

The Mindsets Actions Research (MARch) Project

Actions Tool: V1 School version [14-18 yr students] - English

Instructions

- These questions will help us understand the activities that you take part in, your experiences and the opportunities that you have access to. Learning about your interests and challenges will help us get to know you better.
 - Answer the 20 questions below as best as you can remember. If you have done any of the activities at least once, please choose "Yes" and tell us approximately how many times.
 - If you have never done the activity, please choose "No" and share reasons why in part (B).
 - This is not a test and will not count towards any marks. Feel free to be honest and open about your experiences.
 - Please remember that there are no right or wrong answers. It is OK if you have not done any of these things or all of them!
 - It is completely normal if you feel many different emotions while answering these questions. If you would like to speak to someone about how you feel, please talk to your instructor or anyone that you feel comfortable with.
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1A. Have you traveled alone (by yourself) in your town on foot or by using local transportation (auto, bus, train, etc)?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

1B. If 'No, never' for "Have you traveled alone (by yourself) in your town on foot or by using local transportation (auto, bus, train, etc)?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

2A. Have you run an errand alone (by yourself), such as buying items from a shop, picking up something for your family/home?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

2B. If 'No, never' for "Have you run an errand alone (by yourself), such as buying items from a shop, picking up something for your family/home?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity

(d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

3A. Have you spoken in front of a large group of people or given a speech?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

3B. If 'No, never' for "Have you spoken in front of a large group of people or given a speech?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

4A. Have you had a discussion with or challenged a figure of authority (for example parents, teachers, elders) to be able to do something that was important to you?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

4B. If 'No, never' for "Have you had a discussion with or challenged a figure of authority (for example parents, teachers, elders) to be able to do something that was important to you?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

5A. Have you failed at doing something, but kept trying and eventually made progress?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

5B. If 'No, never' for "Have you failed at doing something, but kept trying and eventually made progress?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

6A. Have you been a leader in an activity outside of studies, such as sports, theater, art, etc (leading others or managing something)?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

6B. If 'No, never' for "Have you been a leader in an activity outside of studies, such as sports, theater, art, etc (leading others or managing something)?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

7A. Have you taught yourself or independently learned a new skill?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

7B. If 'No, never' for "Have you taught yourself or independently learned a new skill?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

8A. Have you helped out / helped others in your community, such as by supporting relief efforts, organising a festival or function, etc?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

8B. If 'No, never' for "Have you helped out / helped others in your community, such as by supporting relief efforts, organising a festival or function, etc?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

9A. Have you tried something that you thought was scary or which made you anxious?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes

- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

9B. If 'No, never' for "Have you tried something that you thought was scary or which made you anxious?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

10A. Have you started a personal project / business / social enterprise (on your own or with friends) outside of the *Business Blasters* program?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

10B. If 'No, never' for "Have you started a personal project / business / social enterprise (on your own or with friends) outside of the Business Blasters program?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

11A. Have you asked for feedback about yourself from someone (for example, teachers, family, brothers/sisters, friends)?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

11B. If 'No, never' for "Have you asked for feedback about yourself from someone (for example, teachers, family, brothers/sisters, friends)?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

12A. Have you asked for help when something was difficult or unclear?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

12B. If 'No, never' for "Have you asked for help when something was difficult or unclear?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

13A. Have you said no to doing something because you felt it was wrong (or because it did not match with your values)?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

13B. If 'No, never' for "Have you said no to doing something because you felt it was wrong (or because it did not match with your values)?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

14A. Have you identified and expressed the emotions that you feel?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

14B. If 'No, never' for "Have you identified and expressed the emotions that you feel?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

15A. Have you changed someone's opinion about something that was important to you?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

15B. If 'No, never' for "Have you changed someone's opinion about something that was important to you?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to

- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

16A. Have you done something that you really enjoyed even though you had to do it alone?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

16B. If 'No, never' for "Have you done something that you really enjoyed even though you had to do it alone?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

17A. Have you done something that was important to you even though most people around you said that you should not?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

17B. If 'No, never' for "Have you done something that was important to you even though most people around you said that you should not?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

18A. Have you changed something you were doing because you were unhappy?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

18B. If 'No, never' for "Have you changed something you were doing because you were unhappy?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

19A. Have you asked someone difficult questions or questions that made you feel uncomfortable?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

19B. If 'No, never' for "Have you asked someone difficult questions or questions that made you feel uncomfortable?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

20A. Have you thought things through before making an important decision (for example, weighing the pros and cons, thinking about all options, thinking about how it will impact you and others)?

- (a) No, never
- (b) Almost never
- (c) Sometimes
- (d) Almost always
- (e) Yes, always

20B. If 'No, never' for "Have you thought things through before making an important decision (for example, weighing the pros and cons, thinking about all options, thinking about how it will impact you and others)?", please share why:

- (a) did not need to
- (b) did not want to
- (c) wanted to, but did not have the opportunity
- (d) was not allowed (by family / caregiver / teacher)

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