



Youth in Transition

1 Name _____

2 Home Address Street _____

Town, City or Suburb _____

Postcode _____ Phone number () _____

YOU AND YOUR SCHOOL

1 Name of school _____

2 Year level in 1995 _____

3 Compared with most of the students in your year level at school, how well are you doing in:
(Tick one box in each line)

	Very well	Better than average	About average	Not very well	Very poorly
English?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mathematics?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Your school subjects overall?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

YOUR PLANS AFTER SCHOOL

1 When do you plan to leave school? (Tick one box)

At the end of Year 10

At the end of Year 11

At the end of Year 12

I haven't made up my mind

2 In the year after leaving school: (Tick as many boxes as you need to in each line)

	Full-time job	Part-time job	Full-time study	Part-time study	Don't know
What do you plan to do?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
What do your parents want you to do?	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

3 Do you plan to do any further study at any time after you leave school?

YES NO Please go on to the next page

What type of course do you plan to do?
(Tick one box)

University course

Apprenticeship

Other TAFE course

Other

Please tell us.

WORKING IN A JOB WHILE AT SCHOOL

- 1 Do you currently (in August, September or October 1995) have a part-time or casual job?
(a job you do not only in school holidays, but during school term time, and for which you are paid; don't include jobs you do around the house for pocket money)

YES

NO



Please go on to the next page



Please tell us about your job. If you have more than one job, tell us about your main job

- 2 What kind of job is it? What do you do in this job?

- 3 How many hours a week do you work at this job? _____ hours per week

- 4 Altogether, about how much take-home pay do you get each week? \$ _____

- 5 What are your reasons for working?

(Tick one box in each line)

I work because . . .

Strongly agree Agree Disagree Strongly disagree

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| • it is the kind of work I want to do as a career. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I enjoy the work. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • my family needs the money. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I like the sense of independence the job provides. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • it will help me get a job when I finish studying. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • it is in the family business and I am expected to help. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I need money to help support myself at school. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

- 6 What is it like having a job while being a student?

(Tick one box in each line)

Strongly agree Agree Disagree Strongly disagree

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| • I have enough spare time to do the things I like. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I get behind in my school work because of my job. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • My parents are happy that I have a job. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I would get better marks if I did not have a job. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • My job has made me think about what to do after leaving school. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • I have enough time to do my homework. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • It is hard to balance the demands of work and school. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| • If I wasn't working I would spend more time studying. | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

YOUR LIFE AT SCHOOL

This section contains 30 statements. Each statement says that My school is a place where some particular thing happens to you, or you feel a particular way. We want you to say whether you Strongly Agree, Agree, Disagree or Strongly Disagree with each statement.

Please read each statement carefully, and for each one tick the answer which best describes how you feel. Don't forget that you have to put My school is a place where before each statement for it to make sense: eg. *My school is a place where I really like to go each day.*

My school is a place where ...	(Tick one box in each line)			
	Strongly agree	Agree	Disagree	Strongly disagree
• the work we do is interesting.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers are fair and just.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• the things I learn are important to me.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I have learnt to work hard.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I feel happy.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers listen to what I say.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I achieve a standard in my work which I consider satisfactory.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I like learning.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I get enjoyment from being there.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• the work I do is good preparation for my future.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I like to ask questions in class.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers give me the marks I deserve.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I have acquired skills that will be of use to me when I leave school.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I always achieve a satisfactory standard in my work.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I like to do extra work.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers take a personal interest in helping me with my school work.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I really like to go each day.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I enjoy what I do in class.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I always try to do my best.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• the things I learn will help me in my adult life.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I know how to cope with the work.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers help me to do my best.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I get excited about the work that we do.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I find that learning is a lot of fun.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I am given the chance to do work that really interests me.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I know I can do well enough to be successful.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• the things I am taught are worthwhile learning.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I feel safe and secure.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• teachers treat me fairly in class.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
• I am a success as a student.	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

