



High School Student Survey

This survey is part of Falls Brook Centre’s project to promote community planning in the Upper St. John River Valley. We would like to know what young people think about living here, and what kind of future they would like to have here. Please answer the questions that you feel comfortable answering. Your answers should be based on the community **WHERE YOU LIVE**, if it is different from the community where you go to school. Your participation is greatly appreciated!

Teacher’s name: _____

School: _____

Name of your local community: _____

Do you live inside or outside the town limits? _____

What are your future plans? (Check one or more.)

___ university ___ community college ___ work ___ other ___ unknown

1. What do you like, or value most, about living in your own community? (Please rank the following 6 choices from 1 to 6 in order of importance, 1 being most valuable)

- the people who live here (good friends and neighbours)
- the services (arena, pool, library, recreation and sport programs etc.)
- the convenience (everything I need is here)
- the opportunities for physical activities, (eg. hockey, swimming, etc.)
- the natural environment (woods, river, outdoors, clean environment)
- the social activities (community events, church events, organizations like 4-H)
- Other: _____

2. What do you like least about your community?

3. Do you want to stay and live in New Brunswick after you finish school?

___Yes ___No ___Unknown

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4. If not, would you like to return to live in New Brunswick some day?

___Yes

___No

___Unknown

5. What kind of work would you prefer to do if you live here or if you would live here?
Please check off your first three choices.

_____ something outdoors (eg. tourism, recreation, guiding, etc.)

_____ a trade or working with your hands (eg. making craft products, carpentry, etc.)

_____ providing a service (eg. working in a store, garage, computer consultant, etc.)

_____ teaching others how to do something? (eg. build a canoe, make a quilt,
cook outdoors, music instrument etc.)

_____ running your own business? If so, what kind? _____

_____ professional career (doctor, lawyer, accountant, school teacher etc.)

_____ other: _____

6. Do you participate in any community organizations or activities outside of school
(including church groups)? If so, what are they? _____

7. Do you and most of your friends feel welcome in your community...like this is your
home and you belong here? If you feel excluded or included, what makes you feel
that way?

Please feel free to write other comments where you need more space to explain your
choices. **Thank you!**