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## QUESTIONNAIRE FOR PARENTS

## Instructions for Filling Out the Questionnaire:

*First of all, thank you very much for taking part in the European Study of Personal and Social Identity by the Universities of Cologne and Trier, Germany. By filling out this questionnaire you will help us find out more about the development of identity throughout lifespan and about special features of identity development in the diverse European countries.*

- In the following, you will find questions that could be of interest when you think about yourself. We are interested in if and how often you ask yourself these questions.
- In addition, you will find statements which describe a person. Here, we would like to know how well these statements describe you.
- The individual questions and statements sometimes have the same options for answering. However, sometimes they are different. Please read the questions, statements and the options for your answer carefully.
- Please try to answer as spontaneously as possible.
- There are no right or wrong answers. Please make a personal choice that corresponds to your point of view.
- Your answers will be kept anonymous. Therefore, please be completely honest in your answers.
- Please answer **all** the questions.

Thank you.

(Silke Diestelkamp)

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me by e-mail.

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	<b>Very seldom</b>	<b>Seldom</b>	<b>Occasionally</b>	<b>Often</b>	<b>Very often</b>
I try to find out things about myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I often think about myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I carefully observe my innermost feelings.	1	2	3	4	5
I think about how others perceive me.	1	2	3	4	5
I think about what sort of impression I make on others.	1	2	3	4	5
I think about my facial expression.	1	2	3	4	5

	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly correct - partly incorrect</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I have already made some mistakes in my life.	1	2	3	4	5
I have sometimes lied in order to avoid trouble.	1	2	3	4	5
I have sometimes been envious of what others have or can do.	1	2	3	4	5
I don't always act sensibly and correctly.	1	2	3	4	5
I am happy when my opponent suffers a setback.	1	2	3	4	5

						Agree completely
	Do not agree at all					
I've spent a lot of time thinking about what I should do with my life.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I'm not sure what I'm doing with my life.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I act the way I do because of the values I was brought up with.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I've spent a lot of time reading and/or talking to others about ideological ideas.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I talk to somebody about a problem, I try to see their point of view.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I don't worry about the future. I make decisions spontaneously.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I was brought up so that I would know what to work for.	1	2	3	4	5	6
If I don't worry about my problems, they usually work out themselves.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I've spent a lot of time reading about political issues and trying to understand them.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I don't think a lot about my future.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I've spent a lot of time talking to people to find a set of beliefs that are of use to me.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I've never had any serious doubts about my ideological beliefs.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I've always known what I wanted to be.	1	2	3	4	5	6
It's better to have a set of fixed opinions than to be open to different ideas.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I have to make a decision, I wait as long as I can to see what will happen.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I spend a lot of time trying to understand a problem.	1	2	3	4	5	6
It's better to get advice from experts if I have an important problem.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I just try to enjoy life without taking it too seriously.	1	2	3	4	5	6
It's better to have one specific set of values than being open to all kinds of different values.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I try to avoid thinking about or dealing with problems as long as possible.	1	2	3	4	5	6
My problems can be interesting challenges.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I try to avoid problems that make me think.	1	2	3	4	5	6
Once I know how to solve a problem, I like to stick to that solution.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I make decisions, I take a lot of time to think about my possibilities.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I like to deal with things the way my parents taught me.	1	2	3	4	5	6
I like to think through my problems and deal with them on my own.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I ignore a potential problem, things usually work out.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I have to make an important decision, I like to know as much about it as possible.	1	2	3	4	5	6
When I know a problem will cause me stress, I try to avoid it.	1	2	3	4	5	6
It's best to rely on family's or friends' advice when I have a problem.	1	2	3	4	5	6

	Not correct	Rather no	Partly correct - partly incorrect	Rather yes	Correct
Generally speaking I am satisfied with myself.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I feel worthless.	1	2	3	4	5
I believe that I have a number of very good personal qualities.	1	2	3	4	5
I can do things just as well as most others.	1	2	3	4	5
There isn't much that I can be proud of.	1	2	3	4	5
I have the feeling that I am a worthy person, at least as equal as others.	1	2	3	4	5
All in all I tend to see myself as a failure in life.	1	2	3	4	5
I have a positive attitude towards myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I wish I had more self-respect.	1	2	3	4	5
There are certainly times when I feel useless.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel good about what I am doing.	1	2	3	4	5
I can look in the mirror without shame.	1	2	3	4	5
I have no problem with my character.	1	2	3	4	5
I often dream of a better life.	1	2	3	4	5
I like myself the way I am.	1	2	3	4	5

How do you currently see your relationship with your partner? Please pay attention to the options for your answer. They are extremes, but there are also options inbetween you can mark. If you don't have a partner at the moment, please mark the box below and continue on the next page.

I currently have no partner. (continue on to the next page)

How well does your partner meet your needs?	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	Very well
In general how satisfied are you with your relationship?	Very unsatisfied	1	2	3	4	5	Very satisfied
How good is your relationship compared to those of most others?	Very bad	1	2	3	4	5	Very good
How often do you wish that you had never started this relationship?	Never	1	2	3	4	5	Very often
Does this relationship fulfill your original expectations?	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	Completely
How much do you love your partner?	Not at all	1	2	3	4	5	Very much
How many problems do you have in your relationship?	None	1	2	3	4	5	A lot

	Not correct	Rather no	Partly correct - partly incorrect	Rather yes	Correct
There are moments when I am not myself.	1	2	3	4	5
Often I don't understand myself.	1	2	3	4	5
Often I am a stranger to myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I am always myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I have always worked hard to get the best possible marks.	1	2	3	4	5
I am known as a hard and persevering worker.	1	2	3	4	5
Everyone who works hard can be successful.	1	2	3	4	5
I work faster than others.	1	2	3	4	5
I set high standards for myself and expect the same from others.	1	2	3	4	5
I always try to do things a little better than is expected from me.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I just can't pull myself up to do something.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I am envious of other people who are better-looking than me.	1	2	3	4	5
I would have more friends if I were better-looking.	1	2	3	4	5
I actually look quite good compared to others.	1	2	3	4	5
I have sometimes been teased about my looks.	1	2	3	4	5
At times I have wished that I looked completely different.	1	2	3	4	5
My looks are attractive to men.	1	2	3	4	5

Approximately how often do you have the following complaints?	Never	Several times a year	Several times a month	Several times a week	Daily
Headache	1	2	3	4	5
Stomach ache	1	2	3	4	5
Indigestion	1	2	3	4	5
Trouble sleeping	1	2	3	4	5
Allergies	1	2	3	4	5
Circulatory troubles	1	2	3	4	5

<b>Please mark how often you experience the mood or perspective mentioned below.</b>	<b>Never</b>	<b>Seldom</b>	<b>Sometimes</b>	<b>Often</b>	<b>Almost always</b>
I am sad.	1	2	3	4	5
I am discouraged about the future.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel like I'm a failure.	1	2	3	4	5
I find it hard to enjoy life.	1	2	3	4	5
I have feelings of guilt.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel as if I am being punished for something.	1	2	3	4	5
I am disappointed in myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I reproach myself for my mistakes and weaknesses.	1	2	3	4	5
I think about hurting myself.	1	2	3	4	5
I cry.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel irritated and annoyed.	1	2	3	4	5
I lack interest in other people.	1	2	3	4	5
I put off making decisions.	1	2	3	4	5
I am worried about the way I look.	1	2	3	4	5
I have to force myself to do something.	1	2	3	4	5
I am indifferent about sex.	1	2	3	4	5
I am tired and unenthusiastic.	1	2	3	4	5
I have no appetite.	1	2	3	4	5
I worry about my health.	1	2	3	4	5
I have trouble sleeping.	1	2	3	4	5

	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly yes – partly no</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I find it boring when acquaintances talk about their dreams.	1	2	3	4	5
I prefer my colleagues to keep their problems to themselves.	1	2	3	4	5
To be quite frank I think little about others.	1	2	3	4	5
I find it exciting when colleagues talk about their feelings.	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to learn as much as possible about my friends' favorite activities.	1	2	3	4	5
I am not afraid to enter a room alone where other people are already talking together.	1	2	3	4	5
I think a lot about my best friend's worries.	1	2	3	4	5
When a new colleague starts work, I try to find out what he or she is like.	1	2	3	4	5

<b>Which of the following things are important/unimportant in your relationship with your partner?</b>	<b>Not important</b>	<b>Rather unimportant</b>	<b>Rather important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Very important</b>
That I have no obligations.	1	2	3	4	5
That I am not tied down.	1	2	3	4	5
That no restrictions are laid down on my life.	1	2	3	4	5
That one can't imagine a life without the other.	1	2	3	4	5
That we know we will always love each other.	1	2	3	4	5
That we don't keep any secrets from each other.	1	2	3	4	5

	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly yes – partly no</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I am optimistic about the future.	1	2	3	4	5
I try to run away from my problems.	1	2	3	4	5
I easily lose my temper.	1	2	3	4	5
I wish I didn't give up so easily.	1	2	3	4	5
I deal well with my personal problems.	1	2	3	4	5
I will be able to solve my problems also in the future.	1	2	3	4	5
I can take care of myself in every situation.	1	2	3	4	5
My personal problems are there to be solved by me.	1	2	3	4	5
I can cope just as well as others.	1	2	3	4	5
Nothing can easily shock or confuse me.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I get upset about every little thing.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I can't do much to change my mood.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I can't control my anger.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I don't know at all what's the matter with me.	1	2	3	4	5
There are days when everyone gets on my nerves.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes I am sad without a real reason.	1	2	3	4	5
When something annoys me, I can sometimes completely forget myself.	1	2	3	4	5
Sometimes nothing matters to me.	1	2	3	4	5



	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly correct - partly incorrect</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I find it hard to defend my point of view in front of a group.	1	2	3	4	5
When I'm in a group, I don't dare to say anything.	1	2	3	4	5
I have trouble expressing my opinion in a group, even if I have something important to say.	1	2	3	4	5
I find it hard to defend a contrary opinion in a group.	1	2	3	4	5
Often I don't agree with the opinions of acquaintances, but I hesitate to express my criticism openly.	1	2	3	4	5
I am worried if I get the impression that someone has a different opinion than me.	1	2	3	4	5

	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly yes – partly no</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I am good at getting along with others.	1	2	3	4	5
I find it easy to get to know other people.	1	2	3	4	5
It doesn't matter to me how my colleague feels before an important meeting.	1	2	3	4	5
I should be more polite to others.	1	2	3	4	5
I am rather shy and insecure when meeting other people.	1	2	3	4	5
I am not afraid to meet people I don't know.	1	2	3	4	5
I am up to the responsibilities of being a mother.	1	2	3	4	5
Compared to others I am a good mother.	1	2	3	4	5
I had imagined being a mother would be easier.	1	2	3	4	5
Being responsible for a family is a burden.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel comfortable in my role as a mother.	1	2	3	4	5

<b>What do you do in your spare time? Mark the correct answer please.</b>	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly yes – partly no</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
I like to be with other people, e.g. doing things with friends, team sports, being with my boyfriend/girlfriend.	1	2	3	4	5
I like to be alone, e.g. dreaming, doing nothing, watching television.	1	2	3	4	5
I prefer it quiet and relaxed, e.g. watching sports, listening to music, reading, etc.	1	2	3	4	5
I like to do things like sports, going to discos, club-activities, etc.	1	2	3	4	5

<b>How do you inform yourself about politics? Please respond to these questions below and mark the right answer for you.</b>	<b>Not at all</b>	<b>Less than once a week</b>	<b>Once a week</b>	<b>Several times a week</b>	<b>Daily</b>
How often do you watch the news on television?	1	2	3	4	5
How often do you read the political section of the newspaper?	1	2	3	4	5
How often do you speak with other people about political issues?	1	2	3	4	5
How often do you talk about political issues with other people who are involved in politics?	1	2	3	4	5
How often do you read the local section of the newspaper?	1	2	3	4	5

<b>Which party would you vote for, if there were an election next Sunday?</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> Fianna Fail <input type="checkbox"/> Fine Gael <input type="checkbox"/> Progressive Democrats <input type="checkbox"/> Labour <input type="checkbox"/> Sinn Fein <input type="checkbox"/> Socialist <input type="checkbox"/> Green <input type="checkbox"/> Other

<b>How important is religion to you?</b>
<input type="checkbox"/> very important <input type="checkbox"/> rather important <input type="checkbox"/> partly important – partly unimportant <input type="checkbox"/> rather unimportant <input type="checkbox"/> totally unimportant

<b>How active are you in your religious community? Please mark the correct answer (multiple responses are possible).</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	I am a member of a religious community.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I go to religious services (or similar) regularly.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I go to religious services (or similar) on important religious holidays.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I pray regularly.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I take on responsibilities for my religious community.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Other, e.g. _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	None of the above

Now we'd like to know about who **primarily** does the everyday work in your family/relationship and in the household. If these responsibilities are not necessary or are done by someone else (for example, a cleaning person), then please mark "Does not apply".

	<b>I always do</b>	<b>I do pri- marily</b>	<b>Both equally</b>	<b>I seldom do</b>	<b>I never do</b>	<b>Does not apply</b>
Cooking	5	4	3	2	1	0
Shopping	5	4	3	2	1	0
Cleaning	5	4	3	2	1	0
Laundry	5	4	3	2	1	0
Ironing	5	4	3	2	1	0
Small repairs at home	5	4	3	2	1	0
Clearing up after meals	5	4	3	2	1	0
Doing the dishes	5	4	3	2	1	0
Tidying up	5	4	3	2	1	0
Visits to government offices, dealing with "paperwork"	5	4	3	2	1	0
Money issues (budgeting, paying bills, etc.)	5	4	3	2	1	0

Who usually spends more time with your child?  My partner does.  I do.

Please mark how you are raising your child. If you think that a statement is not appropriate for your child's age group, then please mark "Does not apply".

<b>When I think that my child has done something especially well, then...</b>	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly no – partly yes</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>	<b>Does not apply</b>
...I beam with joy.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I give him/her a hug.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I show him/her how proud I am.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I give him/her something that he/she has wanted for a long time.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I may buy something that he/she would like to have.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...he/she is allowed to stay up later than usual.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I let him/her watch television longer than usual.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I am happy and ask him/her how he/she did it.	1	2	3	4	5	0

<b>When my child has done something that I don't approve of, then...</b>	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly no – partly yes</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>	<b>Does not apply</b>
...I don't allow something that he/she especially enjoys.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I send him/her to bed earlier than usual.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I yell at him/her.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I get angry with him/her.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I say to him/her in a very annoyed voice:"Well done!"	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I forbid him/ her to watch television.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I accept my child having a different opinion from me.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I respect my child's opinions.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I accept my child the way he/she is.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...I wish my child were different.	1	2	3	4	5	0

<b>My child is allowed to decide about...</b>						
...who he/she is friends with.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...how close a friendship to a girl/boy is.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...where he/she goes when he/she goes out.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...what time he/she comes home.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...when he/she goes to bed.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...how long he/she watches television.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...what he/she watches on television/cinema.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...when he/she does homework/studies for school.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...if he/she smokes and/or drinks alcohol.	1	2	3	4	5	0
...what he/she would like to buy for himself/herself.	1	2	3	4	5	0

**How would you describe the atmosphere in your family?**

- Very harmonious, without conflict
- Harmonious with the occasional quarrel
- Tense
- Very tense, with conflict

**Imagine what it was like when you were fifteen. Please briefly describe your relationship to your parents at that time.**

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<b>Please rank this list of values according to their importance to you as guidelines for your life.</b>	<b>Contrary to my values</b>	<b>Not important</b>	<b>Rather unimportant</b>	<b>Rather important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Very important</b>
Inner harmony (being at peace with myself)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Pleasure (fulfilling my wishes)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Freedom (acting and thinking as I want to)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Social order (that society regulates the way people live together)	0	1	2	3	4	5
National security (protecting my country from enemies)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Respecting myself (believing in my own worthiness)	0	1	2	3	4	5
A world in peace (free of war and conflict)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Respect for tradition (the customs and ways of life handed down to us)	0	1	2	3	4	5
A mature love (deep feelings and close partnership)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Social recognition (respect, approval by others)	0	1	2	3	4	5
A life full of variety (full of change, challenges, and new things)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Authority (the right to lead others and to make decisions)	0	1	2	3	4	5
True friendship (commitments to people who will support me)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Social justice (defeating injustice, taking care of the weak)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Establishing a family (having my own family and children)	0	1	2	3	4	5
Protecting nature and animals	0	1	2	3	4	5
Supporting the Third World	0	1	2	3	4	5
Supporting equal rights for all citizens of Ireland	0	1	2	3	4	5
The Irish way of life	0	1	2	3	4	5


<b>Here are some opinions about work and why we work. Regardless of whether or not you are currently working: which of these is closest to what you think? (Please select only <u>one</u> answer.)</b>	
<input type="checkbox"/>	I look at work like a business: the more I am paid, the more I do; the worse I'm paid, the less I do.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I always want to give my best, regardless of what I earn.
<input type="checkbox"/>	Working to support myself is necessary. If I didn't have to, I wouldn't work at all.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I like to work but I don't let it interfere with the rest of my life.
<input type="checkbox"/>	My work is fun. It is the most important thing in my life.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I have never been paid for work.
<input type="checkbox"/>	I don't know.

<b>What is your opinion about the roles of men and women?</b>	<b>I don't know</b>	<b>I don't agree at all</b>	<b>I don't agree</b>	<b>I agree</b>	<b>I agree strongly</b>
The most important thing in life is to have a child of your own.	1	2	3	4	5
A life without children must be boring.	1	2	3	4	5
I believe that a relationship without children lacks something very important.	1	2	3	4	5
Without children life remains empty.	1	2	3	4	5
Through my own children I experience what is really important.	1	2	3	4	5
Children give a relationship its real meaning.	1	2	3	4	5
Only by accepting the responsibility for a child can one become an adult.	1	2	3	4	5
Raising children is one of the most interesting tasks I can imagine.	1	2	3	4	5
Children leave too little time for your own interests.	1	2	3	4	5
To have children means to be constantly dependent.	1	2	3	4	5
Children create problems with others when out in public, for example with neighbours or on trips.	1	2	3	4	5
With children one has almost no leisure time for oneself.	1	2	3	4	5
When children are around, you can never really relax.	1	2	3	4	5
Children restrict the lives of their parents immensely.	1	2	3	4	5
Children are a financial burden that restrict your standard of living.	1	2	3	4	5
Because of children I am forced to restrict my own needs.	1	2	3	4	5
A working mother can give her child just as much warmth and security as a mother who doesn't work.	1	2	3	4	5
I believe it is bad for a child's development if the mother has a job.	1	2	3	4	5
Having a profession is good, but what most women want is a home and children.	1	2	3	4	5
Being a housewife is just as satisfying as another career.	1	2	3	4	5
A career is the best way for a woman to be independent.	1	2	3	4	5
Both the man and the woman should contribute to the household income.	1	2	3	4	5

<b>What goals do you want to achieve in raising your children?</b>	<b>Contrary to my values</b>	<b>Not important</b>	<b>Rather unimportant</b>	<b>Rather important</b>	<b>Important</b>	<b>Very important</b>
Happiness	0	1	2	3	4	5
Honesty	0	1	2	3	4	5
Independence	0	1	2	3	4	5
Self-confidence	0	1	2	3	4	5
Reliability	0	1	2	3	4	5
Openness	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being critical	0	1	2	3	4	5
Responsibility	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being imaginative	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being able to get one's own way	0	1	2	3	4	5
Getting along with others	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being considerate	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being loving	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being tidy	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being under control	0	1	2	3	4	5
Having a feeling for family	0	1	2	3	4	5
Obedience	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being popular with other children	0	1	2	3	4	5
Ambition	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being religious	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being able to feel shame	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being respectful and tolerant towards those who are different	0	1	2	3	4	5
Technical proficiency, being able to deal with modern technology	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being able to solve conflicts verbally	0	1	2	3	4	5
Being proud of his or her home country	0	1	2	3	4	5

<b>How important are the following people for you?</b>	<b>Not at all correct</b> 				<b>Completely correct</b>
My friends are very important to me.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel closely connected to my family.	1	2	3	4	5
My colleagues at work are very important to me.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel connected to my neighbours.	1	2	3	4	5
My family is very important to me.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel closely connected to my friends.	1	2	3	4	5
My neighbours are very important to me.	1	2	3	4	5
I feel closely connected to my colleagues at work.	1	2	3	4	5


<b>My parents and I have the same opinion about...</b>	<b>Not correct</b>	<b>Rather no</b>	<b>Partly yes – partly no</b>	<b>Rather yes</b>	<b>Correct</b>
...religion.	1	2	3	4	5
...issues of morality.	1	2	3	4	5
...attitudes towards other people.	1	2	3	4	5
...political issues.	1	2	3	4	5
...sexuality.	1	2	3	4	5


<b>Who or what do you identify most with?</b> <b>I feel attached...</b>	<b>Not at all</b> 				<b>Very strongly</b>
...to my city or town	1	2	3	4	5
...to my province or my county	1	2	3	4	5
...to Ireland as a nation	1	2	3	4	5
...to another country, e.g. _____	1	2	3	4	5
...to the European Union.	1	2	3	4	5
...to all of humanity.	1	2	3	4	5





How do you feel about Ireland? Are you proud or ashamed of...?	I feel very ashamed.					I feel very proud.				
...the Irish culture/ literature	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the Irish history	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the beautiful landscape	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the economic growth of the past two decades	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the courage of Irish soldiers in the efforts to gain independence from England	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the Irish resistance against the English	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...Michael Collins, Eamonn De Valera and other important Irish statesmen	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the achievements of Irish sportsmen and women in international competitions	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...democracy and the Irish constitution	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the importance of the Irish economy in the world	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...Irish character traits, like toughness, hard work, leadership and decisiveness	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...being Irish	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the Irish social system	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the independence of the Republic of Ireland in 1921	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2
...the Irish military contribution to ensuring world peace	-2	-1	0	1	2	-2	-1	0	1	2


How do you feel about Ireland?	Not at all correct					Completely correct				
I am happy when I hear the Irish national anthem.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I am happy when I see the Irish flag.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I think it's important to follow the traditions of my home country that I learned as a child.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I think Ireland is more beautiful than most other countries.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I prefer to work with my own people rather than with foreign people.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I can only feel at home in Ireland.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I support Irish athletes in international competitions.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5
I often have more in common with citizens from other nations than I do with other Irish.	1	2	3	4	5	1	2	3	4	5


<b>Are national feelings important or harmful? What do you think?</b>	<b>Not at all correct</b>  <b>Completely correct</b>				
	1	2	3	4	5
Humanity will only be able to live in peace when national feelings and borders have been overcome.	1	2	3	4	5
An uninhibited feeling for a nation is completely natural.	1	2	3	4	5
Sooner or later national pride leads to war.	1	2	3	4	5
Attachment to one's own nation gives people orientation and support.	1	2	3	4	5
National pride stands in the way of understanding between the peoples of the world.	1	2	3	4	5
It is important for the Irish to have uninhibited national feelings like other nations do.	1	2	3	4	5


<b>What do you think about the European Union (EU)?</b>	<b>Not at all correct</b>  <b>Completely correct</b>				
	1	2	3	4	5
I am happy when I see the flag of the European Union.	1	2	3	4	5
The interests of the Irish should be put back for the benefit of the European idea.	1	2	3	4	5
The aim of the European unification should be one common European state.	1	2	3	4	5
I would be happy about the dissolution of the EU.	1	2	3	4	5

<b>How much do you like the following countries?</b>	<b>Don't like it</b>  <b>Like it a lot</b>				
	1	2	3	4	5
Belgium	1	2	3	4	5
Germany	1	2	3	4	5
France	1	2	3	4	5
Israel	1	2	3	4	5
Italy	1	2	3	4	5
Netherlands (Holland)	1	2	3	4	5
Norway	1	2	3	4	5
Poland	1	2	3	4	5
Austria	1	2	3	4	5
Czech Republic	1	2	3	4	5
Turkey	1	2	3	4	5
Great Britain	1	2	3	4	5
Ireland	1	2	3	4	5

How do you feel about people who are very different from you?	I prefer to avoid them. <span style="float: right;">I'd like to get to know them better.</span>				
					
People with a different political philosophy	-2	-1	0	1	2
People with a different religion	-2	-1	0	1	2
People with a different view of the world	-2	-1	0	1	2
People with a different sexual preference	-2	-1	0	1	2
People from a foreign culture	-2	-1	0	1	2
People from other countries	-2	-1	0	1	2

What is your opinion?	Not at all correct <span style="float: right;">Completely correct</span>				
					
I often feel more comfortable among foreigners than among the Irish.	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to live in a foreign country for a longer period of time. I would prefer to live in _____	1	2	3	4	5
I would like to emigrate.	1	2	3	4	5
Anyone who wishes to should be able to emigrate to Ireland.	1	2	3	4	5
It isn't good to have too many immigrants in a country.	1	2	3	4	5
Once in a while I need to be abroad to get away from the Irish.	1	2	3	4	5
People of other ethnic groups are too forward when they approach Irish women and girls.	1	2	3	4	5
People of other ethnic groups provoke feelings of hatred towards themselves through their own behaviour.	1	2	3	4	5
Most politicians in Ireland are too concerned about members of other ethnic groups and not enough about the Irish.	1	2	3	4	5
I am annoyed by the use of foreign language in advertising and other media.	1	2	3	4	5
In reports about crime the nationality of the criminal should not be mentioned.	1	2	3	4	5
Members of other ethnic groups have many positive characteristics that my group doesn't have.	1	2	3	4	5
Concerning the Irish or the Republic of Ireland I like to speak of it as "us".	1	2	3	4	5

What is your opinion?	Not at all correct 				Completely correct
	1	2	3	4	
I love a particular city or landscape, and that is _____.	1	2	3	4	5
The Irish should give up more to provide a home to people who are being persecuted.	1	2	3	4	5
I am sick of being insulted because I am Irish.	1	2	3	4	5
When I'm in a foreign country, it annoys me to meet so many Irish there.	1	2	3	4	5
People from other counties of Ireland are strangers for me.	1	2	3	4	5
I would be happy if Ireland became a multicultural society.	1	2	3	4	5
In our overpopulated world it is better for more immigrants to come to Ireland than for the Irish to have more children.	1	2	3	4	5
I sometimes feel like a foreigner in my own country.	1	2	3	4	5

What is your opinion?	Not at all correct 				Completely correct
	1	2	3	4	
Historically Jews have caused a lot of harm.	1	2	3	4	5
Jews have too much influence in the world.	1	2	3	4	5
I am ashamed that so many crimes have been committed against Jews.	1	2	3	4	5
I believe that many people don't dare to express their real opinion about Jews.	1	2	3	4	5
Many Jews today try to benefit from their role as persecuted victims in the past and to make others pay.	1	2	3	4	5
The remembrance of the Holocaust is being exaggerated and is being misused for threats.	1	2	3	4	5

**Please answer a few questions about yourself.**

<b>Your age:</b> _____ years old	<b>Sex:</b> <input type="checkbox"/> female <input type="checkbox"/> male
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**Do you have siblings?**  no  yes, number \_\_\_\_\_, Age(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**Highest school level completed:**  did not complete secondary school  University degree  
 Leaving Certificate  Other Diploma

**Family status:**  single  divorced  
 married/ living with a partner  widowed  
 separated

**How many children do you have?** number: \_\_\_\_\_ age(s): \_\_\_\_\_

**How many children live with you?**  none  some number: \_\_\_\_\_, ages: \_\_\_\_\_

**Where do you live?**  in the country/a small town (less than 10,000 people)  
 a city (10,000 to 100,000 people)  
 a large city (over 100,000 people)

**Employment:** Yourself:  no  yes position: \_\_\_\_\_  
Your partner::  no  yes position: \_\_\_\_\_

**After deductions your household income is:**  under € 6,000 per annum  € 30,000 to € 41,999 per annum  
 € 6,000 to € 17,999 per annum  € 42,000 to € 59,999 per annum  
 € 18,000 to € 29,999 per annum  over € 60,000 per annum

**Do you belong to a religious community?** Please name the religious community you belong to.

\_\_\_\_\_

**Do your children belong to the same religious community as you?**

yes

no, they belong to: \_\_\_\_\_

**In what county were you born?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What county do you currently live in?** \_\_\_\_\_

**What nationality do you belong to ?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Thank you for your cooperation!**