

YOUTH ENGAGEMENT PROGRAMME: SEEKING THE VIEWS OF STUDENTS  
AT DYCE ACADEMY

This questionnaire will help the Interlink group put forward your ideas on the future developments of Aberdeen.

Please answer each question in as much detail as you can.



Where do you think the City Centre is?

Name the roads/areas that make up the city centre in your view

UNION STREET, UNION TERRACE GARDENS

Who uses the City Centre?

Shoppers, people eating

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

Shops, restaurants

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

think Union street looks really tacky with all the pound shops + charity shops ~~trips~~ etc.

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

trains, walking, buses

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

Unpredictable.

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Who uses the City Centre?

Humans and pigeons

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

A music store  
A french cheese shop  
A fancy attire shop  
A Record shop

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

Puzzled.

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

Legs curms bicycles

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

the scene, maybe even better 😊

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I think the city centre is union street.

Who uses the City Centre?

Everyone uses the city centre for different reasons.

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

Activity centres and places where people can do things eg shopping

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

I think when people use the city centre they feel happy that its there but sad at how its looked.

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

The best way to travel around the city centre is buses, cars, walking and anyother way.

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

bigger and have much more things to do

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Union Street, Union Square, Bon Accord, S<sup>t</sup> Nicholas

Who uses the City Centre?

Tourists, residents, everyone, children & elderly.

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

One massive shopping center instead of smaller shopping centers  
Expand Union Square to be even bigger

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

Union Square - Safe, Proud, happy, peaceful, awesome shops, great restaurants

Union Street - Afraid, unsafe, really messy, littered, crowded, stressed, cramped, not good shops, really busy, full of fumes and cigarette smoke

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

?

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

Modern, clean, friendly, less cars (unlikely to happen), no litter, nicer and better shops, eco-friendly, more room to walk freely especially union street.

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Who uses the City Centre?

Youths

Everyone

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

pubs, clubs, shops, Restaurants, cafes

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?  
Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed,  
peaceful.

Safe  
free  
peaceful

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?  
Think about people of different ages  
Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

Hover crafts  
Trams  
Buses

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

Very technological.

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Union Street, Union Square, St Nicolas Square  
& shopping centre Art Gallery, HMT, Union  
Terraced gardens trinity centre, Belmont  
Street, Broad street

Who uses the City Centre?

Shoppers, ~~the~~ workers, business men,  
~~etc~~

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

research facilities, creative spaces  
etc.

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

Union Square: proud & safe & clean

Union Street: ashamed, crowded, stressed, disturbed, cramped, unsatisfactory, polluted, dirty, muddy.

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

~~Walking~~ walking, Personal Rapid Transport Vehicles (PRT), Trams (not Edinburgh!)  
Think about it!

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

public - 1st priority

use of efficient Technology and Buildings (MASDAR!)

- innovative developments not what all cities can achieve like a regular attitude to pedestrians & transport
- use of ~~new~~ advanced modern & clean edge technology & techniques in building design

Thank you for your help.

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please contact me at



because I have alot I want say ~~it~~ about the city and How it could improved that I ~~can't~~ can't recall of at the moment  
Kind Regards.

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Union Street! - Union Square - Union Terrace Gardens -  
Trinity Centre St. Nicholas Centre etc. , Bon Accord Centre

Who uses the City Centre?

Public, tourists etc.

(everybody)

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

Shops, houses, restaurants, cafe's, pubs, clubs,  
gatherings, museums, hangout places, Art galleries  
hotels  
(everything that's already there)

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed, peaceful.

Crowded, it's loud, can be afraid in certain places

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

buses, walking, underground tunnels.

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

Cleaner and safer!

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Union  
Street

Who uses the City Centre?

well everyone I think

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

more shopping centers and  
swimming pools and another  
Ice rink.

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?  
Think about: safe, afraid, proud, ashamed, crowded, free, happy, sad, stressed,  
peaceful.

Happy, crowded oh and  
free as a bird.

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?  
Think about people of different ages  
Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

Trams, trains, ~~cars~~  
bus and walking.

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

new shop more shops,  
music in the centers.

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no prob.

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Union Square  
Trinity Centre  
Bon Accord  
St Nicholas

Who uses the City Centre?

everyone

What do you think should be located within the City Centre? (e.g. shops, houses, pubs)

Shops, pubs, attractions e.g. funfair,  
bowling, cinema

What do you as young people 'feel' when you use the City Centre?

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happy but ashamed of the dirtiness,  
e.g. streets floors, litter, smelliness

What are the best ways to travel around the City Centre?

Think about people of different ages

Think about different ways of travelling - cars, buses, bicycles something new

walk or bus

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

more modern

+ cleaner

Link from Aberdeen station to ABZ airport  
via dyce.

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Who uses the City Centre?

everyone

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Pet shops / Shelters

Shops

Ice rink

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happy, Crowded

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Cars,  
Trains

What do you think the City Centre should be like in 2035?

more shops

music in the Centers.  
Shopping

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