



SURVEY ON TRANSITION PHASES ON STUDENTS' EDUCATIONAL PATH

2016 - 2019

TRANSITION PHASE FROM KINDERGARTEN TO PRIMARY SCHOOL

1. Did you look forward to going to primary school when you went to kindergarten? Put a tick .

1	Yes, I was very excited about starting primary school.	
2	I didn't mind much.	
3	I was afraid of starting primary school.	
4	I don't remember much from that time.	

2. Did you like your 1st day at primary school? Put a tick .

1	Yes, I did.	
2	I don't remember.	
3	No, I didn't.	

3. What was your first impression of the new school? Put a tick .

1	Very good.	
2	Good	
3	Nothing special but ok.	
4	Depressing	

4. Did you like your teachers? Put a tick .

1	Yes, did.	
2	I didn't mind.	
3	No, I didn't.	

If you marked answer **Yes, I did** or **No, I didn't** write in a few words **why**

5. Did you like your classmates? Put a tick .

1	Yes, my primary school class was just cool!	
2	Yes, most of my classmates were ok.	
3	Not all of my classmates, but I had a couple of good friends in my class.	
4	No, I didn't	

If you marked answer *No, I didn't* write in a few words *why*.

6. Did you like all the subjects? Put a tick .

1	Yes, I did.	
2	Only those subjects which I was good at.	
3	Not really, because they were boring to me.	
4	No, because I had some problems studying them.	

7. How did you feel at primary school? Put a tick next to as many options as you agree with.

1	I felt positive when I was at school.	
2	It was easy to learn in my school.	
3	I enjoyed going to school.	
4	I felt proud of my school.	
5	I felt confident when I was at school.	
6	I felt motivated to do my school work.	
7	I felt safe in my school.	
8	I felt valued by my school.	

8. Do you think any of the following were problems in your primary school?

	No, not a problem at all	A bit of a problem	Yes, a big problem	It's hard to say.
Vandalism				
Litter				
Bullying				
Smoking				
Other				

TRANSITION PHASE FROM PRIMARY TO SECONDARY SCHOOL

9. Did you look forward to going to secondary school? Put a tick .

1	Yes, I was very excited about starting a secondary school.	
2	I didn't mind much.	
3	I was afraid of starting secondary school.	

10. Did transition from primary to secondary school require from you to change a school community?

Put a tick .

1	Yes	
2	No	

11. If transition from primary to secondary school required to change the school community, answer why you chose the school you're attending now. Put a tick .

1	I didn't have much choice because my parents decided so.	
2	I chose the school because I wanted to attend the same school my friend/friends would attend.	
3	I chose the school because it had a good reputation (if you chose this answer mark with a tick <input type="checkbox"/> as many options as you need.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	A high standards of teaching	<input type="checkbox"/>
	B student-friendly atmosphere	<input type="checkbox"/>
	C a lot of facilities (football pitch, extra-curricular activities)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	D I wanted to change the school environment	<input type="checkbox"/>
	E I chose the school because it is situated close to my home.	<input type="checkbox"/>
	F other factors (name them if you have ticked this option)	<input type="checkbox"/>
	_____	<input type="checkbox"/>

12. Starting secondary school... (tick as many options as you need)

1	made me feel more mature	
2	was something I had been looking forward to for a long time.	
3	made me feel insecure because I was afraid of new challenges connected with my education there, teachers' requirements etc.	
4	made me feel insecure because I was afraid of older students and of being bullied.	
5	made me feel sad because I was afraid of losing old friends.	

13. During my first month at school... Put a tick .

1	I enjoyed the new environment from the very start.	
2	I was satisfied because the school met my expectations.	
3	I felt ok because I was prepared for the new situation in my life.	
4	I gradually got used to new circumstances, school rules and school community.	
5	I missed my old school.	
6	I felt disappointed because it didn't meet my expectations.	
7	I felt lost and a bit depressed.	

14. Do you like your teachers? Put a tick .

1	Yes, do.	
2	I don't mind.	
3	No, I don't.	

If you marked answer *Yes, I do* or *No, I don't* write in a few words *why*

15. Do you like your classmates? Put a tick .

1	Yes, my secondary school class is just cool!	
2	Yes, most of my classmates are ok.	
3	Not all of my classmates, but I have a couple of good friends in my class.	
4	No, I don't.	

If you marked answer *No, I don't* write in a few words *why*.

16. Mark **all the statements you agree with** by putting a tick .

1	At secondary school I am given more homework.	
2	The teaching style is very different and therefore learning is much harder.	
3	The teaching style is very different but it doesn't mean secondary school is harder than primary.	
4	I have as much trust and familiarity with secondary school teachers as I used to have with primary school teachers.	
5	Secondary school offers a good opportunity to make new friends.	
6	The standards of strictness are higher and obeying the school rules (conduct, discipline, order) is more difficult.	
7	Teachers encourage each and every student to participate in lessons.	
8	Secondary teachers take as much interest in their students as primary teachers did.	
9	I need some extra support (after-school coaching lessons and tutoring)	
10	I had to quit some after-school club or activities in order to be able to keep up with secondary level.	
11	I have less free time.	

17. How do you feel at secondary school? Put a tick next to as many options as you agree with.

1	I feel positive when I am at school.	
2	It is easy to learn in my school.	
3	I enjoy going to school.	
4	I feel proud of my school.	
5	I feel confident when I am at school.	
6	I feel motivated to do my school work.	
7	I feel safe in my school.	
8	I feel valued by my school.	

18. Do you think any of the following are problems in your secondary school?

	No, not a problem at all	A bit of a problem	Yes, a big problem	It's hard to say.
Vandalism				
Litter				
Bullying				
Smoking				
Other				

19. Have you already thought of what it is like to start upper-secondary school? Put a tick .

1	Yes	
2	No	

20. Are you looking forward to starting upper- secondary school? Put a tick .

1	Yes	
2	No	

21. Do you think your current school is preparing you well for the next educational stage?

1	Yes, definitely!	
2	I hope so.	
3	I don't think so.	
4	Definitely not!	

22. Have you thought about your future?

1	Yes, I have already a very precise plan concerning my further education and future profession.	
2	Yes, I know which school I want to attend when I graduate from my secondary school, but I don't know what profession to choose.	
3	Yes, I have thought a bit, but I still don't know what I am going to do in the near future.	
4	Not really. I think I have enough time for that.	
5	No, but I think it's about time to make some plans about my future education.	

