

Japanese Life Course Panel Survey of High School Graduates' Life and Attitudes

Administered by the "High School Graduates' Life and Attitudes Survey" research group.

Q.1 Which of the following describes your status as of October 2009? Please circle the one answer that applies.

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| Employment | 1 | Full-time company employee |
| | 2 | Government employee |
| | 3 | Self-employed |
| | 4 | Family business employee |
| | 5 | Non-regular employee (part-time, temporary, fixed contract etc.) |
| Education | 6 | Four-year university (including medical, dental and pharmacy programs) |
| | 7 | Junior college |
| | 8 | Specialized training college |
| | 9 | Public occupational training course |
| | 10 | Graduate school |
| Other | 11 | Non-traditional (adult) student |
| | 12 | Studying for entrance exams (including cram school) |
| | 13 | Unemployed but actively job searching |
| | 14 | Maternity or parental leave |
| | 15 | Receiving medical care |
| | 16 | At home (including homemakers and domestic workers) |
| | 17 | Nothing in particular |

Q.2 Overall, how satisfied are you with your own career path choices? Circle the number that best fits your feelings.

| Satisfied | Somewhat satisfied | Somewhat unsatisfied | Unsatisfied |
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| 1 | 2 | 3 | 5 |

Q.3 Are you currently working (full-time, part-time, or while going to school)? Please circle the one answer that applies.

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| 1 | I am currently working | → Please proceed to question 4 |
| 2 | I am not currently working | → Please proceed to question 9 |

Q.4 This section asks about the job you have now. In (a), enter the date you were hired for your current job. In (b) – (e), circle one answer to each question. In (f), please describe your current job.

(a) When did you start your current job?

Year:

Month:

(b) What is your employment status?

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| 1 | Manager or executive |
| 2 | Regular, full-time employee |
| 3 | Part-time, fixed term, or contract employee |
| 4 | Temporary agency employee |
| 5 | Contractor |

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| 6 | Self-employed or free-lance worker |
| 7 | Family business employee |
| 8 | Working at home |
| 9 | Other (please specify: _____) |

(c) Industry sector

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| 1 | Agriculture, forestry, fishing, or mining |
| 2 | Construction |
| 3 | Machinery, electronics, or automotive manufacturing |
| 4 | Other manufacturing |
| 5 | Utilities (electricity, gas, heat supply, water) |
| 6 | Transportation |
| 7 | Communications |
| 8 | Wholesale, retail, or restaurant |

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| 9 | Finance, insurance |
| 10 | Real estate |
| 11 | Personal service sector (hotels, hair salons, etc.) |
| 12 | Information services, surveys, or advertising |
| 13 | Medical, health, or social services |
| 14 | Other services (leasing, security, business contracting, etc.) |
| 15 | Government employee |
| 16 | Other (please specify: _____) |

(d) Company size (total number of employees at the main office and all branch offices, excluding part-time workers)

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|---|-------|---|---------|---|--------------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | 1-29 | 3 | 100-299 | 5 | 500-999 | 7 | Government employee |
| 2 | 30-99 | 4 | 300-499 | 6 | 1000 or more | | |

(e) Occupation type

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| 1 | Professional or technical fields requiring specialized expertise and skills (physicians, nurses, lawyers, teachers, care manager, care worker, etc.) |
| 2 | Management (section chief or higher in business or government) |
| 3 | Administrative staff (clerical workers handling bookkeeping and other office work in business or government) |
| 4 | Sales and marketing (retail, wholesale, shop assistants, realtors, insurance sales, outside sales representatives, etc.) |
| 5 | Skilled technicians and manufacturing-related workers (manufacturing, assembly, auto repair, construction, carpentry, electrical work, food processing, etc.) |
| 6 | Transportation and communications (truck and taxi drivers, sailors, mail carriers, radio dispatchers, etc.) |
| 7 | Public safety and security (police officers, firefighters, SDF personnel, security guards, etc.) |
| 8 | Farming, forestry, and fishing (farming, livestock, forestry, logging, aquaculture, fishing, etc.) |
| 9 | Service sector (barbers, hair stylists, home care helper, cooks, chefs, waiters, waitresses, flight attendants, etc.) |
| 10 | Other (please specify: _____) |

(f) Specific description of your work

Examples: Rice farmer, English teacher at a public junior high school, outside salesperson for cosmetics firm, caregiver at a welfare facility (home care helper), installing interior wiring at construction sites, manufacturing plastic toys at a factory, receptionist at a bank.

Q.5 How many hours do you usually work in a week? Please give separate answers for official working hours and overtime hours (holidays and after-hours). * If you have two or more jobs, please provide the total number of hours.

A. Official working hours

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| | | hours (per week) |
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B. Overtime hours (holidays and after-hours)

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| | | hours (per week) |
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Q.6 Please circle the one answer that applies with regards to how you feel about your working hours.

☐ 1 I wish to work longer hours

☐ 2 I am happy with my current working hours

☐ 3 I wish to work shorter hours

Q.7 At your current worksite, how satisfied are you with the following issues? For items A-J, circle the number of your satisfaction level.

| | Very satisfied | Somewhat satisfied | Somewhat dissatisfied | Dissatisfied |
|--|----------------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------|
| A. Work conditions (salary) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| B. Work conditions (working hours) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| C. Work conditions (vacation days) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| D. Opportunities for promotion or advancement | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| E. Opportunities to develop skills or expertise | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| F. Your relationships with your superiors | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| G. Your relationships with your colleagues | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| H. The company's line of business | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| I. Your own work duties | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| J. Job security | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| K. Benefits | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| L. Opportunities to leverage my education and training | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

Q.8 Do you wish to continue working for your company or running your business for the foreseeable future (the next five years or so)? Please circle the one answer that applies. Please also provide, in the box below, the reasons why you wish (or do not wish) to keep your job.

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| 1 | I plan to keep my job (business) for now |
| 2 | I am thinking about leaving my job (business) |

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| 3 | I am planning to leave my job (business) very soon |
| 4 | Don't know |

Reasons why you wish (or do not wish) to keep your job:

All survey takers are asked to answer all of the following questions.

Q.9 Circle the number of the last type of school you attended or currently attend.

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| 1 | High school | Go to question 10 |
| 2 | Four-year university (including medical, dental and pharmacy programs) | |
| 3 | Junior college | Go to question 9-1, 9-2 |
| 4 | Specialized training college | |
| 5 | Public occupational training course | |
| 6 | Graduate school | |
| 7 | Other (please specify: _____) | |

Q.9-1 Did you graduate from your last school, drop out, or are you currently enrolled? Circle the number of your answer.

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|---|-----------|---|-------------|---|--------------------|
| 1 | Graduated | 2 | Dropped out | 3 | Currently enrolled |
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Q.9-2 Circle one number below by your course of study in the last school you attended or currently attend.

(a) Four-year university (including medical, dental and pharmacy programs), graduate school, or junior college

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| 1 | Science and engineering |
| 2 | Agriculture (agriculture, forestry, fisheries, veterinary medicine, animal husbandry) |
| 3 | Social sciences (economics, business, commerce, law, |

(b) Specialized training college or public occupational training course

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|---|---|
| 1 | Science and technology, information and communications, construction, or machinery. |
| 2 | Agriculture, animal husbandry |
| 3 | Health-related (medical, dental, etc.) |

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| | political science, or sociology) | | |
| 4 | Humanities (literature, foreign languages, philosophy, history, or psychology) | 4 | Food services, nutrition, etc. |
| 5 | Education (school education, sports science, childcare) | 5 | Hair styling, cosmetology, etc. |
| 6 | Family and consumer sciences (homemaking, food science, apparel, or interior design interior) | 6 | Education, childcare, social welfare, etc. |
| 7 | Health sciences (medicine, dentistry, pharmacy, nursing) | 7 | Business, management, accounting, etc. |
| 8 | Fine arts (fine arts, music, design) | 8 | Apparel, fashion design, etc. |
| 9 | Other (please specify:) | 9 | Fine arts, culture, performing arts, foreign languages, etc. |
| | | 10 | Civil service exam prep course |
| | | 11 | Other (please specify:) |

Q.10 Did you engage in any training or personal development to assist you with your job during the past year? Please circle the one answer that applies.

Personal development means self-motivated activities to develop and improve professional skills. It does not include activities such as hobbies, leisure, sports, or for better health, that are not related to your career.

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| 1 | I did | → Please also answer questions 10-1 through 10-3 |
| 2 | I did not | → Please proceed to question 11 |

Q.10-1 Please circle all answers that apply with regards to any training that you received under orders from your employer.

| | | | |
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| 1 | Training at work | 5 | Other (Specify:) |
| 2 | Taking a course at school (e.g., university, specialized training college) | 6 | I did not receive any training under orders from my employer |
| 3 | Participating in a workshop/seminar/training session | 7 | I do not work |
| 4 | Taking a correspondence class | | |

Q.10-2 Please circle all answers that apply with regards to any personal development that you engaged in.

| | | | |
|---|--|---|--|
| 1 | Taking a course at school (e.g., university, specialized training college) | 5 | Other (Specify:) |
| 2 | Participating in a workshop/seminar/training session | 6 | I did not engage in any voluntary activities |
| 3 | Taking a correspondence class | | |
| 4 | Self-study/self-teaching (including TV/radio courses) | | |

Q.10-3 With regards to the benefits of the training/personal development you engaged in, for A through E, please circle the one answer that applies in each case.

| | Accurate | Not accurate | Don't know |
|---|----------|--------------|------------|
| A. I am now able to take on new tasks that are beyond my experience | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B. I earn more money | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C. I am being assigned tasks with heavier responsibilities | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| D. I was offered a promotion | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| E. I am able to demonstrate higher performance at work | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Q.11 Do you feel the need to engage in personal development for your current or future job? Please circle the one answer that applies.

- ☐ 1 I strongly feel the need
 ☐ 2 I somewhat feel the need
 ☐ 3 I do not feel the need

Q.12 Are there any barriers to engaging in personal development for work? Please circle all answers that apply.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 I have no time for personal development | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 I do not know where to learn |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Personal development entails high cost | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 I do not know what to learn |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Personal development does not lead to better assessment | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 No barriers in particular |

Q.13 What do you currently think about training and personal development? Please write your response in the box below.

Q.14 What is your average monthly after-tax income (including from your part-time jobs, but excluding bonuses)? Please circle the one answer that applies.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 I have no income | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 ¥120,000-¥139,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 11 ¥220,000-¥239,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Less than ¥50,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 7 ¥140,000-¥159,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 12 ¥240,000-¥259,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 ¥50,000-¥79,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 8 ¥160,000-¥179,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 13 ¥260,000-¥279,000 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 ¥80,000-¥99,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 9 ¥180,000-¥199,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 14 ¥280,000 or more |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 5 ¥100,000-¥119,000 | <input type="checkbox"/> 10 ¥200,000-¥219,000 | (Specify:) |

Q.15 How many times in total have you changed jobs since you graduated from high school? (This excludes any part-time jobs you had as a student or any relocation/transfer.) Please circle the one answer that applies. If you have changed jobs, please enter the number of times you have done so.

| | | | | |
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| 1 | I have never changed jobs | → | <div style="border: 1px solid black; width: 60px; height: 20px; display: flex; align-items: center; justify-content: center;"> <div style="border-right: 1px dashed black; width: 30px;"></div> <div style="width: 30px;"></div> </div> | times |
| 2 | I have changed my jobs | | | |

Q.16 How close are your beliefs to the following statements? Circle the appropriate number showing the accuracy of items A-S.

| | Very accurate | 2. Somewhat accurate | Slightly accurate | Not at all accurate |
|--|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|---------------------|
| A I don't really know what kind of work I want to do. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| B I think it is too early for me to decide what career I want. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| C I'm already worried about what path to take. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| D Grades in school determine your future. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| E I'd rather enjoy life now than in the future. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| F I have goals for ten years from now. | | | | |
| G I am worried about getting along well in society. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| H I don't want to accept a job I don't want while I'm young. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| I I am making an effort to get along well with people I don't like or find difficult. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| J I believe there is a connection between your grades at school and your ability to work well. | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

Q.17 In your daily life, how often are you troubled by or worried about the following things? Circle one number for each item.

| | Frequently | Occasionally | Never |
|--------------------------------------|------------|--------------|-------|
| A. Relationships with friends | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| B. Relationships with family members | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| C. Relationships with people at work | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| D. Making a living (income) | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| E. Having enough time | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| F. Health concerns | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| G. Romantic relationships | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| H. Work Issues | 1 | 2 | 3 |
| I. Future prospects | 1 | 2 | 3 |

Q.18 Who currently lives with you? Please circle all of the appropriate numbers.

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|---|-------------|---|-----------------|----|--------------------|
| 1 | Father | 5 | Grandmother | 9 | Non-relatives |
| 2 | Mother | 6 | Other relatives | 10 | Living alone |
| 3 | Siblings | 7 | Spouse | 11 | Other |
| 4 | Grandfather | 8 | Children | | (please specify:) |

Q.19 Do you have any children? Please circle the one answer that applies. If you do have children, please enter the number of children you have.

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|---|----------------------------|---|----------------------|--|----------|
| 1 | I do not have any children | 2 | I do have children → | | children |
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Q.20 How many hours a day do you spend engaging in the following activities at home? Please provide your answers for weekdays (work/school days) and holidays.

| | Weekdays (work/school days) | | | | Holidays | | | |
|--|-----------------------------|-------|--|---------|----------|-------|--|---------|
| A. Watching TV, reading newspapers/magazines, searching on the internet (collecting information) | | hours | | minutes | | hours | | minutes |
| B. Reading books, watching movies (on video, DVD, CD), listening to music (enjoying/appreciating) | | hours | | minutes | | hours | | minutes |
| C. Having conversations/communicating with friends and acquaintances on the phone/email/online chatting (conversation) | | hours | | minutes | | hours | | minutes |

Q.21 How frequently do you engage in the following activities? For A through G, please circle the one answer that applies in each case.

| | Almost every day | 3 to 4 times a week | Once or twice a week | 2 to 3 times a month | Once a month | A few times a year | Almost never |
|---|------------------|---------------------|----------------------|----------------------|--------------|--------------------|--------------|
| A. Going out with your family (including to eat) | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| B. Going out with your friends to spend time together/to eat | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| C. Learning and personal development activities, such as taking lessons and going to school | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| D. Exercising, including sports, jogging, gym, and dance | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| E. Relaxation, including going to spas and receiving massages | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| F. Going out to watch movies, plays, sports games, and to music concerts | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| G. Participating in community services, volunteer activities, and events for children | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |

Q.22 How do you spend your holidays? Please write your response in the box below.

Q.23 Recently, an increasing number of people are making a living doing part-time jobs without engaging in regular full-time employment, have no interest in pursuing education, employment, or vocational training (NEET=Not in employment, education or training), or remain single and continue to live with their parents. What do you think about these lifestyles? For A through V, please circle the one answer that applies in each case.

| | | Strongly agree | Somewhat agree | Somewhat disagree | Strongly disagree |
|----------------------------|--|----------------|----------------|-------------------|-------------------|
| [Living on part-time jobs] | A. With the decreasing number of job openings, it is inevitable | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | B. It helps in searching for the path one wishes to pursue | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | C. It is a result of an individual's apathy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | D. It is a result of inadequate career counseling at high school | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | E. It is not a big problem, as many of these people will eventually obtain proper jobs | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | F. People who work part-time to pursue their dream are cool | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | G. Anyone can become a part-time worker | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | H. Being a part-time worker causes a lasting disadvantage | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | I. Being a part-time worker is an honorable way of working | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| [NEET] | J. With the decreasing number of job openings, it is inevitable | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | K. If there is no need, one need not venture to work | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | L. Sometimes it takes time to find a path to pursue with confidence | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | M. In order to find the path one wishes to pursue, it is better to do something | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | N. It is a result of parents spoiling their children | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | O. It is a result of an individual's apathy | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | P. These people have difficulty communicating with others | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

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| [Living with parents] | Q. It is nice to have parents do household chores | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | R. It is better to leave home soon and become independent | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | S. Parents are happy living with their children, so it is a good thing | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | T. For people whose income is not enough to earn a living, it can't be helped | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | U. It is an advantage to be able to save living expenses and invest in what one loves | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| | V. Living with parents makes it difficult for one to marry | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

Q.24 If we were to divide the current Japanese society into five strata, to which stratum do you think you would belong? Please circle the one answer that best describes how you feel.

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|-------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------|------------|
| Upper class | Upper-middle class | Middle-middle class | Lower-middle class | Lower class | Don't know |
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

Q.25 Government expenditure includes spending on welfare and social services such as healthcare, social security, pensions, and education. There are typically two views, A and B, on the balance between taxes and spending on welfare and social services. Which of the two views is closer to your view? Please circle the one answer that best applies. As used here, "taxes" includes all taxes such as income tax and sales tax.

View A: We should cut taxes even if it means less expenditure on welfare and social services.

View B: We should increase expenditure on welfare and social services even if it means increased taxes.

1

I agree with view A

2

I agree with view B

3

Don't know

Q.26 In the next election, which party do you intend to vote for? Please circle the one answer that applies.

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Liberal Democratic Party

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Komeito

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Democratic Party

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Social Democratic Party

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Communist Party

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People's New Party

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Your Party

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Other (Specify:)

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I do not intend to vote

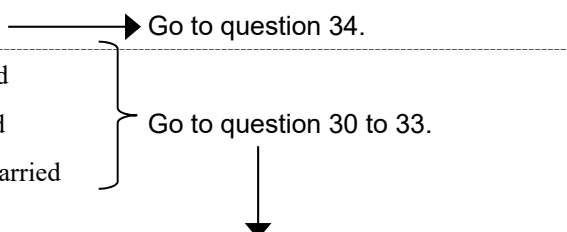
Q.27 When you are around 30 years old, what employment status would you like to have? Circle one number in the following list.

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|---|---|---|---|
| 1 | Working as a regular, full-time employee. | 6 | Working as a housewife or househusband. |
| 2 | Running my own business. | 7 | Other (please specify: _____) |
| 3 | Running my family's business. | 8 | Don't know. |
| 4 | Working independently without employees. | | |
| 5 | Working part-time. | | |

Q.28 By what age do you wish to experience the following life events? For A through D, please circle the one answer that applies in each case.

| | Already did | 22 to 25 | 26 to 29 | 30 to 34 | 35 or older | Not planning to |
|------------------------------|-------------|----------|----------|----------|-------------|-----------------|
| A. Live away from my parents | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| B. Marry | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| C. Have a first child | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| D. Buy your own house | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |

Q.29 What is your current marital status? Circle one number below

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| 1 | Married |  |
| 2 | Widowed | |
| 3 | Divorced | |
| 4 | Never married | |

Q.30 Do you currently have a boyfriend or girlfriend? Circle one number below.

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| 1 | Yes | 2 | No, but I did before | 3 | No, never |
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Q.31 How do you feel about getting married? Circle one answer in the list below.

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|---|---|---|------------------------------|---|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | I definitely want to get married. | 3 | I don't need to get married. | 5 | I haven't thought about marriage. |
| 2 | If possible, I would like to get married. | 4 | I don't want to get married. | | |

Q.32 In the past year, which of the following have you tried in order to find a boyfriend/girlfriend? Please circle all answers that apply.

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| 1 | Asked my parents/siblings to introduce me to someone | 8 | Attended a formal marriage interview |
| 2 | Asked a relative other than my parents/siblings to introduce me to someone | 9 | Attended a matchmaking party |
| 3 | Asked my friend/acquaintance/childhood friend to introduce me to someone | 10 | Searched online/on mobile phone |

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| 4 | Asked my coworker/boss at work to introduce me to someone | 11 | Started a conversation with a stranger on the street/while traveling |
| 5 | Attended class/participated in extracurricular/club activities at school | 12 | Registered with a dating/matchmaking service |
| 6 | Started hobbies/taken lessons | 13 | Other (Specify: _____) |
| 7 | Attended a singles party | 14 | Nothing in particular |

Q.33 What are the reasons why you are currently single? Please circle all answers that apply.

| | | | |
|---|--|----|---|
| 1 | I am still too young to marry | 8 | I have no time to see anyone |
| 2 | I do not feel the need to marry yet | 9 | I am not good at engaging in relationships |
| 3 | I want to focus on my work/studies for now | 10 | I have financial concerns about married life |
| 4 | I want to spend my time on hobbies and leisure for now | 11 | I want to deepen my current relationship |
| 5 | I have not found the right partner | 12 | I have not had an opportunity to make the decision to marry my current boyfriend/girlfriend |
| 6 | I do not want to lose my freedom and unencumbered life | 13 | I have not saved enough money for marriage |
| 7 | I am comfortable at my home | 14 | Other (Specify: _____) |

Q.34 How satisfied are you with your current life, on the whole? Please circle the one answer that applies.

| Satisfied | Somewhat satisfied | Somewhat unsatisfied | Unsatisfied |
|-----------|--------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

Q.35 In the space below, please share your thoughts on your experiences over the past year.