# Angus Health and Wellbeing Census P7

[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 Primary 7 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 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

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Please say how much you agree or disagree with each sentence. Please tick one circle for each question. Neither Prefer Strongly agree Disagree disagree Strongly Agree not to 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

### 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.

8. F	or this next question, add up all the time you spent doing physical activity yesterday?
	None
	Less than half an hour
	Between half an hour and 1 hour
	1 to 2 hours
	2 hours or more
	Prefer not to say
hou	Irs) so much that you get out of breath or sweat?  Every day
	Every day
	4 to 6 times a week
	2 to 3 times a week
	Once a week
	At least once a month but not every week
	Less than once a month
	Never
	Prefer not to say

## These next questions ask about your health and how you feel

10. In general, how would you say you	ır health is	s?				
Excellent						
Good						
Fair						
Poor						
Prefer not to say						
11. Do you have a physical or mental has 12 months or more?	nealth con	idition o	or illness	lasting o	r expecte	d to las
Yes						
No						
Prefer not to say						
12. Please say how much you agree of Please tick one circle for each question		with ea	ich 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 how you might have been feeling, or thinking about things.

13. Below are some sentences about you Please say how much you agree or disapplease tick one circle for each sentence	gree with e			t to say.	
	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
In general, I like who I am					
I am proud of the things I can do					
When I do something, I try my hardest					
I feel like I can make decisions in my life Generally, I feel cheerful and I am in a good mood					
There are lots of things that I worry about in my life					
Even if I'm having a difficult time, I feel like I will be OK					
14. Over the past 2 weeks, how often ha	ve you bee	n feeling	confident?	,	
None of the time					
Rarely					
Some of the time					
Often					
All of the time					
15. Please say how much you agree or do body and the way I look".	lisagree wi	th this se	ntence: "I a	am happy	with my
Strongly agree					
Agree					
Neither agree nor disagree					
Disagree					
Strongly disagree					
Prefer not to say					

16. 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
17. 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
Prefer not to say
18. 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

## Now just a few questions about eating and drinking

19. How often do you usually have break fruit juice)?	rfast on we	eekdays (ı	more than	a glass of r	nilk or
I never have breakfast during weekday	ys				
One or two days					
Three or four days					
Every day					
Prefer not to say					
20. How often do you usually have break fruit juice)?	xfast at we	ekends (n	nore than a	a glass of m	nilk or
I never have breakfast during the wee	kend				
I usually have breakfast on only one	day of the v	veekend (	Saturday or	Sunday)	
I usually have breakfast on both days	of the wee	ekend (Sat	urday and S	Sunday)	
Prefer not to say					
21. How often do you usually eat or drin Please tick one circle for each line or lea		f you pref Once a week or less		ay 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)					

22. Some children and young people go to	school or	to bed nungr	у.	
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, teat coaches, Scouts/Guides leaders.	achers, y			ts
23. How much do you agree or disagree w	ith the follo	owing stateme	ents?	
	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Don't know
Adults are good at listening to what I say				
Adults are good at taking what I say into account				

And now some questions about your use of electronic devices and the internet.

24. Do you ha	ve access to the intern	et at home, on a phone, or a	another device?
Yes No Prefer no	t to say		
	ee time, how long do yo ablets (like iPad) or sma	ou usually spend using elect art phones?	ronic devices such as
Please tick O	NE box for each line or	leave blank if you prefer no	t to say
Weekdays Weekends	None at all	Some time (up to about 2 hours a day)	Quite a bit of time (about 3 hours a day or more)
26. Which of to	the following activities	have you done online in the	last 2 weeks, even if not
Please select prefer not to s		apply or skip this question i	f you do not go online or
Watching	videos online		
Playing g	ames online		
Listening	to music online		
Looking t	hings up to help with sch	noolwork	
Updating	your pictures, status or '	story' on social media	
Browsing	other people's pictures,	status or 'stories' on social me	edia
Messagir	ng, chatting or video-chat	tting using social media (such	as WhatsApp or Snapchat)
Somethin	ig else		

## The next questions are about friendships

27. How many close friends would you say you ha	ave?				
None					
One					
Two					
Three or more					
Prefer not to say					
28. Below are some sentences about your relation whether you agree or disagree with each sentence		n your f	friends. I	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			uisagree		
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					
29. Below are some sentences about your relation whether you agree or disagree with each sentence.  Please tick one circle for each question or leave be	e.				ay
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	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	eStrongly 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					

30. How often do you feel left out of things?	
Hardly ever or never	
Sometimes	
Often or always	
Prefer not to say	
31. 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 m you feel hurt, threatened, frightened and left out, and it can hap face to face and online.	akes
<ul> <li>Bullying can include:</li> <li>Being called names, teased, put down or threatened</li> <li>Being hit, tripped, pushed or kicked</li> <li>Having belongings taken or damaged</li> <li>Being ignored, left out or having rumours spread about you</li> <li>People sending abusive messages, pictures or images on social media, online galatforms or phone</li> </ul>	gaming
32. Have you been bullied in the last year?	
Yes [Survey proceeds to Question 33]	
No [Survey goes direct to Question 38]	
Prefer not to say (or does not select any answer) [Survey goes direct to Question 3	38]
Questions 33 to 37 are ONLY asked if the answer to Question 32 is 'Yes'	
33. 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	

Ques	stions 33 to 37 are ONLY asked if the answer to Question 32 is 'Yes'
34. F	low were you bullied?
Plea	se 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
	low often do other children pick on you by sending emails, through messaging or ing something online?
	Most days
	About once a week
	About once a month
	Every few months
믬	Never
	Prefer not to say
36. C	Did you report the bullying to anyone?
	Yes [Survey proceeds to Question 37]
	No [Survey goes direct to Question 38]
	Prefer not to say (or does not select any answer) [Survey goes direct to Question 38]
Ques	stion 37 is ONLY asked if the answer to Question 36 is 'Yes'
37. C	Did reporting the bullying to anyone?
	Make the situation better
	Make the situation worse
	Nothing changed
	Prefer not to say

38. 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
Thinking about the people that you live with, please answer these next questions as best you can.
39. 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
40. How often do you enjoy being with the people you live with?
Always
Often
Sometimes
Never
Prefer not to say

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

## 44. 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)			
45. How easy is it for you to talk to any of the following bother you?	g people at	oout things t	hat really
Please tick one circle on each line or leave blank if you	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, some questions about where	you live.		
46. Generally speaking, I feel safe in the area where I li	ive		
Always			
Most of the time			
Sometimes			
Rarely or Never			
Prefer not to say			

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

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.