

ZA6916

Flash Eurobarometer 455 (European Youth)

**Country Questionnaire
Ireland (English)**

FL455 European YouthIEX

D1	Can I please ask your age?
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(WRITE DOWN - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '99')

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D2	Record Gender.
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Male

1

Female

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European Youth

DX8: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 7

DX8: CODES 9 AND 10 ARE EXCLUSIVE

DX8	In the last 12 months, have you participated in any activities of the following organisations?
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(READ OUT – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

A sports club	1,
A youth club, leisure-time club or any kind of youth organisation	2,
A cultural organisation	3,
A political organisation or a political party	4,
A local organisation aimed at improving your local community	5,
An organisation active in the domain of climate change or environmental issues	6,
An organisation promoting human rights or global development	7,
Any other non-governmental organisation	8,
None of these (DO NOT READ OUT)	9,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	10,

FL408 Q1 MODIFIED

DX9: CODES 5, 6 AND 7 ARE EXCLUSIVE

DX9	During the last 3 years, did you vote in any political election at the local, regional, national or EU level? If you were, at that time, not eligible to vote, please say so.
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(READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Yes, at local level	1,
Yes, at regional level	2,
Yes, at national level	3,
Yes, at EU level	4,
No, you did not vote in an election	5,
No, because you were not old enough to vote	6,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	7,

FL408 Q2

DX10: CODES 3 AND 4 ARE EXCLUSIVE

DX10 In the last 12 months, have you participated in any activities or projects aimed at fostering cooperation with youth from other countries?

(READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Yes, in activities or projects with young people from other European countries

1,

Yes, in activities or projects with young people from other continents

2,

No

3,

DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)

4,

FL408 Q9

Q1: MAX. 3 ANSWERS

Q1: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 8

Q1: CODES 10 AND 11 ARE EXCLUSIVE

Q1 In your opinion, which of the following topics should be a priority for the EU?

(READ OUT - MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

Protection of the environment and fight against climate change

1,

Freedom of movement

2,

Management of migratory flows and integration of refugees

3,

Security and defence

4,

Democratic participation

5,

Solidarity

6,

Education and skills

7,

Employment

8,

Other (DO NOT READ OUT)

9,

None (DO NOT READ OUT)

10,

DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)

11,

NEW

Q2: MAX. 3 ANSWERS

Q2: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 7

Q2: CODES 9 AND 10 ARE EXCLUSIVE

Q2 The European Solidarity Corps is a new initiative from the European Commission which creates opportunities for young people to volunteer or work in projects in their own country or abroad that benefit communities and people around Europe. In which of the following areas do you think that the EU should take action to encourage young people to express solidarity?

(READ OUT - MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

Reception and integration of third-country nationals	1,
Education and training	2,
Entrepreneurship	3,
Employment	4,
Welfare and social assistance	5,
Territorial cooperation and cohesion	6,
Citizenship and democratic participation	7,
Other (DO NOT READ OUT)	8,
None (DO NOT READ OUT)	9,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	10,

NEW

Q3: MAX. 3 ANSWERS

Q3: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 7

Q3: CODES 9 AND 10 ARE EXCLUSIVE

Q3 And in which of these other areas do you think that the EU should take action to encourage young people to express solidarity?

(READ OUT - MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

Response to disasters (prevention, preparedness and recovery)	1,
Protection of the environment and nature	2,
Health and well-being	3,
Provision of food and other basic items	4,
Physical education and sport	5,
Agriculture and rural development	6,
Creativity and culture	7,
Other (DO NOT READ OUT)	8,
None (DO NOT READ OUT)	9,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	10,

NEW

Q4: ROTATE STATEMENTS 1 TO 3

Q4 To what extent do you agree or disagree with each of the following statements?

(READ OUT - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

		Totally agree	Tend to agree	Tend to disagree	Totally disagree	DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)
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1	Learning about European matters, such as the functioning of the EU and its institutions, EU history or European culture, should be part of compulsory school education	1	2	3	4	5
2	National governments should strengthen school education about rights and responsibilities as EU citizens	1	2	3	4	5
3	European programmes and initiatives such as Erasmus+ and the European Solidarity Corps make you feel more European	1	2	3	4	5

NEW

Q5: MAX. 3 ANSWERS

Q5: ROTATE ANSWERS 1 TO 8

Q5: CODES 10 AND 11 ARE EXCLUSIVE

Q5	Young Europeans have been asked to give ideas for the future of Europe. From the following ideas, which three do you agree the most with?
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(READ OUT - MAX. 3 ANSWERS)

Easy access to information for young people who want to move and work abroad in order to encourage youth employment	1,
More opportunities for young people beyond the current formats of Erasmus+ or the European Solidarity Corps	2,
Organise events or roadshows to bring the EU to rural and remote areas	3,
Make information and news about the EU available through innovative media channels in multiple languages, such as films, series or simulation games	4,
Promote the EU and its values inside and outside the EU through volunteering	5,
Promote critical thinking and the ability to search for information in order to combat fake news and extremism	6,
Educate young people in creative and immersive ways through virtual reality, real-life experiences and cultural and artistic events	7,

Promote behaviour change through environmentally-friendly projects, such as sustainable transport or recycling systems across Europe	8,
Other (DO NOT READ OUT)	9,
None (DO NOT READ OUT)	10,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	11,

NEW

READ OUT: Organised volunteering can be defined as an activity, carried out through an organisation (association, foundation, etc.) or a group of people, that involves spending unpaid time working for a cause (e.g. climate change, human rights, etc.) or for those in need, other than close relatives. The choice to volunteer must be freely made by the individual.

Q6	In the last 12 months, have you been involved in any organised voluntary activities?
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(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Yes	1
No	2
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	3

FL408 Q3

ASK Q7 TO Q8 IF CODE 1 IN Q6, OTHERS GO TO Q9

Q7: CODE 5 IS EXCLUSIVE

Q7	Were these voluntary activities aimed at changing something in ?</td
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(READ OUT – MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Your local community	1,
Your country	2,
Other European countries	3,
Another part of the world	4,
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	5,

FL408 Q4

Q8	Did you receive a certificate, diploma or other formal recognition for your participation in these voluntary activities?
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(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Yes	1
No	2
DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)	3

FL408 Q6

ASK ALL

Q9: CODES 4, 5 AND 6 ARE EXCLUSIVE

Q9 Have you ever stayed abroad for the purpose of volunteering?

(READ OUT - MULTIPLE ANSWERS POSSIBLE)

Yes, for a period of less than 2 weeks

1,

Yes, for a period of 2 – 4 weeks

2,

Yes, for a period longer than 1 month

3,

No, even though you have had the opportunity to do so

4,

No, you haven't had the opportunity to do so

5,

DK/NA (DO NOT READ OUT)

6,

FL408 Q8 MODIFIED

D4 How old were you when you stopped full-time education?

(INT.: IF "STILL STUDYING", CODE '00' - IF "NO EDUCATION" CODE '01' - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '98' - IF "DK" CODE '99')

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D5a As far as your current occupation is concerned, would you say you are self-employed, an employee, a manual worker or would you say that you are without a professional activity?

(ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Self-employed

1

Employee

2

Manual worker

3

Without a professional activity

4

Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)

5

ASK D5b IF SELF-EMPLOYED, CODE 1 IN D5a

D5b Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Farmer, forester, fisherman

1

Owner of shop, craftsman

2

Professional (lawyer, medical practitioner, accountant, architect,...)

3

Manager of a company

4

Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)

5

ASK D5c IF EMPLOYEE, CODE 2 IN D5a

D5c Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Professional (employed doctor, lawyer, accountant, architect, ...)	1
General management, director or top management	2
Middle management	3
Civil servant	4
Office clerk	5
Other employee (salesman, nurse, ...)	6
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	7

ASK D5d IF MANUAL WORKER, CODE 3 IN D5a

D5d Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Supervisor\ foreman (team manager, ...)	1
Manual worker	2
Unskilled manual worker	3
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	4

ASK D5e IF WITHOUT A PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITY, CODE 4 IN D5a

D5e Would you say you are...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Looking after the home	1
Student (full time)	2
Retired	3
Seeking a job	4
Other\ Refusal (DO NOT READ OUT)	5

D12 Which county do you live in?

(READ OUT IF NECESSARY - ONE ANSWER ONLY)

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D13 Would you say you live in a...?

(READ OUT – ONE ANSWER ONLY)

Rural area or village	1
Small or middle sized town	2
Large town	3
DK (DO NOT READ OUT)	4

D18 Have you got a mobile phone?

(DO NOT READ OUT)

Yes

1

No

2

D20 Have you got a landline phone?

(DO NOT READ OUT)

Yes

1

No

2

D22 Could you tell me how many people aged 15 years or more live in your household, yourself included?

(WRITE DOWN - IF "DK" CODE '98' - IF "REFUSAL" CODE '99')

Number of people aged 15 or more in the household