and step sisters)</li> <li>10. In the last year did either of your parents live or work away from home for more than a</li> </ul>									
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	No		0	1	in another of [Country name]		Yes, in a different country		
Mothe	er								
Father	r								

[Optional explanation] Some questions in this questionnaire, like the next one, ask you to say how satisfied you are with things about your life on a scale from 0 to 10 where zero means 'Not at all satisfied' and 10 means 'Completely satisfied'. Please circle a number to say how satisfied you are.

11.	<ol> <li>How satisfied are</li> </ol>	you with the	people that v	vou live with?
11.	1. How satisfied are	you with the	people that v	you iive v

ı	Not at all Compl								mpletely		
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## 12. How much do you agree with each of these sentences?

	I do not agree	I agree a little	I agree somewhat	I agree a lot	I totally agree	Don't know
There are people in my family who care about me						
If I have a problem, people in my family will help me						
We have a good time together in my family						
I feel safe at home						
My parent(s) listen to me and take what I say into account						
My parents and I make decisions about my life together						

#### 13. How often in the last month have you been:

	Never	Once	Two or three times	More than three times	Don't know
Hit by your brothers or sisters (not including fighting or play fighting)					
Called unkind names by your brothers or sisters					

#### 14. How often do you see other people in your family who don't live with you?

For example grandparents, uncles, aunties and cousins

Never	Less than one day a week	Once or twice a week	Three or four times a week	Five or six times a week	Every day

<b>15.</b>	How satisfied are you with the other people in your family (the ones that you don't live
	with)?

1	Not at all	: at all Comple							mpletely		
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## Section 3: The home where you live

## 16. How satisfied are you with the home that you live in?

Not at a									Co	mpletely
satisfied										satisfied
0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

18.	How many rooms in your home do people sleep in?	
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Please write the number	(number of rooms that	people sleep in)

## 19. How many bathrooms (rooms with a bath/shower or both) are in your home?

None	
One	
Two	
More than two	

## 20. Do you sleep in a room on your own or do you share a room?

I sleep in a room on my own	
I sleep in a room that I share with other people	

#### 21. Do you have your own bed?

Yes, I have my own bed	
No, I share a bed	
No, I don't have a bed	

Yes								
No $\square$								
Not sure								
24a. Does your home have electricity?:								
All of the time	Some of the	time	Not at all					
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24b. Does your hon	ne have:							
	Yes No Not sur							
Running water								
A toilet that flushes								

22. Is there a place in your home where you can study?

## **Section 4: Your friends**

## 25. How satisfied are you with your friends?

-	Not at all									Co	mpletely
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## 26. How much do you agree with each of these sentences?

	I do not agree	I agree a little	I agree somewhat	I agree a lot	I totally agree	Don't know
I have enough friends						
My friends are usually nice to me						
Me and my friends get along well together						
If I have a problem, I have a friend who will support me						

## 27. How often do you see your friends (not including when you are at school)?

Never	Less than once a week	Once or twice a week	Three or four days a week	Five or six days a week	Every day

## **Section 5: School**

## 28-30. How satisfied are you with each of the following things in your life?

0 = Not at all satisfied

10 = totally satisfied

Your life as a student	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Things you have learned at school	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Other children in your class	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

#### 31. How long did you spend travelling to school today?

Less than 30			More than 2
minutes	Up to an hour	1 to 2 hours	hours

Don't know

#### 32. How safe do you feel on your way to and from school?

Not at all safe	Not very safe	Quite safe	Very safe

Don't know

33.	How much	do you agree	with each of	these sentences?
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33. How muc	ii uo you ag					Ι.	l		Γ	5
		I do not agree	١ ١	gree a ittle	I agree somewhat	I agree a lot	I tota agre	· ·		Don't know
My teachers ca	My teachers care about me									
If I have a prob my teachers w		ool								
If I have a prob other children										
There are a lot between child	_									
My teachers list										
At school I hav opportunities t decisions abou are important	t $\Box$									
I feel safe at so										
34. How ofte	n are there Less tha once a we		once		your school	bl? Every day		Do	on'i	t know
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35. How ofte	n in the las	t <b>month have</b> Never		een:	Two or	More three t				Don't know
Hit by other children in your school (not including fighting or play fighting)			[				]			
Called unkind names by other children in your school										
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## Section 6: How you feel about life as a whole

# 46. Now please say how much you agree with each of the following sentences about your life as a whole.

These questions use a scale from 0 to 10 where 0 means that you do not agree with the sentence at all and 10 means that you agree with it completely.

	0 = Nc	ot at								10 = t	totally
	all agi	ree									agree
I enjoy my life	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
My life is going well	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I have a good life	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
The things that happen in my life are excellent	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I like my life	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I am happy with my life	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## Section 7: The area where you live

**Note:** In countries where there are difficulties in describing the local area / neighbourhood some explanation can be added here.

## 36. How satisfied are you with the area where you live?

١	Not at all satisfied									Co	mpletely
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

#### 37. How much do you agree with each of these sentences about your local area?

	I do not agree	I agree a little	I agree somewhat	I agree a lot	I totally agree	Don't know
I feel safe when I walk around in the area I live in						
In my area there are enough places to play and have a good time						
If I have a problem there are people in my local area who will help me						
Adults in my local area are kind to children						
In my local area, I have opportunities to participate in decisions about things that are important to children						
Adults in my area listen to children and take them seriously						

## 38. How often are there fights between people in your local area?

Never	Less than once a week	At least once a week	Most days	Every day	Do

## Section 8: Money and the things you have

49. Which of	the following d	oes your fami	ly have at ho	ome:		
		-	Yes	No		
A computer (in	cluding laptops	and tablets)				
A television						
A fridge/freeze	er					
A radio						
A telephone (la	andline or mobil	e)				
A family car / v	an / motorbike	/ etc.				
Never	n do you worry  Sometimes	about how m Often	Alway		has?  Don't know	
No	r family (who yo	ou live with) o	wn a car, va	in or truck?		
One						
Two						
Three or more						
56. In the last 12 months, how many times did you travel away on holiday with your family  Not at all  Once  Twice						
More than twi	ce					
56b. How man None One	y of these holid	ays were outs	side your co	untry?		
Two						
More than two	)					
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57. How many computers (including laptops and t	tablets)	do your family own:
None		
One		
Two		
More than two		
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58. Does your home have a washing machine?		
No		
Yes		
	•	!

The questions on this page are about the money and things you have for yourself

## 59. How satisfied are you with all the things you have?

Not at all satisfied									Co	mpletely	
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## 62. Compared to your friends, do you have more money, less money or about the same?

I have more money	I have less money	I have about the same	Don't know

#### 63. Do you have enough food to eat each day?

Never	Sometimes	Often	Always	Don't know

## 64. Which of the following do you have:

	Yes	No
Clothes in good condition		
Enough money for school trips and activities		
Access to the internet at home		
The equipment/things you need for sports and hobbies		
Pocket money / money to spend on yourself		
Two pairs of shoes in good condition		
A mobile phone		
The equipment/things you need for school		

services

	w satisfie	d are you w	ith how you	ı use your tiı	me?			
Not at all satisfied							Co	mpletely satisfied
0	1	2	3 4	5	6	7 8	9	10
66. Ho Not at all satisfied 0		d are you w	3 4	u much free t	time you ha	ve to do wh	Co	empletely satisfied
Please	say what ti	me you we	_	urs you slept ast night:				
68a. Ho	ow often d	o you usua	lly spend tin	Less than once a	following to	Three or four days	you are not a Five or six days a	at school? Every
			Never	week	week	a week	week	day
		the house						
Taking care of brothers or sisters or other family members								
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nembers Working amily bu Doing oth	with family	/ (e.g. nily farm) not with						
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# 68b. And how often do you usually spend time doing the following things when you are not at school?

	Never	Less than once a week	Once or twice a week	Three or four days a week	Five or six days a week	Every day
Watching TV						
Playing sports or doing exercise						
Relaxing, talking or having fun with family						
Playing or spending time outside						
Using social media (on a computer, tablet or phone)						
Playing electronic games (on a computer or other device)						
Doing nothing or resting (apart from sleeping at night)						

## Section 10: A few other things about how you feel about life

0 = Not at all

What may happen later in

How you are listened to by

your life

adults in general

#### 39 - 44 & 46. How satisfied are you with each of the following things in your life?

satisfied satisfied About how safe you feel The freedom you have The way that you look 

10 = totally

Your health	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Your life as a whole	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

# 47. Below is a list of words that describe different feelings. Please read each word and then tick a box to say how much you have felt this way during the last two weeks

Here 0 means that you have not felt this way at all over the last two weeks. 10 means that you have felt this way 'extremely' over the last two weeks.

0 = 10 = Extremely Not at all Нарру Sad Calm Stressed Full of energy Bored 

# 48. Finally in this section please say how much you agree with each of the following sentences about your life as a whole.

0 = Not at 10 = totally all agree agree

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I like being the way I am	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I am good at managing my daily responsibilities	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
People are generally friendly towards me	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I have enough choice about how I spend my time	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I feel that I am learning a lot at the moment	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
I feel positive about my future	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## Section 11: About living in [Country]

70. How ofte happenin		you worry your count		gs yo	u hear	about (like	e in t	he new	s) about w	hat i	S
Never	ever Sometimes		Often		Always			Don't	know		
71. I know what rights children have											
No No			sure		Yes						
72. I know ab	out 1	the UN Con	vention or	n the	Rights	of the Chile	d				
No		Not :	sure		Yes						
73. How muc	h do	you agree	with each	of the	ese sen	tences abo	ut li	ving in	[ <mark>Country]</mark> ?		
			I do not agree	_	ree a ttle	I agree somewhat	1	gree a lot	I totally agree		Don't know
Adults in [Courabout children		care		[							
[Country] is a something children to live		lace for									
I think in my co		•									
In my country children are allowed to participate in decisions that are important to them				[							
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## Section 12: Some other things about you

74. Would you say that you are dis	sabled?									
Yes										
No 🗆										
Not sure										
75. Were you born in [Country]?										
Yes										
No 🗆										
Not sure										
·										
76. Was your mother born in [Cou	ntry]?									
Yes										
No $\square$										
Not sure										
77. Was your father born in [Coun	try]?									
Yes										
No 🗆										
Not sure										
78. What languages do you speak?	<b>?</b>									
(if you speak more than one la	nguage tick a	box for each):								
	Language 1	Language 2	Other							
When you are at home										
When you are in lessons at school (not including foreign language lessons)										
When you are with your friends										

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Not sure	
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79. What would you say your religion is?

# Finally, please read the next paragraph about a child living in [Country] and then answer the question about how satisfied you think she will be with her life.

[Name] is 12 years old. She lives with her mother and father and a brother and sister. The house she lives in is ordinary and safe. [Name]'s family are not rich but have enough money to buy the food and other things they need. [Name] goes to school, has some good friends and doesn't have any big problems in her life at the moment.

#### 69. How satisfied do you think [Name] will be with her life at the moment?

١	Not at all									Co	mpletely
9	satisfied										satisfied
	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

## Alternative questions

The questions on this page are alternatives to Q4 to Q7 for countries that want to ask children if they live in two homes, and can be used on Page 3 if needed.

4. Some children usually live in the same homes (for example with different parent Please say which of the following best des	
I always or usually live in the same hon	ne 🔲
I live in two homes with different adult	s
5. Which of the following best describes t (if you spend exactly half your time in two last night)	he home you live in most of the time?  nomes please answer about the home where you slept
I live w	ith my family
I live in a	foster home
I live in a chi	Idren's home
I live in another	type of home
<ul> <li>Please include anyone who lives in your home most of the time</li> <li>This question is about the people you live with. Please tick all of the people who live in your home(s).</li> <li>If you always live in the same home, please just fill in Column A.</li> <li>If you live regularly in more than one homes with different adults, please fill in Columns A and B.</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>If you live <u>regularly</u> in more that</li> </ul>	ome, please just fill in Column A.
<ul> <li>If you live <u>regularly</u> in more that</li> </ul>	ome, please just fill in Column A.
<ul> <li>If you live <u>regularly</u> in more than A and B.</li> </ul>	ome, please just fill in Column A. n one homes with different adults, please fill in Columns  Column B: Another home / Another place
<ul> <li>If you live <u>regularly</u> in more than A and B.</li> <li>Column A: First home you live regularly</li> </ul>	ome, please just fill in Column A. In one homes with different adults, please fill in Columns  Column B: Another home / Another place  you live regularly
<ul> <li>If you live regularly in more than A and B.</li> <li>Column A: First home you live regularly</li> <li>Mother </li> </ul>	come, please just fill in Column A.  In one homes with different adults, please fill in Columns  Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother
If you live regularly in more than A and B.  Column A: First home you live regularly  Mother  Father  Father  —	come, please just fill in Column A.  In one homes with different adults, please fill in Columns  Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother  Father  —
If you live regularly in more than A and B.  Column A: First home you live regularly  Mother  Father  Mother's partner	Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother  Father  Mother's partner
If you live regularly in more than A and B.  Column A: First home you live regularly  Mother  Father  Mother's partner  Father's partner  Father's partner	Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother  Father  Mother's partner  Father's partner
If you live regularly in more than A and B.  Column A: First home you live regularly  Mother	Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother  Father  Mother's partner  Grandmother  Grandmother  Grandmother  Mone homes with different adults, please fill in Columns  Another place you live regularly  Father   Grandmother
If you live regularly in more than A and B.  Column A: First home you live regularly      Mother	Column B: Another home / Another place you live regularly  Mother  Father  Father's partner  Grandmother  Grandfather  Grandfather