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Respondent

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Anonymous

03:30

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- ☐ Dalry Secondary School
- ☐ Castle Douglas High School
- ☒ Kirkcudbright Academy

Out of catchment

Can you tell us a little about why you do not attend Dalry Secondary School.

5. Why do you choose *not* to attend Dalry Secondary School? (Select up to 3 options). *

Please select at most 3 options.

- ☒ It was my preferred choice of school
- ☒ My friends go to this school
- ☐ My brothers/sisters/family attend this school
- ☐ This school offers subjects and courses I want (or more choice)
- ☐ This school offers extra support I need (for example learning support)
- ☐ This school offers clubs, activities and sports I want
- ☐ Travel is easier or quicker (bus route, timings, distance, convenience)
- ☐ After-school arrangements work better (childcare, travel home, work, caring responsibilities)
- ☐ I moved house or my situation changed (e.g., relocation)
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☒ Because Daley school ends at s4 so I dient want to make friends there just to go to a different school

6. When did you start attending your current school? *

- ☒ S1
- ☐ S2
- ☐ S3
- ☐ S4

7. How do you travel to your current school? *

- ☐ School bus
- ☐ Public bus service
- ☐ Taxi
- ☐ Walk
- ☐ Own/Family car
- ☐ Cycle/Wheel
- ☒ Driven to castle Douglas then get a bus to Kirkcudbright

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Anonymous

02:45

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Anonymous

03:19

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- ☒ Because it is the closest school

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Out of catchment

Can you tell us a little about why you do not attend Dalry Secondary School.

5. Why do you choose *not* to attend Dalry Secondary School? (Select up to 3 options). *

Please select at most 3 options.

- ☒ It was my preferred choice of school
- ☐ My friends go to this school
- ☐ My brothers/sisters/family attend this school
- ☒ This school offers subjects and courses I want (or more choice)
- ☐ This school offers extra support I need (for example learning support)
- ☒ This school offers clubs, activities and sports I want
- ☐ Travel is easier or quicker (bus route, timings, distance, convenience)
- ☐ After-school arrangements work better (childcare, travel home, work, caring responsibilities)
- ☐ I moved house or my situation changed (e.g., relocation)
- ☐ Prefer not to say
- ☐ Other

6. When did you start attending your current school? *

- ☐ S1
- ☒ S2
- ☐ S3
- ☐ S4

7. How do you travel to your current school? *

- ☐ School bus
- ☒ Public bus service
- ☐ Taxi
- ☐ Walk
- ☐ Own/Family car
- ☐ Cycle/Wheel
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10. What are the biggest concerns to you if Dalry Secondary were to close? (Select up to 5 options).

No answer provided.

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07:33

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Sending all the pupils to Castle Douglas High School Because I am going there for high school because I have more friends there and then if Dalry Secondary School was to close I think the council should send all the pupils to Castle Douglas for S1 until S6 because there are at least 535 pupils there (according to history records of the school) so I think the council should make Castle Douglas the rural high school for pupils at Dalry Secondary.

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10:41

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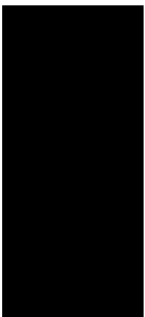
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04:30

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Anonymous

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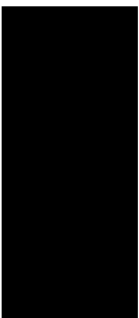
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Out of catchment

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- ☐ My brothers/sisters/family attend this school
- ☐ This school offers subjects and courses I want (or more choice)
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- ☐ This school offers clubs, activities and sports I want
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- ☐ After-school arrangements work better (childcare, travel home, work, caring responsibilities)
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- ☒ Prefer not to say
- ☐ Other

6. When did you start attending your current school? *

- ☒ S1
- ☐ S2
- ☐ S3
- ☐ S4

7. How do you travel to your current school? *

- ☐ School bus
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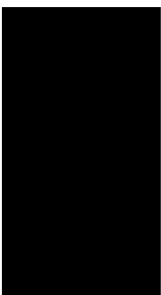
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03:56

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09:04

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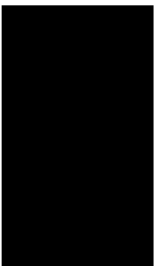
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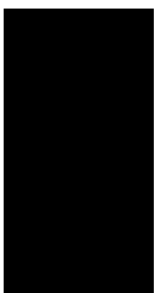
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03:00

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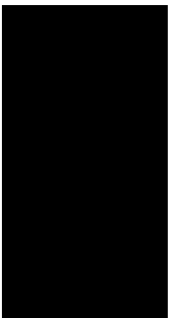
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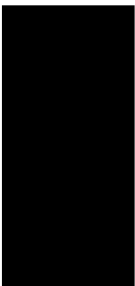
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Nursery to S2

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Respondent

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Respondent

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Anonymous

01:22

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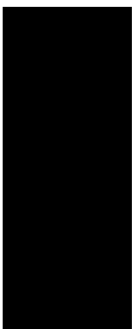
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Future of Dalry Secondary School

In this section, we're asking about you think might be positive or challenging if Dalry Secondary School stays open. There are no right or wrong answers - we want your honest views.

5. Overall, how do you feel about Dalry Secondary staying open?

- ☐ Strongly support
- ☐ Support
- ☒ Not sure / no strong view
- ☐ Do no support
- ☐ Strongly do not support

6. What do you think are the biggest benefits to you of keeping Dalry Secondary open? (Select up to 5 options).

Please select at most 5 options.

- ☐ Feeling safe and comfortable at school
- ☐ Good school facilities and resources (buildings, IT, specialist rooms and equipment)
- ☐ Breadth of classes or courses I want to do (subject choice)
- ☐ My confidence and wellbeing (managing change, transition, settling in)
- ☐ Travel time and daily journey (length of day, tiredness)
- ☐ Support for wellbeing and mental health
- ☐ Friendships and social life (seeing friends, making new friends)
- ☐ Quality of learning and teaching
- ☐ Impact on the local community (e.g., community pride, identity, local events)
- ☐ Support with learning (including any additional support needs)
- ☐ Time outside school (homework time, hobbies, family time, part-time work)
- ☐ How connected I feel to my local community (sense of belonging in the area)
- ☐ Getting the qualifications I want (National 5s, Highers, etc.)
- ☐ My attendance and punctuality (how easy it is to get in and be on time)
- ☐ Feeling known, listened to, and supported by staff
- ☐ Extra-curricular clubs, sports, trips, and wider opportunities
- ☐ Transport arrangements (bus routes, reliability, safety, weather impact)
- ☐ Belonging and school/community identity (feeling part of the school)
- ☐ Family impact (drop-offs, childcare, caring responsibilities, costs)
- ☐ Use of the school by the local community (e.g., clubs, sports, groups, facilities)
- ☒ No benefit to me
- ☐ Other

7. What are the biggest concerns to you if Dalry Secondary were to close? (Select up to 5 options).

Please select at most 5 options.

- ☐ Feeling safe and comfortable at school
- ☐ Good school facilities and resources (buildings, IT, specialist rooms, equipment)
- ☐ Breadth of classes or courses I want to do (subject choice)
- ☐ My confidence and wellbeing (change, transition, settling in)
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- ☐ Use of the school by the local community (e.g., clubs, sports, groups, facilities)
- ☒ No concern or challenge to me
- ☐ Other

Alternative to closure

This section asks for your ideas about alternatives to closure.

We're interested in any suggestions that could help improve the school or address concerns while keeping it open. There are no right or wrong answers, just tell us what could be done differently.

If you need help with this question, please ask Zoe.

And don't worry if you can't think of anything, just skip to the next section.

8. What alternatives to closure should the Council consider for Dalry Secondary School?

No answer provided.

Thank you (and where to get support)

Thank you for taking the time to read this and for sharing your views (or for letting us know you don't want to take part).

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If this topic has made you feel worried or upset, please speak to a trusted adult in school.

View results

Respondent

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Anonymous

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Time to complete

Before you start

We are asking pupils to share their views because Dalry Secondary School may be affected by a possible school closure proposal.

Your answers will help us understand how pupils may be impacted and what matters most to you.

Taking part is your choice. You do not have to complete this survey. If you start and then change your mind, you can also stop at any time and use the 'back' button to come back to this question and answer 'No'.

Zoe will have explained the reasons why your views are important, but if you have any more questions please ask her.

1. Are you happy to complete the survey? *

- ☐ Yes - I understand why I'm being asked to complete this survey and I want to take part.
- ☒ No - I do not want to take part (the survey will stop here and skip to the end).

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