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NEW ZEALANDERS' ATTITUDES TO THE ENVIRONMENT



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How to fill out this questionnaire

To answer these questions all you have to do is to tick (✓) a box or boxes, or write in the space provided. After some questions, there is an instruction in **bold type** explaining what to do. Some questions may not apply to you, in which case there are instructions on which questions to go to next.

The questions cover a wide range of subjects, but no special knowledge is required and there are no right or wrong answers. We just want to know your *own personal opinions*.

Returning the questionnaire

When you have completed the questionnaire, please post it back in the reply-paid envelope, **as soon as you possibly can**.

Enjoy the questionnaire, and thank you for your help.

1. Which of these would you say is more important in preparing children for life...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

... to be obedient, ☒ 1

OR

... to think for themselves? ☐ 2

Can't choose ☐ 8

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2. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ON EACH LINE

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose
a. Private enterprise is the best way to solve New Zealand's economic problems	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8
b. It is the responsibility of the government to reduce the differences in income between people with high incomes and those with low incomes	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8

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- 3a Looking at the list below, please tick a box next to the **one** thing you think should be New Zealand's **highest priority**, the most important thing it should do.

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

New Zealand should...

	Highest priority (✓)
Maintain order in the nation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Give people more say in government decisions	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Fight rising prices	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Protect freedom of speech	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 8

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- b. And which **one** do you think should be New Zealand's **next highest priority**, the second most important thing it should do?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

New Zealand should...

	Next highest priority (✓)
Maintain order in the nation	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Give people more say in government decisions	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Fight rising prices	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Protect freedom of speech	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 8

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4. How much do you agree or disagree with each of these statements?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ON EACH LINE

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose	
a. We believe too often in science and not enough in feelings and faith	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	10
b. Overall, modern science does more harm than good	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	11
c. Any change humans cause in nature - no matter how scientific - is likely to make things worse	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	12
d. Modern science will solve our environmental problems with little change to our way of life	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	13

5. And please tick one box for each of **these** statements to show how much you agree or disagree with it.

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ON EACH LINE

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose	
a. We worry too much about the future of the environment and not enough about prices and jobs today	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	14
b. Almost everything we do in modern life harms the environment	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	15
c. Animals should have the same moral rights as human beings do	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	16
d. Human beings should respect nature because it was created by God	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	17

6. How much do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ON EACH LINE

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose	
a. People worry too much about human progress harming the environment	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	18
b. Nature would be at peace and in harmony if only human beings would leave it alone	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	19
c. In order to protect the environment, New Zealand needs economic growth	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	20
d. It is right to use animals for medical testing if it might save human lives	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	21
e. Nature is really a fierce struggle for survival of the fittest	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	22
f. Economic growth always harms the environment	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	23

7. Please tick **one** box to show which statement is closest to your views?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

- Nature is sacred because it is created by God
- Nature is spiritual or sacred in itself
- Nature is important, but not spiritual or sacred
- Can't choose

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8a. How willing would **you** be to pay **much higher prices** in order to protect the environment?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

- Very willing
- Fairly willing
- Neither willing nor unwilling
- Fairly unwilling
- Very unwilling
- Can't choose

(S)

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b. And how willing would **you** be to pay **much higher taxes** in order to protect the environment?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

- Very willing
- Fairly willing
- Neither willing nor unwilling
- Fairly unwilling
- Very unwilling
- Can't choose

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c. And how willing would **you** be to **accept cuts in your standard of living** in order to protect the environment?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

- Very willing
- Fairly willing
- Neither willing nor unwilling
- Fairly unwilling
- Very unwilling
- Can't choose

(S)

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9. How much do you agree or disagree with **each** of these statements?

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX
ON EACH LINE

	Strongly agree	Agree	Neither agree nor disagree	Disagree	Strongly disagree	Can't choose	
a. It is just too difficult for someone like me to do much about the environment	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	28
b. I do what is right for the environment, even when it costs more money or takes more time	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	29

10. For each statement below, just tick the box that comes closest to your opinion of how true it is.

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX
ON EACH LINE

	Definitely true	Probably true	Probably not true	Definitely not true	Can't choose	
a. 'All radioactivity is made by humans'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	30
b. 'Antibiotics can kill bacteria, but not viruses'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	31
In your opinion, how true is this?						
c. 'Astrology - the study of star signs - has some scientific truth'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	32
d. 'Human beings developed from earlier species of animals'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	33
e. 'All man-made chemicals can cause cancer if you eat enough of them'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	34

11. And for each of **these** statements, just tick the box that comes closest to your opinion of how true it is.

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ON EACH LINE

	Definitely true	Probably true	Probably not true	Definitely not true	Can't choose	
a. 'If someone is exposed to any amount of radioactivity, they are certain to die as a result'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	35
b. 'Some radioactive waste from nuclear power stations will be dangerous for thousands of years'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	36
c. 'The greenhouse effect is caused by a hole in the earth's atmosphere'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	37
In your opinion, how true is this?						
d. 'Every time we use coal or oil or gas, we contribute to the greenhouse effect'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	38
e. 'All pesticides and chemicals used on food crops cause cancer in humans'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	39
f. 'Human beings are the main cause of plant and animal species dying out'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	40
g. 'Cars are not really an important cause of air pollution in New Zealand'	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 8	41

12a. In general, do you think that **air pollution caused by cars** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
... extremely dangerous for the environment,	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
very dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
somewhat dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
not very dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
or, not dangerous at all for the environment?	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

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b. And do you think that **air pollution caused by cars** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
... extremely dangerous for you and your family,	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
very dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
somewhat dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
not very dangerous,	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

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c. Within the next ten years, how likely do you think it is that there will be a large increase in ill-health in New Zealand's cities as a result of **air pollution caused by cars**?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Certain to happen	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Very likely to happen	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Fairly likely to happen	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Not very likely to happen	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
or- Certain <u>not</u> to happen?	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

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13a. In general, do you think that **nuclear power stations** are ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for the environment,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for the environment?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

b. And do you think that **nuclear power stations** are ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for you and your family,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

14a. In general, do you think that **air pollution caused by industry** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for the environment,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for the environment?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

b. And do you think that **air pollution caused by industry** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for you and your family,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

15a. In general, do you think that **pesticides and chemicals used in farming** are ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for the environment,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for the environment?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

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b. And do you think that **pesticides and chemicals used in farming** are ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for you and your family,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

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16a. In general, do you think that **pollution of New Zealand's rivers, lakes and streams** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for the environment,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for the environment?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

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b. And do you think that **pollution of New Zealand's rivers, lakes and streams** is ...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

(✓)

... extremely dangerous for you and your family,

☐ 1

very dangerous,

☐ 2

somewhat dangerous,

☐ 3

not very dangerous,

☐ 4

or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?

☐ 5

Can't choose

☐ 6

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17a. In general, do you think that a rise in the world's temperature caused by the 'greenhouse effect' is ...

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ONLY

- ... extremely dangerous for the environment,
 very dangerous,
 somewhat dangerous,
 not very dangerous,
 or, not dangerous at all for the environment?
 Can't choose

(✓)

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b. And do you think that a rise in the world's temperature caused by the 'greenhouse effect' is ...

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ONLY

- ... extremely dangerous for you and your family,
 very dangerous,
 somewhat dangerous,
 not very dangerous,
 or, not dangerous at all for you and your family?
 Can't choose

(✓)

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18a. If you had to choose, which one of the following would be closest to your views?

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ONLY

Government should let **ordinary people** decide for themselves how to protect the environment, even if it means they don't always do the right things

(✓)

1

OR

Government should pass laws to make **ordinary people** protect the environment, even if it interferes with people's rights to make their own decisions

2

Can't choose

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b. And which one of the following comes closest to your views?

PLEASE TICK ONE BOX ONLY

Government should let **businesses** decide for themselves how to protect the environment, even if it means they don't always do the right things

(✓)

1

OR

Government should pass laws to make **businesses** protect the environment, even if it interferes with business' rights to make their own decisions

2

Can't choose

6

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- 19a. How often do you make a special effort to **sort glass or metal or plastic or paper and so on** for recycling?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Always	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Often	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Sometimes	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Never	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
(Recycling not available where I live)	<input type="checkbox"/> 5

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- b. And how often do you make a special effort to **buy fruits and vegetables grown without pesticides or chemicals?**

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Always	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Often	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Sometimes	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Never	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
(Not available where I live)	<input type="checkbox"/> 5

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- c. And how often do you refuse to eat meat for moral or environmental reasons?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Always	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Often	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Sometimes	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Never	<input type="checkbox"/> 4

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- d. And how often do you cut back on driving a car for environmental reasons?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Always	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Often	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Sometimes	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Never	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
(I do not have or cannot drive a car)	<input type="checkbox"/> 5

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20. Are you a member of any group whose main aim is to preserve or protect the environment?

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

	(✓)
Yes	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
No	<input type="checkbox"/> 2

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21. In the last **five years**, have you...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ON EACH LINE

	Yes, I have	No, I have not
... signed a petition about an environmental issue?	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
...given money to an environmental group?	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
...taken part in a protest or demonstration about an environmental issue?	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 2

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22. Please tick one box below to show which statement comes closest to expressing what you believe about God.

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

I don't believe in God	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1
I don't know whether there is a God and I don't believe there is any way to find out	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
I don't believe in a personal God, but I do believe in a Higher Power of some kind	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
I find myself believing in God some of the time, but not at others	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
While I have doubts, I feel that I do believe in God	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
I know God really exists and I have no doubts about it	<input type="checkbox"/> 6
Can't choose	<input type="checkbox"/> 8

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23. Would you describe the place where you live as...

PLEASE TICK **ONE** BOX ONLY

a big city,	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1
the suburbs or outskirts of a big city,	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
a small city or town,	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
a country village,	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
a farm or home in the country?	<input type="checkbox"/> 5

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ABOUT YOURSELF

So that we can be sure we have a good cross section of people in our survey, would you please answer the following questions about yourself and your household. Remember that all responses remain **STRICTLY CONFIDENTIAL**.

46. Please indicate the year in which you were born:

Year: 19

47. What is your sex?

Male

Female

48. Which of these categories best describes your **current** marital status?

(✓)

Married/living with partner

Widowed

Divorced

Separated

Single, never married

49. How many years of **full-time** education have you had? (including primary, secondary and tertiary).

Number of Years

50. Which of these categories best describes your **highest** level of formal education?

(✓)

No formal qualification

Primary school

Secondary school for up to 3 years

Secondary school for 4 years or more

Some university or other tertiary

Completed trade or professional qualification

Completed university degree

Other (please specify) _____

51. Which of these categories best describes your current employment status? (✓)

- Employed - full time (35+ hours weekly)
- Employed - part time (15-35 hours weekly)
- Employed - less than 15 hours/temporarily out of work
- Helping family member
- Unemployed or beneficiary
- Student
- Retired
- Housewife/husband - home duties
- Permanently disabled
- Other (Please specify) _____

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52. How many hours, on average, do you **usually** work in a normal week?

Number of hours:

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16-17

53. What is your **main** occupation?

**Please describe fully, using two words or more; for example, builder's labourer
not labourer, accounts clerk not clerk, deer farmer not farmer.**

Main occupation: _____

18-21

54. Do you supervise or are you responsible for the work of any other people?

Yes

1

No

2

--> PLEASE GO TO Q55

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If yes, how many people do you supervise?

Number of people:

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23-24

55. Which of these categories best describes your current employment status?

- Public sector (i.e., local government, Government)
- Publicly-owned private sector organisation
- Privately-owned private sector organisation
- Non-profit/Charity/Welfare organisation
- Self-employed

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56. If you are self-employed, how many **employees** do you currently have?

Number of employees

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57. Are you currently a member of a Trade Union?

Yes

1

No

2

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58. We would now like to ask some questions about the composition of your particular household. **EXCLUDING YOURSELF**, could you please complete the following table, ordering members of the household by age.

(If you are the only member of your household, please go to Question 61.)

Please circle the number of people in your household, *not counting yourself*, write in their ages, and then circle a '1' or a '2' for each to show whether they are male or female.

No of persons in household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Age (years)												
Sex: Male	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Female	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2

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If you are married or living with a partner, please go to Question 59. Otherwise, please go to question 61.

59. Which of the following categories best describes your **partner's or spouse's** current employment status?

(✓)

Employed - full time (35+ hours weekly)

1

Employed - part time (15-35 hours weekly)

2

Employed - less than 15 hours/temporarily out of work

3

Helping family member

4

Unemployed or beneficiary

5

Student

6

Retired

7

Housewife/husband - home duties

8

Permanently disabled

9

Other (Please specify) _____

10

PLEASE GO TO Q61

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60. What is your **partner's** or **spouse's** main occupation?

Please describe fully using two words or more; for example, builder's labourer not labourer, accounts clerk not clerk, deer farmer not farmer.

Spouse's/partner's main occupation _____

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61. When you were 16 years old, what was your **father's** main occupation?

Please describe fully using two words or more; for example, builder's labourer not labourer, accounts clerk not clerk, deer farmer not farmer.

Father's main occupation _____

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62. Generally speaking, in politics do you usually think of yourself as:

	(✓)
Democrat	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Green Party	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Labour	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Liberal	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
National	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
New Labour	<input type="checkbox"/> 6
New Zealand First	<input type="checkbox"/> 7
Social Credit	<input type="checkbox"/> 8
Other (please specify) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> 9
No particular party	<input type="checkbox"/> 10

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b. How strongly do you feel about that?

	(✓)
Very strongly	<input type="checkbox"/> 1
Fairly strongly	<input type="checkbox"/> 2
Not very strongly	<input type="checkbox"/> 3
Not at all strongly	<input type="checkbox"/> 4

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63. At the 1990 General Election, which Political Party did you vote for?

	(✓)
Didn't vote	<input type="checkbox"/>
Democrat	<input type="checkbox"/>
Green Party	<input type="checkbox"/>
Labour	<input type="checkbox"/>
Mana Motuhake	<input type="checkbox"/>
National	<input type="checkbox"/>
New Labour	<input type="checkbox"/>
Social Credit	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

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64. Which of the following categories best describes **your own** yearly income from all sources before tax?

	(✓)
\$10,000 or less	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,001 - \$15,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$15,001 - \$20,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$20,001 - \$25,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$25,001 - \$30,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$30,001 - \$40,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$40,001 - \$50,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$50,001 - \$70,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$70,001 or more	<input type="checkbox"/>

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65. Which of the following categories best describes the total yearly income of **everyone in your household** from all sources before tax?

	(✓)
\$10,000 or less	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$10,001 - \$15,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$15,001 - \$20,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$20,001 - \$25,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$25,001 - \$30,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$30,001 - \$40,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$40,001 - \$50,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$50,001 - \$70,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$70,001 or more	<input type="checkbox"/>

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66. In terms of your social status, which of the following categories do you think you fit into?

- (✓)
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| Lower class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Working class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Upper working/lower middle class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Middle class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Upper middle class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Upper class | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Don't know | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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67. What is your current religion?

- (✓)
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| Anglican (C of E) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Assemblies of God | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Baptist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Brethren | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Buddhist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Catholic | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Christian | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Jehovah's Witness | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Jewish | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Hindu | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Lutheran | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| | <input type="checkbox"/> |

- (✓)
- | | |
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| Mormon (Latter Day Saints) | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Methodist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Muslim | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Orthodox | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Pentecostal | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Presbyterian | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Protestant | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Ratana | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Salvation Army | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Seventh Day Adventist | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Other (please specify) _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| No Religion | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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68. How often do you attend a religious service?

- (✓)
- | | |
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| Never | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Less than once a year | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| About once or twice a year | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Several times a year | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| About once a month | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Two or three times a month | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Nearly every week | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Every week | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Several times a week | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Can't choose/Don't Know | <input type="checkbox"/> |

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70. Which of the following categories describe your ethnic origin?

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(✓)

European	<input type="checkbox"/>
N.Z. Maori	<input type="checkbox"/>
Samoaan	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Pacific Island Polynesian	<input type="checkbox"/>
Indian	<input type="checkbox"/>
Chinese	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other Asian	<input type="checkbox"/>
African	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other (please specify) _____	<input type="checkbox"/>

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71. Have you ever been unemployed during the last ten years?

NOTE: By unemployed we mean unable to get a paid job when you wanted one.

Yes ☐

No ☐

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And how many months have you been unemployed during the last ten years?
(Consider all times of unemployment)

Number of months:

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72. Which of the following categories best describes your current housing situation?

(✓)

- Own house (freehold or mortgaged) ☐ 1
- Rent: private rental market ☐ 2
- Rent: public or subsidised ☐ 3
- Rent: from employer ☐ 4
- Rent: other ☐ 5
- Boarding ☐ 6
- Living with parents or family ☐ 7
- House comes with job ☐ 8
- Other (please specify) _____ ☐ 9

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And in which area do you live?

(✓)

- Northland ☐ 1
- Auckland ☐ 2
- Thames Valley ☐ 3
- Bay of Plenty ☐ 4
- Waikato ☐ 5
- Tongariro ☐ 6
- East Cape ☐ 7
- Hawkes Bay ☐ 8
- Taranaki ☐ 9
- Wanganui ☐ 10
- Manawatu-Rangitikei ☐ 11

(✓)

- Horowhenua ☐ 12
- Wellington ☐ 13
- Wairarapa ☐ 14
- Nelson Bays ☐ 15
- Marlborough ☐ 16
- West Coast ☐ 17
- Canterbury ☐ 18
- Aorangi ☐ 19
- Clutha-Central Otago ☐ 20
- Coastal-North Otago ☐ 21
- Southland ☐ 22

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74. Do you live in a rural or urban area?

Rural

☐ 1

Urban

☐ 2

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75. What size of city or town do you live in?

(✓)

- Farm or rural property ☐ 1
- Village (under 1,000 people) ☐ 2
- Small town (1,000 to 9,999 people) ☐ 3
- Large town (10,000 to 29,999 people) ☐ 4
- Small city (30,000 to 49,999 people) ☐ 5
- Medium city (50,000 to 99,999 people) ☐ 6
- Large city (100,000 people or more) ☐ 7

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If you have any other comments you wish to add, on any of the topics raised in this questionnaire, we would welcome them. Please write them in the space provided below:

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