Health and Wellbeing Census S2

Perth and Kinross Council

[Please note: when completing the survey online, pupils will only see one question at a time on the screen. They do not have to answer any questions they do not wish to. Not every pupil will necessarily be presented with every question; the answers to some questions will determine which subsequent questions are presented.]

INFORMATION and CONSENT FOR PUPILS

All pupils in Secondary 2 in your school have been asked to take part in this new Health & Wellbeing Census which is taking place in a number of primary and secondary schools right across Scotland.

To take part in the Census, you must read the information provided next and then choose either the "Yes" or "No" box at the end to say if you agree to take part in the Census.

Next you will see some questions and answers that should help you to make a decision.

WHAT IS IT?

We are inviting everyone in your stage from your school to take part. We want to hear about what you do and how you feel about your life. You are just about to complete a short online questionnaire. We are hoping to hear from a lot of children from across our local area.

WHAT WILL HAPPEN?

Your teacher will ask you to answer some questions on a computer, laptop or tablet on your own. You will then need to choose the answer that best fits how you feel. This will take about 20 – 40 minutes. The questions will ask you about your school, your family, things you do, how you feel, your friendships, and a range of other things.

WHAT HAPPENS TO MY ANSWERS?

Your local authority will collect answers from every child or young person who takes part. You will not be asked to provide your name. The local authority will not tell anybody your answers, not your teacher or your family. Of course, it's up to you if you want to talk to other people about your answers.

Your local authority will then look at everybody's answers together. This is so your local authority can understand what children or young people of your age think and do. They will also look at other information about you, such as the area you live in, your ethnic background, whether you get extra help at school, etc..

WHO IS ASKING THE QUESTIONS?

Your local authority. They are asking you these questions so that they can plan for, and improve, the children's services needed in your local area, based on what you and other children and young people say in this survey.

IS THIS A TEST?

Don't worry, this is not a test. You did not need to have prepared, as there are no right or wrong answers. We just want to hear what you think or how you feel.

CONFIDENTIALITY AND DATA SECURITY

The answers you provide will be treated in accordance with the law and used for statistics and research purposes only. This means that the data we collect is kept separately from information which could directly identify you (such as your name). When reports using the data are published, care is taken to ensure that no information which could identify you is included.

The Census can legally happen as the local authority will be processing your personal data as part of its performance of a task in the public interest.

WILL ANYTHING HAPPEN BASED ON ANYTHING I SAY?

While analysing all the data, if your local authority sees anything in your answers that they are concerned about, they <u>may</u> need to do something to help you. This would be the **only** time that your actual identity would be sought, by identifying you from a separate database that holds your Scottish Candidate Number together with your name for which the local authority also has access to.

This should **not** happen very often so it is **highly unlikely** that anyone will actually contact you about anything you say in the survey. However, if they do, they are only doing this so that they can make sure that you are OK and to help you.

DO I HAVE TO TAKE PART?

It would be great to hear your views but you don't have to take part. You will shortly be asked if you want to, just say "No" if you don't. If you do take part that's great. But remember if there are any questions you don't want to answer, that's fine, you will be able to skip questions, or choose the 'prefer not to say' option, and you won't be asked why.

SUPPORT AND ADVICE

If you need support or advice on any of the topics asked in the survey, then your school will have provided you with a list of ways in which you can speak to someone who may be able to help you.

1. Are you happy to continue taking part in the Scottish Health and Wellbeing Census? * Yes [Census moves to Question 2] No [Census shows message below]
Only shown if answer to Question 1 is 'No'
Thank you for your response, and we fully understand and appreciate your decision not to take part in the Scottish Health and Wellbeing Census.
Please remember that your decision to not take part is perfectly fine. However, other children and young people are still taking part in the Census. Therefore, please can you keep any noise and distraction down to a minimum.
You may now find it useful to be doing something whilst others are taking part in the Census, such as reading a book, doing some homework, etc.
Your response has now been recorded, and you may now close down the browser window.
End of census

The first few questions ask for some basic information about you and your school

2. Please choose your secondary school from the drop down list. *								
[Online pupils will be presented with a drop-down list of Perth and Kinross Schools]								
3. Please type in your own 9-digit Scottish Candidate Number. *								
The Scottish Candidate Number is used to facilitate statistical analysis of survey results at school, local authority or National level. It is not used to identify individual pupils]								
And now some questions about your life at school and what you think you will do when you leave school								
4. Below are some sentences about you Please say how much you agree or dis Please tick one circle for each question	sagree wit							
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly	Prefer not to say		
I enjoy learning new things								
I feel like I have a choice in what I am learning in school								
Getting an education is important to me								
My teachers listen to what I have to say								
I have an adult to talk to at school if I am worried about something								

Please say how much you agree or disagree with each sentence. Please tick one circle for each question. Neither Prefer Disagree Strongly disagree Strongly agree not to Agree agree nor say disagree I feel like my teachers treat me fairly My parents (or carers) really care about my education I feel confident to speak up in class, ask questions and share my opinion Most of the time, I am happy at school I feel positive about my future 6. How pressured (stressed) do you feel by the schoolwork you have to do? Not at all A little Some A lot Prefer not to say 7. Now looking ahead, when do you think you want to leave school / full-time education? I want to leave school as soon as I can (e.g. at the end of S4) I want to continue with my full-time education (e.g. stay on into S5 or go to college) I'm not sure at the moment

5. Below are some sentences about your school and learning.

Prefer not to say

in S4, S5 or S6)?
Prefer not to say
University
Further Education College
Apprenticeship or Trade
Youth Training or Skill Seekers
Employment
Unemployed
Don't know
Other
The next questions ask about how active you are Physical activity is any activity that increases your heart rate and makes you get out of breath some of the time. Some examples are running, fast walking, rollerblading, biking, dancing, swimming, basketball and football.
9. For this next question, add up all the time you spent doing physical activity yesterday?
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None
None Less than half an hour
None Less than half an hour Between half an hour and 1 hour
None Less than half an hour Between half an hour and 1 hour 1 to 2 hours

10. How o						n your fre	ee time (o	utside so	chool
Every	/ day								
4 to 6	times a w	/eek							
2 to 3	3 times a w	/eek							
Once	a week								
At lea	ast once a	month bu	t not ever	y week					
Less	than once	a month							
Neve	r								
Prefe	r not to sa	У							
11. Outsic watching talking, ea (e.g. watc	TV, using ating, stuc	a compւ dying)? P	iter or mo	obile pho aware th	ne, travel at if activ	lling in a ities take	car or by	bus, sitti	ing and
			0,		-		140.001		
Please se	lect one o	-	r line or i	eave biai	ık ii you p	oreter not	to say		
Weekdays Weekends		About half an hour a day	About 1 hour a day	About 2 hours a day	About 3 hours a day	About 4 hours a day	About 5 hours a day	About 6 hours a day	About 7 hours or more a day
These r	next que	estions	ask ab	out you	ur healt	h and h	now you	u feel	
12. In gen	eral, how	would yo	ou say yo	ur health	is?				
Exce	llent								
Good	I								
Fair									
Poor									
Prefe	r not to sa	у							

13. Do you have a physical or mental he 12 months or more?	alth cond	dition o	r illness l	asting o	r expecte	d to last
Yes						
No						
Prefer not to say						
14. Please say how much you agree or deplease tick one circle for each question.		with ead	ch of the	sentenc	es.	
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Prefer not to say
My life is just right						
I wish I had a different kind of life						
I have what I want in life						
Here are some statements about thinking about things.	ut how	you m	night ha	ave be	en feeli	ng, or
Questions 15 and 16 use the Warwick–Ed Health Scotland, University of Warwick and						
15. Below are some statements about fe describes your experience of each over				ase tick t	the box t	hat best
	None of the time	Rar	ΔI\/	ne of time	Often '	All of the time
I've been feeling optimistic about the future						
I've been feeling useful						
I've been feeling relaxed						
I've been feeling interested in other people						
I've had energy to spare						
I've been dealing with problems well						
I've been thinking clearly						

16. Below are some statements about feelings and thoughts. Please tick the box that best describes your experience of each over the last 2 weeks.							
	None of the time	Rarely	Some of the time	Often	All of the time		
I've been feeling good about myself							
I've been feeling close to other people							
I've been feeling confident							
I've been able to make up my own mind about things							
I've been feeling loved							
I've been interested in new things							
I've been feeling cheerful							
17. Please say how much you agree or of difficult time, I feel like I will be OK" Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree Prefer not to say 18. Please say how much you agree or of body and the way I look".							
Strongly agree							
Agree							
Neither agree nor disagree							
Disagree							
Strongly disagree							
Prefer not to say							

19. Please say how much you agree or disagree with this sentence: "My body and the way I look affects how I feel about myself".
Strongly agree
Agree
Neither agree nor disagree
Disagree
Strongly disagree
Prefer not to say
Now we would like to ask questions about when you go to bed and sleeping
20. When do you usually go to bed if you have to go to school the next morning?
Before 9.00 pm
At 9.00 pm or later, but before 10.00 pm
At 10.00 pm or later, but before 11.00 pm
At 11.00 pm or later, but before midnight
At midnight or later, but before 1.00 am
At 1.00 am or later, but before 2.00 am
At 2.00 am or later
Prefer not to say
21. When do you usually wake up on school mornings?
Before 5.00 am
At 5.00 am or later, but before 6.00 am
At 6.00 am or later, but before 7.00 am
At 7.00 am or later, but before 8.00 am
At 8.00 am or later
Prefer not to say

22. How many hours sleep did you have last night?
Less than 3 hours
3 to 5 hours
6 to 8 hours
9 to 11 hours
12 to 14 hours
15 hours or more
Prefer not to say
Now just a few questions about eating and drinking
23. How often do you usually have breakfast on weekdays (more than a glass of milk or fruit juice)?
I never have breakfast during weekdays
One or two days
Three or four days
Every day
Prefer not to say
24. How often do you usually have breakfast at weekends (more than a glass of milk or fruit juice)?
I never have breakfast during the weekend
I usually have breakfast on only one day of the weekend (Saturday or Sunday)
I usually have breakfast on both days of the weekend (Saturday and Sunday)

25. How often do you usually eat or drink.... Please tick one circle for each line or leave blank if you prefer not to say

	Never	Once a week or less	2-4 days a week	5-6 days a week	At least once a day			
Fruit								
Vegetables								
Fruit juice or smoothies								
Sweets or chocolate								
Cakes or biscuits								
Crisps								
Chips or fried potatoes								
Water								
Coke or other soft drinks that contain								
sugar Energy drinks (e.g. Red Bull, Lucozade, Monster)								
26. Some children and young people go to school or to bed hungry. How often does this happen to you?								
Always								
Often								
Sometimes								
Never								
Prefer not to say								
Thanks for your answers so far								
The next question asks you about parents/carers, grandparents, to coaches, Scouts/Guides leader	eachers							
27. How much do you agree or disagree	with the f	ollowing s	tatements	?				
	Ag	gree	Disagree	Don	't know			
Adults are good at listening to what I say				(
Adults are good at taking what I say into account				(

The next set of questions ask you about how you feel and things that you do, to help understand your strengths and difficulties.

Questions 28 to 32 come from the Strengths and Difficulties Questionnaire © Robert Goodman, 2005

28. For each item, please select the circle for Not True, Somewhat True or Certainly True.

It would help us if you answered all items as best you can even if you are not absolutely certain or the item seems daft!

Please give your answers on the basis of how things have been for you over the last six months.

Please tick one circle on each line.			
	Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true
I try to be nice to other people. I care about their feelings			
I am restless, I cannot stay still for long			
I get a lot of headaches, stomach-aches or sickness			
I usually share with others (food, games, pens, etc.)			
I get very angry and often lose my temper			
29. For each item, please select the circle for Not Tru	ıe, Somewha	nt True or Ce	rtainly True.
It would help us if you answered all items as best yo certain or the item seems daft!	u can even i	f you are not	absolutely
Please give your answers on the basis of how things months.	s have been	for you over	the last six
Please tick one circle on each line.			
	Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true
I am usually on my own. I generally play alone or keep to myself			
I usually do as I am told			
I worry a lot			
I am helpful if someone is hurt, upset or feeling ill			
I am constantly fidgeting or squirming			

It would help us if you answered all items as best you certain or the item seems daft!	can even if	you are not	absolutely
Please give your answers on the basis of how things I months.	nave been fo	or you over	the last six
Please tick one circle on each line.			
	Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true
I have one good friend or more			
I fight a lot. I can make other people do what I want			
I am often unhappy, down-hearted or tearful			
Other people my age generally like me			
I am easily distracted, I find it difficult to concentrate			
31. For each item, please select the circle for Not True It would help us if you answered all items as best you certain or the item seems daft! Please give your answers on the basis of how things it months. Please tick one circle on each line.	can even if	you are not	absolutely
	Not true	Somewhat true	Certainly true
I am nervous in new situations. I easily lose confidence			
I am kind to younger children			
I am often accused of lying or cheating			
Other children or young people pick on me or bully me I often volunteer to help others (parents, teachers, children)			

30. For each item, please select the circle for Not True, Somewhat True or Certainly True.

32. For each item, please select the circle for Not True	e, Somewh	at True or Co	ertainly True.				
It would help us if you answered all items as best you certain or the item seems daft!	ı can even	if you are no	ot absolutely				
Please give your answers on the basis of how things months.	have been	for you ove	r the last six				
Please tick one circle on each line.							
I think before I do things I take things that are not mine from home, school or elsewhere I get on better with adults than with people my own age I have many fears, I am easily scared I finish the work I'm doing. My attention is good And now some questions about your use the internet.	Not true	Somewhatrue	Certainly true				
33. Do you have access to the internet at home, on a phone, or another device? Yes No Prefer not to say							
34. In your free time, how many hours a day do you u devices such as computers, tablets (like iPad) or small							
Please tick ONE box for each line or leave blank if yo	u prefer no	ot to say					
None at all About 1 About 2 About 3 hours a hours a day day Weekdays		hours a ho	About 7 hours or more a day				

35. Which of the following activities have you done online in the last 2 weeks, even if not very often? Please select ALL the answers that apply or skip this question if you do not go online or prefer not to say Watching videos online Playing games online Listening to music online Looking things up to help with schoolwork Updating your pictures, status or 'story' on social media Browsing other people's pictures, status or 'stories' on social media Messaging, chatting or video-chatting using social media (such as WhatsApp or Snapchat) Something else 36. We are interested in your experience with social media. The term social media refers to social network sites (e.g. Facebook, Instagram) and instant messengers (e.g. WhatsApp, Snapchat, Skype, Facebook messenger). During the past year, have you... Prefer Yes No not to sayregularly found that you can't think of anything but the moment that you will be able to use social media again?regularly felt dissatisfied because you wanted to spend more time on social media?often felt bad when you could not use social media?tried to spend less time on social media, but failed?regularly neglected other activities (e.g. hobbies, sport) because you wanted to use social media?regularly had arguments with others because of your social media use?regularly lied to your parents or friends about the amount of time you spend on social media?often used social media to escape from negative feelings?had serious conflict with your parents, brother(s) or sister(s) because of your social media use?

The next questions are about friendships

37. How many close friends would you say you ha	ave?				
None					
One					
Two					
Three or more					
Prefer not to say					
38. Below are some sentences about your relation whether you agree or disagree with each sentence		n your f	friends. F	Please s	ay
Please tick one circle for each question or leave b	olank if yo	ou prefe	er not to	say	
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagre	Strongly disagree
I have a lot of fun with my friends					
I am confident in sharing my opinions with my friends					
My friends treat me well					
I feel my friends make me do things I don't want to do					
39. Below are some sentences about your relation whether you agree or disagree with each sentence		n your t	friends. F	Please s	ay
Please tick one circle for each question or leave k	olank if yo	ou pref	er not to	say	
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagre	Strongly disagree
If a friend was being bullied, I would help them or tell someone who would help them					
My friends will help me if I need it					
I am happy with the friends that I have					
Most of the time, I have enough money to do the same things as my friends					
I feel supported by my friends					

40. How often do you feel left out of things?
Hardly ever or never
Sometimes
Often or always
Prefer not to say
41. How often do you feel lonely?
Hardly ever or never
Some of the time
Often
Prefer not to say
These next questions are about bullying. Bullying is about what people do and how it makes you feel. It can be anything that makes you feel hurt, threatened, frightened and left out, and it can happen face to face and online.
 Bullying can include: Being called names, teased, put down or threatened Being hit, tripped, pushed or kicked Having belongings taken or damaged Being ignored, left out or having rumours spread about you People sending abusive messages, pictures or images on social media, online gaming platforms or phone
42. Have you been bullied in the last year?
Yes [Survey proceeds to Question 43]
No [Survey goes direct to Question 48]
Prefer not to say (or does not select any answer) [Survey goes direct to Question 48]
Questions 43 to 47 are ONLY asked if the answer to Question 42 is 'Yes'
43. Where have you been bullied?
Please tick ALL that apply or leave blank if you prefer not to say
At school
Somewhere else (including on the way to or from school)
Online / Social media / gaming platform
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Que	estions 43 to 47 are ONLY asked if the answer to Question 42 is 'Yes'
44.	How were you bullied?
Ple	ase tick all that apply or leave blank if you prefer not to say
	Name calling
	Rumours spread
	Hurtful comments
	Threats
	Pictures or videos of you shared with others
	Embarrassed or made to feel foolish
	Physically hurt
	How often do other children pick on you by sending emails, through messaging or sting something online?
	Most days
	About once a week
	About once a month
	Every few months
	Never
	Prefer not to say
46.	Did you report the bullying to anyone?
	Yes [Survey proceeds to Question 47]
	No [Survey goes direct to Question 48]
	Prefer not to say (or does not select any answer) [Survey goes direct to Question 48]
Que	estion 47 is ONLY asked if the answer to Question 46 is 'Yes'
47.	Did reporting the bullying to anyone?
	Make the situation better
	Make the situation worse
	Nothing changed

48. How often have you taken part in bullying another pupil(s) at school in the past couple of months?
Not at all
Once or twice
Around two or three times a month
About once a week
Several times a week
Prefer not to say
49. In the past couple of months, how often have you taken part in online bullying (e.g. sent mean instant messages, email or text messages, wall postings, created a website making fun of someone, posted unflattering or inappropriate pictures online without permission or shared them with others)?
I have not bullied another person online in the past couple of months
It has happened once or twice
Two or three times a month
About once a week
Several times a week
Prefer not to say
Now a question on places you may have been to, or things you may have done, in the last year.
50. Which, if any, of these things have you done in the last year? PLEASE TICK ALL THAT APPLY OR LEAVE BLANK IF YOU PREFER NOT TO SAY
Taken part in a buddying/mentoring programme at school
Done voluntary work
Taken part in a charity event
Taken part in a drama / acting / singing / dancing group
Taken part in a religious activity (e.g. Church service, Scripture Union, Quran classes)
Attended a youth organisation (e.g. Boys or Girls Brigade, Scouts, Girl Guides, etc.)
Duke of Edinburgh
Sports clubs
None of the above

Thinking about the people that you live with, please answer these next questions as best you can.

51. I	How often do you and the people you live with usually have meals together?
	Every day
	Most days
	About once a week
	Less than once a week
	Never
	Prefer not to say
52. I	How often do you enjoy being with the people you live with?
	Always
	Often
	Sometimes
	Never
	Prefer not to say
PLE	Does anyone who you live with have any of the following? ASE TICK ALL THAT APPLY. ASE LEAVE BLANK IF YOU PREFER NOT TO SAY
	A disability
	A long-term illness
	A mental health problem
	None of the above

Now think about anyone that you care for or look after, whether they live with you or not.

54. Do you care for, or look after, someone? For example, because they have a disabili an illness, a drug or alcohol problem, a mental health problem, or problems related to age.	
Yes [Survey proceeds to Question 55]	
No [Survey goes direct to Question 56]	
Prefer not to say (or does not select any answer) [Survey goes direct to Question 56]	
Question 55 is ONLY asked if the answer to Question 54 is 'Yes'	
55. Do you help care for, or look after, them	
Every day	
A couple of times a week	
Once in a while	
Prefer not to say	
The next few questions are about smoking and drinking alcohol	
56. How often do you smoke tobacco at present?	
Every day	
At least once a week, but not every day	
Less than once a week	
I do not smoke	
Prefer not to say	

An e-cigarette (electronic cigarette) or a vape is a device that puffs nicotine vapour instead of burning tobacco like a cigarette does. E-cigarettes can have different flavours and come in many shapes and sizes - like pens, boxes and flash-drives. Most are rechargable. Sometimes they can look like cigarettes and can only be used once.

57. How often do you use e-cigarettes 7 vape at present?
Every day
At least once a week, but not every day
Less than once a week
I do not use e-cigarettes / vape
Prefer not to say
58. How often do you USUALLY have an alcoholic drink?
More than once a week
About once a week
About once a fortnight
About once a month
Only a few times a year
I never drink alcohol now
We now have some more questions about your life.
Please remember that you don't have to answer any questions that you don't want to answer.
59. Do you have an adult in your life who you can trust and talk to about any personal problems?
No, I don't
Yes, I sometimes do
Yes, I always do
Prefer not to say

60. How easy is it for you to talk to any of the following people about things that really bother you?

Please tick one circle on each line or leave blank if you prefer not to say

	Easy	Difficult	Does not apply to me
Friend(s)			
Mum / female carer			
Dad / male carer			
Brother(s) / Sister(s)			
Counsellor (someone who is trained to listen and give you advice about your problems or help you manage your feelings)			
GP or Nurse			
Teacher(s)			
61. How easy is it for you to talk to any of the following bother you?	g people ab	oout things t	hat really
Please tick one circle on each line or leave blank if yo	u prefer no	t to say	
	Easy	Difficult	Does not apply to me
Neighbour(s)			
Youth Worker			
Other family members (e.g. grandparent(s))			
Social Worker			
Another adult you trust			
Club or Group leader (e.g. sports coach, girl guides, boys brigade, scouts, etc.)			
And finally, a few questions about where y	you live.		
62. Generally speaking, I feel safe in the area where I I	ive		
Always			
Most of the time			
Sometimes			
Rarely or Never			
Prefer not to say			

oo. Do you tillink that the area in which you have to a good place to have.	
Yes, it's good	
☐ It's OK	
No, it's not good	
Prefer not to say	
64. Are there places near where you live where you can play outdoors?	
64. Are there places near where you live where you can play outdoors? Yes - lots	
Yes - lots	
Yes - lots Yes - some	

63. Do you think that the area in which you live is a good place to live?

Thank you for taking part in the Scottish Health and Wellbeing Census. You are helping your school, your local authority and the Scottish Government to understand more about the lives of children and young people, and things that matter to you.

If any of the questions you have seen has raised any issues which you would like to talk about, then please speak to someone you can trust. This could be your parent(s), carer(s), teacher(s), youth worker(s), etc.

Further information will have been provided by your school teacher.

Please remember that the only people who will see your answers will be a small number of analysts in your local authority and in the Scottish Government. Other analysts may also ask to see your answers in order to conduct their own research, but this will only happen if the local authority or the Scottish Government agree to this.

Your parents, teachers and friends will not see your answers. However, the local authority may need to act on something you have said if they feel this will help you. This should NOT happen very often, but if it does then it is ONLY being done because they want to make sure that you are OK.

Once again, thank you for taking part.