

Teen Outreach Intake Form

Thanks so much for your time in filling out this survey! The following 16 questions are meant to get some information about you before being involved with TOP. Your answers to this survey will be compared with those you will be asked to give at the end of the year.

The purpose of the survey is to improve the program so that it is as effective as it can be. This survey is totally voluntary and totally confidential but is really important in helping us improve the program. Only two people will see your survey: the program evaluator and the facilitator. At no time will anyone from your school see your questionnaire.

Please be as honest as possible when answering these questions. If you are uncomfortable with a question, skip it. If you do not understand a question, raise your hand and ask for help. There is no right or wrong answers. The best answer is the most honest one.

THANK YOU FOR YOUR TIME!

Your First Name: _____ **Your Date of Birth** ___/___/___

Code: (for administrative use)

(For administrative use only) Personal Code _____

1. What grade are you in? _____

2. What is your gender? (Circle One)

Female Male

3. Who do you live with most of the time? (Circle all that apply)

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| A. Mother | G. Grandparent |
| B. Father | H. Aunt |
| C. Step Mother | I. Uncle |
| D. Step Father | J. Foster family |
| E. Mother's boyfriend/girlfriend | K. Friend's family |
| F. Father's girlfriend/boyfriend | L. Other |

4. During the last school year did you..... (Circle either yes or no, if yes answer "how many")

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| A. Fail any courses for the whole year? | No | Yes | How many? _____ |
| B. Get any "F"'s or failing grades? | No | Yes | How many? _____ |
| C. Get suspended from school? | No | Yes | How many times? _____ |
| D. Cut class without permission? | No | Yes | How many times? _____ |

5. Have you ever been pregnant or caused a pregnancy?

No Yes How many times? _____

6. Have you ever had a baby or fathered a baby?

No Yes How many times? _____

For the questions 7-16, please choose the answer that BEST describes you.

7. As you look into the future, how important is it to you to get a good education?

- A. Not important at all
- B. Not too important
- C. A little important
- D. Very important

8. Do you feel you can trust your classmates?
- A. No, not too much
 - B. Sometimes
 - C. Most of the time
 - D. All the time
9. A community is.....
- A. Your Family
 - B. Your Classmates
 - C. Your Friends
 - D. Your Neighbors
 - E. All of the Above
10. Do you feel that if you or your family needed help there are many people and/or organizations (health services, legal services, counselors, etc) in your area that could help you?
- A. No, there isn't much help in our area
 - B. There is some help in our area
 - C. There is a lot of help in our area
11. Do you like to spend time with adults?
- A. No, not if I can help it.
 - B. Sometimes, it depends upon how well I know them.
 - C. Yes, I get along well with adults and like spending time with them.
12. When I meet someone that has a different opinion than I do I usually.....
- A. Tell them they don't know what they are talking about.
 - B. Say nothing to the person.
 - C. Listen to their opinion respectfully, tell them you do not agree, but that is okay.
13. When you have a problem, do you feel as if you are able to tell someone about it?
- A. No, I usually feel too embarrassed to tell anyone..
 - B. Yes, but most of the time the problem still isn't solved.
 - C. Yes, I am able to talk to someone to get the problem solved.
14. If you don't understand something, do you ask for clarification?
- A. No, I feel embarrassed to ask.
 - B. Sometimes, but usually I try to figure it out for myself.
 - C. Yes, if I don't understand something I feel that it is important to ask for it to be explained to me again.
15. If you need or want something, do you feel comfortable asking for it?
- A. No, not unless it is very important.
 - B. Maybe, it depends who I have to ask.
 - C. Yes, I feel comfortable asking for thing I want or need in a respectful way.
 - D. Yes, I feel comfortable asking for things I want or need and I don't care if it makes it difficult for someone else.

- 16. If you are faced with a tough decision are you more likely to....**
- A. Be impulsive. Whatever is the first answer that comes to your mind is what you will go with regardless of possible consequences.
 - B. Let others decide for you because they will probably know better.
 - C. Put off the decision until the last possible moment.
 - D. Not decide at all, maybe it will just go away.
 - E. Think about the possible decisions you could make, evaluate the consequences and then make the most rational decision.

Thank you for your time!

Please put evaluation in the envelope at the front of the room.