

## School's Questionnaire

1. In total there were 35 responses: 20 boys and 15 girls, aged between 10 and 11 years old.
2. 19 live in Danbury, 16 from surrounding areas.
3. 5 walk to school, 4 cycle, 1 walks/cycles/travels by car, 1 walks/travels by car, 24 travel by car
4. What children like about Danbury:

What do you like about Danbury?	Number	Percentage of Children
It's small and quiet	5	14.3
The people are kind/nice	4	11.4
Everything	3	8.6
Feel safe	3	8.6
It is a very controlled area	1	2.9
Community areas	1	2.9
Good Community	1	2.9
It is a nice neighbourhood	1	2.9
<b>Total Community</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>51.6</b>
Woods	4	5.7
Danbury Common	4	5.7
Nature	2	5.7
Wildlife	1	2.9
Fields	1	2.9
<b>Total Countryside and Nature</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>22.9</b>
The park (it's fun and safe)	4	5.7
Places to mountain bike	3	8.6
Openness and space (to walk dogs and run)	2	5.7
Outdoors	2	5.7
It is easy to walk everywhere	1	2.9
Parks to play in	1	2.9
Playing fields	1	2.9
The tennis club	1	2.9
<b>Total Recreation</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>37.3</b>
<b>Total</b>	<b>46</b>	

5. What children don't like about Danbury:

What don't you like about Danbury?	Number	Percentage of children
Busy roads	3	8.6
The houses	3	8.6
Not enough for young people to do	2	5.7
No local restaurants	2	5.7
Cyclists going through red lights	1	2.9
People going through red lights	1	2.9
Too many houses being built	1	2.9
The park	1	2.9
People littering and not taking care of their surroundings	1	2.9
<b>Total</b>	<b>15</b>	

6. What activities children participate in:

What do you like doing in your free time?	Number	%	Can you do this in Danbury?		How Good is this?				How do you get there?			
			Yes	No	Really Good	Good	Not sure/okay	Not Good	Walk	Cycle	Bus	Drive
Biking	8	22.9	6	1	6				2	5		2
Playing with my friends	5	14.3	4	1	4	1			3	2		1
Computers, xbox, video games	5	14.3	4		3							2
Football	4	11.4	2	4	2	1	1		2			4
Trampolining	3	8.6	1	2	3				2	1		2
Going to the park/fields/outside	3	8.6	2	1	2	1			1	1		1
Walk/walk the dogs	3	8.6	2		2				2	1		1
Read	3	8.6	3		3							1
Gym	2	5.7		2			1					1
Sport	2	5.7	1	1		1						1
Swimming	2	5.7	2	1	1	1						2
Tennis	2	5.7	2		1	1						2
Baking	2	5.7	1				2		1			1

Quad Bike	1	2.9		1								
Dance	1	2.9	1				1					1
Running	1	2.9	1		1				1			1
Table Tennis	1	2.9	1			1						1
Ice skating	1	2.9		1		1						1
Watersports	1	2.9		1	1				1	1		1
Making things	1	2.9	1				1					1
Art	1	2.9	1				1					1
Write	1	2.9	1									
Cooking	1	2.9	1		1							1
Photography	1	2.9	1		1							1
Piano	1	2.9	1		1				1			
<b>Total</b>	<b>56</b>		<b>39</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>30</b>

7. Which parks do you use?

Dawsons field	30
None	2
Near me	2
Danbury common	2
All	1
Danbury park	1
Scrubs wood	1

8. 7, children said that the parks are really good, 24 said that they were good and 3 thought that they were okay.

9. 16 said that there aren't enough parks and 15 said that there are.

10. What the children think would make the parks better:

More play equipment	5	slides, zip line, swings, net swing, hand stand wall, gym equipment, taller climbing frame
Bigger park	5	
More football goals	5	Smaller, with nets
Better paths	1	
A quad track	1	
Keep the goals locked in	1	
More things for older children	1	
More facilities	1	
More woodland	1	
More activities	1	
Bike track	1	

11. What additional things the children would like to see in Danbury:

Shops	8	Nike, Adidas, Supermarkets, Sweet Shops, pet shop, Poundland, Mountain Bike Shop
Fast Food Restaurants	4	KFC, McDonalds
Restaurants	3	Nandos
BMX/Bike Tracks	3	
Swimming Pool	3	With a wave machine
Theme park	2	
A quad track	1	
Paintballing	1	
Driving Range	1	
More flowers	1	
Cinema	1	
High Ropes	1	
Spa Centre	1	
One more park	1	
Smaller Houses, cheaper for younger people to have	1	
Water Park	1	

12. What the children would like Danbury to be like in the future:

The same	6
Peaceful	3
Fewer houses to be built	2
Just as natural	3
Kind	2
More attractive to younger people and cheaper houses	2
With a good job and a family	1
A place that is available for all sports	1
Calm and lots of shops	1
Have nice houses	1
I don't know	1
A city	1
Happy	1

More people stop at red traffic lights	1
Colourful	1
A nice countryside community area	1
No more houses	1
Litter free	1
Safer with roads	1
A small village separate to Chelmsford	1

13. 12 children would like to live in Danbury when they are older. Reasons given include: it is peaceful, there are nice houses, like the area, Danbury Common, lots of fields and the country roads.

19 children do not wish to stay in Danbury. Reasons include wanting to live and work in London, Chelmsford, a city or abroad, wanting to explore places, there are too many cars, lorries and houses.

14. What type of house the children would like to when they are older:

Type of house	Number	%
Mansion	8	23.5%
A big house	4	11.8%
3 bedroom house	2	5.9%
Bungalow	2	5.9%
Detached house	2	5.9%
A cottage	1	2.9%
A flat	1	2.9%
A house a little bit smaller than a mansion	1	2.9%
A house big enough for me and my family	1	2.9%
An American Apartment in Danbury	1	2.9%
An expensive house	1	2.9%
An old semi-detached house	1	2.9%
Close to a bike track	1	2.9%
Decent size house	1	2.9%
Decently sized house	1	2.9%
Detached	1	2.9%
Detached	1	2.9%
Don't know	1	2.9%
Normal house	1	2.9%
Not a bungalow or flat	1	2.9%
On a farm	1	2.9%
<b>Total</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>100.0%</b>

15. Most children (71%) said that they would not like to work in Danbury in the future and a wide variety of potential careers were listed. Of the 5 that would, potential careers were a farmer/tree surgeon or shop owner.
16. The main shops that are used by the children are: The coop (80%), Tesco (34%), and Premier (23%). Other less used stores are the Bakery (17%), Esso (9%), Tea on the Green (9%) and the Chemist (6%).
17. Shops that the children think Danbury needs:

<b>Shop Type</b>	<b>Number</b>	<b>Percentage of children</b>
Sweet shop	8	22.9%
Sportswear/Clothing	8	22.9%
Supermarket	8	22.9%
Restaurants	5	14.3%
Yamaha/music	3	8.6%
Poundland	2	5.7%
Hobby Craft	2	5.7%
Sports	2	5.7%
Pet shop	1	2.9%
None	1	2.9%
Hobby Shop	1	2.9%
Little markets	1	2.9%
Shopping Centre	1	2.9%
Cinema	1	2.9%
Bigger post office	1	2.9%
Flowers	1	2.9%
Motorbike	1	2.9%
Toy shop	1	2.9%
Book shop	1	2.9%
The Works	1	2.9%
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