

Appendix 17: Young Persons Event: Exercise 2. Results

Young People Living for the Future – High School Event 18th April 2007

Results of Exercise 2

Looking into the Future what type of place do want to live/work in?

Methodology : The purpose of the exercise was to get the students to image what opportunities and issues would be important to them when they were adults.

The exercise identified nine key matters to be explored, under each there were a number of options together with a suggestions box for students to complete with any other ideas.

1. where will you work?
2. where will you live in the future?
3. how will you live in the future?
4. how will you travel to get to places in the future?
5. what type of place do you want to live in?
6. what type of environment do you want to live in?
7. how will you spend your free time?
8. what facilities do you think will be important to you in the future?
9. how should we build in the future?

Each student was given a set of green, yellow and red dots and asked to rank each of the statements according to the following guidelines, but stressing that they needed to consider the statements as what would be important to them as individuals in the future.

Green = most important Yellow = quite important Red = least important

Results :

		Most important	Quite important	Least important
A	Where you will work?			
1	at home in your own office/workspace	2	10	10
2	close to home so that you can walk or cycle or bus to work	8	17	0
3	Working in a city or town near to where you live but to far to walk to	18	5	3
4	Commuting out of the area	4	4	18
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In mobile office • On the land – Farming • In a theatre • abroad 			

B	Where you will live in the future?			
1	Near to your family	4	13	10
2	Within a town or large village in the Winchester District	4	12	14
3	Within a smaller village or the countryside	9	9	3
4	Further away outside the Winchester District	12	1	3
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in the countryside • in a campervan • with friends • in Southampton • somewhere eco friendly • abroad 			
C	How you will live in the future?			
1	Renting a house or flat	1	2	17
2	Sharing a flat/house	2	6	2
3	Buying your own flat or small house	5	5	3
4	Buying your own larger house with a garden	20	5	1
5	living in a property that you can also work from	4	13	2
6	building your own home	4	3	9
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In an affordable place • In an eco friendly house near to the centre of town • In a tree house • On a boat 			
D	How will you travel to get to places in the future?			
1	Walk most places	6	8	6
2	Cycle	6	10	2
3	Go by bus or train	8	12	0
4	Drive a car	9	6	7
5	motorbike	3	0	20
	Other suggestions			
	Electric car Hover cars Plane Metro Tram Moped Go-kart			

E	What type of place do you want to live in?			
1	where there is little crime and anti-social behaviour	19	7	1
2	where you feel safe	8	11	
3	be able to get involved in local activities and have your say	1	8	1
4	in a friendly area where all sorts of people get on well	9	10	2
5	in an attractive place with no litter/graffiti	5	3	4
6	where people have priority over cars and lorries	0	1	23
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In a small place with bigger towns nearby • A place with lots of shops and recreational places • Somewhere with lots of things in walking distance • A place with lots of opportunities to travel • In an area where teenagers have easy access to public transport • Where there is no noise • In an eco friendly area 			
F	What type of environment do you want to live in?			
1	Have lots of access to countryside and parks	<u>7</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>15</u>
2	live in an area where there is a lot of wildlife, trees and plants	7	8	5
3	live where there is space and you do not feel cramped in	12	10	5
4	where there is little pollution (noise, air, water)	15	10	3
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • By the sea • With lots of access to shops • Where there are fields for sport • Where there are lots of interesting things to do • Where there are trees and grassed areas • Eco friendly town 			

G	How will you spend your free time?			
1	on the internet or computer/interactive TV	1	5	15
2	participating in sport and recreation	8	5	0
3	visiting galleries, museums, theatre/cinema and historic places	0	5	9
4	Shopping	6	7	3
5	with friends or family	12	9	1
6	walking in the countryside or along the coast	3	3	3
7	Walking/cycling around your local area	1	6	2
8	volunteering in the local community	0	0	4
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reading • Horse riding • Talking with friends • Nightclub/pub 			
H	What facilities do you think will be important to you in the future?			
1	somewhere with offering a range of job opportunities	11	9	1
2	access to university/colleges for life long learning	3	6	5
3	different types of health facilities (doctors/dentist, hospital etc)	7	5	3
4	recreation and built leisure/sports facilities	6	5	3
5	shops offering a range of food and non-food goods	1	6	5
6	banks and financial services	0	2	15
7	buildings offering access to a range of community facilities available to all	1	3	0
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Schools • Social areas • Nicer public toilets • Range of recreational facilities :- (swimming pool, cinema, bowling) • Places to eat out • Good schools for my children • A rural place near a town 			

I	How should we build in the future?			
1	replace existing buildings before building new ones	13	9	5
2	use land within the towns and villages before building on farm land	12	7	1
3	build where there are already roads, shops, schools and other facilities	0	8	7
4	build using renewable energy and recycled materials	9	6	1
5	buildings that can be changed to meet needs in the future	2	3	4
6	encourage traditional styles	0	2	12
7	new designs that use modern materials and construction methods	2	2	6
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Places for the homeless • Using renewable sources • Upgrade homes to be better for the environment • Use solar power • Build in green fields • New eco friendly designs 			

Young People Living for the Future – Primary School Visit 24th April 2007

Exercise 2 – Looking into the Future what type of place do you want to live/work in?

Methodology : The purpose of the exercise was to get the children to image what may be important to them as adults.

The exercise identified nine key matters to be explored, under each there were a number of options together with a suggestions box to be completed with any other ideas.

9. where will you work?
10. where will you live in the future?
11. how will you live in the future?
12. how will you travel to get to places in the future?
13. what type of place do you want to live in?
14. what type of environment do you want to live in?
15. how will you spend your free time?
16. what facilities do you think will be important to you in the future?
9. how should we build in the future?

Each child was given a set of green, yellow and red dots and asked to vote in each category using 1 green, 1 yellow and 1 red dot according to the following guidelines, but stressing that they needed to consider the statements as what would be important to them in the future.

Green = most important
 Yellow = quite important
 Red = least important

Results :

		Most important	Quite important	Least important
A	Where you will work?			
1	at home in your own office/workspace	7	11	3
2	close to home so that you can walk or cycle or bus to work	9	5	3
3	Working in a city or town near to where you live but to far to walk to	3	8	4
4	Commuting out of the area	6	3	13
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • In the countryside • Different places 			
B	Where you will live in the future?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	Near to your family	17	6	0
2	Within a town or large village in the Winchester District	0	14	7
3	Within a smaller village or the countryside	9	6	6
4	Further away outside the Winchester District	1	0	14
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • in South Africa • Liverpool 			
C	How you will live in the future?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	Renting a house or flat	5	4	9
2	Sharing a flat/house	4	6	1
3	Buying your own flat or small house	5	5	6
4	Buying your own larger house with a garden	14	8	1
5	living in a property that you can also work from	10	7	4
6	building your own home	2	4	11
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At family's house 			

D	How will you travel to get to places in the future?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	Walk most places	16	12	2
2	Cycle	18	11	0
3	Go by bus or train	5	5	7
4	Drive a car	6	7	10
5	motorbike	4	1	28
	Other suggestions			
E	What type of place do you want to live in?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	where there is little crime and anti-social behaviour	6	3	10
2	where you feel safe	16	6	0
3	be able to get involved in local activities and have your say	7	9	3
4	in a friendly area where all sorts of people get on well	10	4	0
5	in an attractive place with no litter/graffiti	6	8	2
6	where people have priority over cars and lorries	1	4	16
	Other suggestions			
F	What type of environment do you want to live in?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	Have lots of access to countryside and parks	10	9	1
2	live in an area where there is a lot of wildlife, trees and plants	10	8	1
3	live where there is space and you do not feel cramped in	7	1	13
4	where there is little pollution (noise, air, water)	6	7	3
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Have access to farms full of animals 			
G	How will you spend your free time?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	on the internet or computer/interactive TV	6	7	10
2	participating in sport and recreation	18	3	2
3	visiting galleries, museums, theatre/cinema and historic places	4	11	2
4	Shopping	3	6	10
5	with friends or family	16	7	1
6	walking in the countryside or along the coast	6	8	1
7	Walking/cycling around your local area	3	2	0
8	volunteering in the local	0	4	0

	community			
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Horse riding 			
H	What facilities do you think will be important to you in the future?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	somewhere with offering a range of job opportunities	6	8	3
2	access to university/colleges for life long learning	6	8	2
3	different types of health facilities (doctors/dentist, hospital etc)	13	3	1
4	recreation and built leisure/sports facilities	3	4	8
5	shops offering a range of food and non-food goods	6	5	5
6	banks and financial services	8	0	7
7	buildings offering access to a range of community facilities available to all	0	2	1
	Other suggestions			
I	How should we build in the future?	Most important	Quite important	Least important
1	replace existing buildings before building new ones	1	10	5
2	use land within the towns and villages before building on farm land	10	4	3
3	build where there are already roads, shops, schools and other facilities	5	7	4
4	build using renewable energy and recycled materials	14	5	2
5	buildings that can be changed to meet needs in the future	7	7	1
6	encourage traditional styles	0	7	14
7	new designs that use modern materials and construction methods	2	2	0
	Other suggestions			
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Don't build on the countryside because it might be destroying the homes of animals 			