

### Home Life Questionnaire

The aim of this questionnaire is to give us a picture of your home life. We are interested in which activities you and your child enjoy doing together. Please answer the following questions as honestly as possible

**Please do not write your name or address on any part of this questionnaire so that we can make sure that this information is anonymous and confidential.**

1. Please tick how often someone at home does the following activities with your child:

	Never	Less than once a week	1 -3 three times a week	More than 3 times a week	Daily
Takes them to the shops	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Takes them to the park	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Plays role play games with them (e.g. making dinner, shopping, going into space, dressing up)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Takes them to visit friends or relatives	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Plays on an iPad, phone or console with them	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Reads or looks at books with them	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Takes them to the library	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Watches television with them	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Plays physical games with them (e.g. football, skipping)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Does creative or messy play with them (e.g. drawing, painting, sand, mud, water play).	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Please think about times when you read **on your own**. Please rate the following statements:

	Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Don't know	Agree	Strongly Agree
I feel confident in my reading ability	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I find reading enjoyable	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
I feel relaxed when I am reading	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
It is difficult to find the time to read	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

3. **On a typical day**, how much time do **you** spend reading for **pleasure** (e.g. reading books, electronic books, magazines, newspapers, blogs etc.)?

I never read for pleasure ☐ 0 – ½ hour ☐

½ hour – 1 hour ☐ 1 – 1 ½ hours ☐

More than 1 ½ hours ☐

4. Please have a guess at the number of **non-children's** (i.e. adult) books in your household (please include both paper books and electronic books).

No books ☐ 1-20 books ☐ 21-40 books ☐

41-60 books ☐ More than 60 books ☐

5. Please have a guess at the number of **children's** books in your household. (Please include both paper books and electronic books).

No books ☐ 1-20 books ☐ 21-40 books ☐

41-60 books ☐ More than 60 books ☐

6. In a **typical week**, how often do you or other members of the family, read books to your child? (Please consider both paper and electronic books)

	Never	1 – 2 times	3 – 4 times	5 – 6 times	More than 6 times
At bedtime	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
At other times	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

7. How old was your child when you started reading with them?

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| Birth - 6 months      | <input type="radio"/> | 7 months – 12 months | <input type="radio"/> |
| 13 months- 24 months  | <input type="radio"/> | 25 – 36 months       | <input type="radio"/> |
| I haven't started yet | <input type="radio"/> |                      |                       |

8. When reading a book with your child, on average, how interested in the book are they?

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|-----------------------|-----------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------------|
| Not interested at all | <input type="radio"/> | Slightly interested | <input type="radio"/> | Quite interested | <input type="radio"/> |
| Very interested       | <input type="radio"/> | Don't know          | <input type="radio"/> |                  |                       |

9. When reading to your child do you ever teach them how to read or sound out the words (e.g. point to the words and sound out the letters C-A-T)?

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|---------|-----------------------|--------|-----------------------|--------------|-----------------------|
| Never   | <input type="radio"/> | Rarely | <input type="radio"/> | Occasionally | <input type="radio"/> |
| Usually | <input type="radio"/> | Always | <input type="radio"/> |              |                       |

**You have finished!**  
**Thank you very much for your time and effort.**