

22. Please say how much you agree or disagree with the following sentences (Please circle your answer)

My life is going well

Strongly agree Tend to agree Neither agree nor disagree Tend to disagree Strongly disagree Don't know

My life is just right

Strongly agree Tend to agree Neither agree nor disagree Tend to disagree Strongly disagree Don't know

I wish I had a different kind of life

Strongly agree Tend to agree Neither agree nor disagree Tend to disagree Strongly disagree Don't know

I have a good life

Strongly agree Tend to agree Neither agree nor disagree Tend to disagree Strongly disagree Don't know

I have what I want in life

Strongly agree Tend to agree Neither agree nor disagree Tend to disagree Strongly disagree Don't know

23. How much do the following statements describe you? (Please circle your answer)

I get in trouble in school

Exactly like me Pretty much like A little like me Not at all like me

I do things my parents wouldn't want me to do

Exactly like me Pretty much like A little like me Not at all like me

I like scary things

Exactly like me Pretty much like A little like me Not at all like me

I like to do dangerous things

Exactly like me Pretty much like A little like me Not at all like me

24. Have you ever stayed away from school without permission (truanted/bunked off)?

Yes No Don't know

25. Do you think school has given you enough information on smoking?

Yes No Don't know

26. How should the school offer advice and support on smoking?

27. Do you get regular pocket money (from parents, relatives)?

Yes No

28. Can you spend your money however you like?

Yes No



DEAD COOL SURVEY

SCHOOL OF Education

SCHOOL: _____

STUDENT'S FULL NAME: _____

DATE OF BIRTH: _____

OFFICE USE ONLY

SCHOOL CODE: _____

PUPIL CODE: _____

Thanks you for agreeing to take part in our study. We promise that your answers are confidential. They will not be shown to anyone that you know.

Example questions:

Most of the questions can be answered by putting a tick in the box next to the answer that applies to you. Sometimes you can circle the answer. Or sometimes you have to write a number in the box. Sometimes you have to write in an answer, for example: What is your favourite colour? blue

1. Are you a boy or a girl?

2. What age are you?

3. What is your postcode e.g. BT12 8NF?

4. What is your ethnic group?

Tick one box only, the one that is most true for you

- White British
- African
- White Irish
- Any other ethnic group (please write in)
- Asian
- Chinese

5. Who do you live with? (please tick all that apply)

- Mother
- Father
- Step-parent
- (Other please write in)
- Sisters/brothers
- Foster care

The next questions are about cigarettes. Remember that your name is not on the questionnaire, so no-one who knows you will find out your answers.

6. Do you smoke cigarettes at all nowadays?

- Yes No

7. Now read the following statements carefully and tick the box next to the one which best describes you.

- I have never smoked
 I have only ever tried smoking once
 I used to smoke sometimes but I never smoke a cigarette now
 I sometimes smoke cigarettes now but I don't smoke as many as one a week

7. Just to check, read the statements below carefully and tick the box next to the one which best describes you.

- I have never tried smoking a cigarette, not even a puff or two
 I did once have a puff or two of a cigarette, but I never smoke now
 I do sometimes smoke cigarettes

8. If you DO smoke, please answer the next question. If not, please skip to Question 10.

- I usually smoke between one and six cigarettes a week
 I usually smoke more than six cigarettes a week
 How many cigarettes do you smoke in a week?

9. How old were you when you first tried smoking a cigarette, even if it was only a puff or two?

Write your age in the box. If you have never smoked, please skip to Question 10.

I was _____ years old.

10. How do you think your family would feel if you started smoking? Tick all that apply.

- They would try to stop me
 They would try to persuade me not to smoke
 They would do nothing
 They would encourage me to smoke
 I don't know

11. In the past year, have you seen cigarette packets on display in any of the shops listed below?

Tick all that apply.

- A supermarket
 A newsagent, tobacconist or a sweet shop
 A petrol station or garage shop
 Some other type of shop
 Have not seen cigarettes for sale in any of these places

12. Do any of these people that you know smoke cigarettes? Tick all that apply

- My boyfriend or girlfriend
 Some friends of my own age
 Some friends older than me
 Some friends younger than me
 My mother
 My father
 My step-parent
 My brother or sister
 Other relatives
 None of my friends or family smoke

13. Can you name your five closest friends in your school class? Please put a mark beside your best friend's name.

1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
 5. _____

14. In the past year, how often were you in the same room as someone smoking at home?

- Every day or most days
 Once or twice a week
 Once or twice a month
 Less often than once a month
 Never in the past year
 Don't know

15. In the past year, how often were you in the same room as someone smoking at someone else's home?

- Every day or most days
 Once or twice a week
 Once or twice a month
 Less often than once a month
 Never in the past year
 Don't know

16. In the past year, how often were you in your family's car with somebody smoking?

- Every day or most days
 Once or twice a week
 Once or twice a month
 Less often than once a month
 Never in the past year
 Don't know

17. In the past year, how often were you in someone else's car with somebody who was smoking?

- Every day or most days
 Once or twice a week
 Once or twice a month
 Less often than once a month
 Never in the past year
 Don't know

18. Do you think you will try a cigarette soon?

- Yes No Don't know

19. If one of your best friends were to offer you a cigarette, would you smoke it? (Please tick your answer)

- Definitely yes Probably not
 Probably yes Definitely not
 Not sure

20. Do you think you will smoke a cigarette at any time in the next year? (Please tick your answer)

- Definitely yes Probably not
 Probably yes Definitely not
 Not sure

21. Against each statement, circle either TRUE or FALSE

People of my age smoke because it helps them to relax
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke because they are addicted to cigarettes
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke because they believe it helps them to stay slim
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke because it helps them to cope with stress in their life
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke to look cool in front of their friends
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke because they find it exciting to break the rules
TRUE **FALSE**

People of my age smoke because their friends pressure them into it
TRUE **FALSE**