

Improving Ofsted's survey questions for children and learners: expressing interest in an interview after an online survey

Research Project Privacy Notice for children and learners under 16

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Ofsted's job is to inspect schools and other places where people learn. They ask children and learners to complete surveys when they do inspections. We are trying to help them learn how to improve the questions they ask children and learners in their surveys.



We are looking for young people to take part in interviews.



Because of that, we (BIT, known as The Behavioural Insights Team) will collect some personal information about you (this is called your data). That information will be:

1. Your first name
2. Your last name
3. Your school year group
4. Whether English is your first language
5. Whether you have been able to receive Free School Meals
6. Whether you have any additional needs (eg, SEND)

This information will be provided by your parent/carer.

Collecting this information helps us make sure we speak to a variety of different people.



If you decide that you want to withdraw from this research project, please ask your parent/carer to contact our Data Protection Officer on dpo@bi.team. If you do this, BIT will delete information we still have that can be linked to you.



We will store information about you securely, and we will only share it with those who need it for the purpose of the project.

We will delete all information we hold about you within one month of the end of the project. We expect the project will end on 3 September 2025.



If you have any questions about how your data is collected or used by BIT, please contact dpo@bi.team.

We may change this Privacy Notice from time to time. If we make any significant changes, we will let you and/or your parent/guardian know.