

Participant Questionnaire/Survey – Template

How to adapt this Survey for your own project/organization:

This survey was developed in January 2025, based on the [Goodpush Collective Theory of Change](#), which is a shared impact measurement framework for social skateboarding projects to collect data on how our activities will create the positive change we want to see for our participants.

To tailor this survey to your own project, replace the [PROJECT NAME] (highlighted in yellow) with your own project or organization's name and remove these instructions. You can either print out the survey forms, or share an online survey link directly with participants to fill – we've created a [survey template on Google Forms](#) that you can tailor to your project (you need to be signed into a Google account to copy the template). For children, it is helpful to have a staff member assist them by asking the questions and filling the form.

You can also add, edit or remove questions, however we recommend keeping questions #4-9 since these have been developed as key common questions to measure the collective (shared) impact of social skateboarding projects worldwide.

Instructions for conducting survey:

You can do the survey using paper handouts or by adapting our Google Form template [here](#).

If you choose to do the survey on paper, please use one sheet per student. If they are young or need help, you can ask the questions verbally and mark their answers, however, for confidentiality reasons do not write their name on the sheet.

*A note on “**sample size**”: Since it's not usually possible to survey all of your participants, we recommend surveying 30-40% of your participants if you have 100 participants or less, and 15-20% for projects with 100+ participants. (For example, if you have 50 regular participants, having 15-20 participants complete the survey should give a good representation.) To get responses that are representative of your whole group, randomly choose participants from different groups/days (or use online tool like wheelofnames.com to randomly select participants).*

Please read this out loud to the participant before beginning:

“The purpose of this survey is to learn about the experiences of the people coming to [PROJECT NAME]. This survey is voluntary and confidential. That means that if you do not feel like answering the questions you do not have to, and you can stop at any time. It also means that your name will not be attached with your answers and only the person interviewing you will know your answers.

There are no wrong answers. Please answer the statements as truthfully as possible for you. This survey will help [PROJECT NAME] to make our activities a better experience for everyone. Thank you for your time!”

[PROJECT NAME] Participant Survey

1. What is your age?

☐ _____

2. What is your gender?

- ☐ Girl/woman
- ☐ Boy/man
- ☐ Non-binary
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☐ Other: _____

3. How long have you been attending [PROJECT NAME] activities?

- ☐ 1-3 months
- ☐ 3-6 months
- ☐ 6-12 months
- ☐ More than one year

During [PROJECT NAME] activities:

4. Did you have fun?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

5. Did you feel safe?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

Can you say what made you feel safe or unsafe at [PROJECT NAME]? (optional)

6. Did you learn useful new skills?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

Can you describe one skill you learned and how you used it? (optional)

7. Did you make new friendships?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

8. Did your self-esteem and confidence levels increase?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

9. Since you joined **[PROJECT NAME]** activities, do you think you are more likely to still be skateboarding and/or doing other sports 5 or 10 years from now?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ Unsure
- ☐ No

10. Can you describe what you feel/how you feel when you are skateboarding?

Thank you for your time!