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1. I am a... ☐

- (1) Male
- (2) Female

2. Are both of your parents alive? ☐

(1) Yes



2.1. Then, do your mother and father live together? ☐

- (1) Live together
- (2) Live separately (Separated)
- (3) Divorced
- (4) Weekend couple
- (5) One of them lives overseas

Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

- (2) Father passed away
- (3) Mother passed away
- (4) Both parents passed away
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_



Go to Question 3.

3. Do you currently live with your parent(s)? ☐

(1) Yes, I live with my parent(s)



Go to Question 4.

(2) No, I don't live with my parent(s)



3.1 Then, whom do you live with? ☐

- (1) Grandfather (Grandmother)
- (2) Married older brother (older sister)
- (3) At a relative's
- (4) Only with bothers and/or sisters
- (5) Friend(s)
- (6) Live alone
- (7) Live in a boarding house
- (8) Live in a dormitory

Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

4. What is the highest level of school that your parents attended? (Please answer separately for each parent.)

Father ☐

Mother ☐

- (1) No school education received
- (2) Elementary school graduate (including elementary school drop-out)
- (3) Middle school graduate (including middle school drop-out)
- (4) High school graduate (including high school drop-out)
- (5) College or above (Including Two-year/Junior college)
- (6) Graduate school or above
- (9) I don't know

5. Do you know exactly what your parents do for a living and where they work? (Please answer separately for each parent.)

Father ☐

Mother ☐

- (1) I know what he/she does for a living and where he/she works
- (2) I only know where he/she works
- (3) I only know what he/she does
- (4) I don't know anything about his/her work
- (5) He/she does not work
- (6) He/she passed away

6. Please tick off (☒) the things you know in the following. (Please mark whether you know each item or not. It is okay if you have no idea about a specific item(s).)

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| 1) Do you know how old your parents are?                                     | Father <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Mother <input type="checkbox"/>                    |
| 2) Do you know your parents' birthdays?                                      | Father <input type="checkbox"/>                    | Mother <input type="checkbox"/>                    |
| 3) Do you know full names of your father's side grandfather and grandmother? | Father's side grandfather <input type="checkbox"/> | Father's side grandmother <input type="checkbox"/> |
| 4) Do you know full names of your mother's side grandfather and grandmother? | Mother's side grandfather <input type="checkbox"/> | Mother's side grandmother <input type="checkbox"/> |

7. I have \_\_\_\_ older brothers, \_\_\_\_ older sisters, \_\_\_\_ younger brothers, and \_\_\_\_ younger sisters. (If you have no brother or sister, please write 0.)

8. I have a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship with my father. ☐

- (1) Very good
- (2) Good
- (3) Bad
- (4) Very bad
- (5) My father passed away

9. I have a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship with my mother. ☐

- (1) Very good
- (2) Good
- (3) Bad
- (4) Very bad
- (5) My mother passed away

10. I have a \_\_\_\_\_ relationship with my brother(s) and/or sister(s). ☐

- (1) Very good
- (2) Good
- (3) Bad
- (4) Very bad
- (5) I don't have a brother or a sister

11. I am \_\_\_\_\_ with the life with my family. ☐

- (1) Very satisfied
- (2) Generally satisfied
- (3) A little dissatisfied
- (4) Very dissatisfied
- (5) I have no family

12. When do you usually get up and when do you usually go to bed? (Please indicate whether it is "a.m." or "p.m.")

I usually go to bed around : (a.m., p.m.) and get up around : (a.m., p.m.).

13. How do you feel about your body shape? ☐

- (1) Very skinny
- (2) Skinny
- (3) Medium build
- (4) Fat
- (5) Very fat

14. Have you ever been on a diet? ☐

- (1) Yes, in the past
- (2) Yes, I'm on it now
- (3) Never

15. What do you think about your face? ☐

- (1) Very good looking
- (2) Good looking
- (3) Average
- (4) Ugly
- (5) Very ugly

16. What do you think about getting cosmetic surgery? ☐

- (1) It's okay to do if you want to
- (2) Depends on situations, you may do it
- (3) You should never do it

17. Then, do you want to get cosmetic surgery sometime in the future? ☐

(1) Yes

(2) No

(9) I don't know



17.1. Which part of your body do you want to get fixed? Mark (☒) all that apply.

- ☐ (1) Eye
- ☐ (2) Nose
- ☐ (3) Chin
- ☐ (4) Dental braces
- ☐ (5) Liposuction (Removal of fat deposits)
- ☐ (6) Forehead
- ☐ (7) Hair transplants
- ☐ (8) Spot removing
- Other) \_\_\_\_\_

Go to Question 18.

18. What is the issue that you are most concerned about these days? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the issue that you are second most concerned about? \_\_\_\_\_

- (1) Health
- (2) Family problem
- (3) Academic performance
- (4) Job or future career
- (5) Relationship with a girlfriend/boyfriend
- (6) Relationship with others and social life
- (7) My personality
- (8) Friendship
- (9) Sex related problem
- (10) Religious problem
- (11) Body (height, weight, etc.)
- (12) Appearance of my face
- Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_
- (88) None

19. Whom do you mostly talk to when you have a problem? \_\_\_\_\_

Then, whom do you second mostly talk to when you have a problem? \_\_\_\_\_

- (1) Mother
- (2) Father
- (3) Friend
- (4) Teacher
- (5) Brother/Sister, or other family member
- (6) Professional counselor

(7) Solve it by myself

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

20. Do your parents know what your problem is? ☐

- (1) They know well about it
- (2) They know a little bit about it
- (3) They don't know anything about it

21. How many hours do you usually have conversations with your parents each day?

Approximately  hours and  minutes

22. At the school you are currently attending, have you ever had a conversation with a teacher to talk about yourself? (Exclude regularly scheduled Teacher-student conference for all students).

☐

- (1) Yes, often times
- (2) Yes, sometimes
- (3) Never

23. Do you have a computer at home? ☐

(1) Yes



(2) No



23.1. Are you able to use the Internet at home? ☐

- (1) I can use the Internet at home
- (2) I cannot use the Internet at home

23.2. Is there adult-content blocking software installed on your computer? ☐

- (1) Yes
- (2) No
- (9) I don't know

Go to Question 24.

24. Please answer each of the following questions by marking (✓) the number.

	Very often	Some -times	Rarely	Never
1) Have you ever used the Internet to search study aids for your curriculums by yourself?	1	2	3	4
2) Have you ever used an Internet service that does your homework for a fee?	1	2	3	4
3) Have you ever used Internet chat rooms (including chatting, messenger)?	1	2	3	4
4) Have you ever purchased online avatars or cyber cash by paying cash (including paying over the mobile phone)?	1	2	3	4

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|--|---|---|---|---|
| 5) Have you ever experienced online shopping (excluding shopping for game items or avatars)?               | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 6) Have you ever posted your opinion on a message board of a youth-related website?                        | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 7) Have you ever written something to speak ill of other person on an Internet message board or an e-mail? | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |
| 8) Have you ever experienced that someone spoke ill of you on an Internet message board or an e-mail?      | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 |

25. What is your most frequent use of the Internet? \_\_\_\_

What is your second most frequent Internet use? \_\_\_\_

- (1) Information search
- (2) Online VOD [Video on Demand] for TV programs
- (3) Online shopping
- (4) Online game
- (5) Online education/learning
- (6) E-mail
- (7) Chatting
- (8) Online clubs (Damoim, etc.)
- (9) Music listening

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

26. Have you ever played online games (*Lineage*, *Star Craft*, or playing games like Tetris on *Han Game* or *Netmarble*)? ☐

(1) Yes

(2) No



26.1 On average, how much time do you spend playing online games each day? (Please answer separately for a weekday and for a weekend day. If you don't play online games, write "00 hours and 00 minutes")  
 Weekday: Approximately   hours and   minutes  
 Weekend: Approximately   hours and   minutes  
☐ (7777) I don't play online games these days

26.2 Have you ever purchased game items (excluding avatars) by paying cash? ☐  
 (1) Yes  
 (2) No

26.3. Then, have you ever sold game items (excluding avatars) for cash? ☐  
 (1) Yes  
 (2) No

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Question 27.

27. On average, how many hours do you spend on using the Internet each day? (Please answer separately for a weekday and for a weekend day.)

Weekday: Approximately   hours and   minutes

Weekend: Approximately   hours and   minutes

(Your answer should include any minute you spend on the Internet, such as checking e-mails, chatting, searching information, playing online games, etc.)

28. Please read the following statements carefully, and mark (☒) the number that applies to you for each statement. (Internet use includes all of the following — checking e-mails, chatting, searching information, playing online games, etc.)

	Yes -----	No -----
1) Internet is the most important daily routine for me	1	2
2) Sometimes, I neglect other things I have to do because of the Internet	1	2
3) I often use the Internet until late at night	1	2
4) I enjoy using the Internet more than spending time with friends or family	1	2
5) I put off or give up on other things in order to use the Internet	1	2
6) When I start using the Internet, I lose track of time	1	2
7) The time I spend on the Internet is happier than any other time I spend on something else	1	2

29. Have you ever experienced the following situations? Please read the following statements carefully, and mark (☒) the number that applies to you for each statement.

	Yes -----	No -----
1) I spend more time on the Internet than I originally planned to spend	1	2
2) I use the Internet during study time	1	2
3) I feel anxious and restless when I don't use the Internet	1	2
4) I get scolded by my parent or teachers, because of my use of the Internet	1	2
5) Because of the continuous Internet use, I get headaches or my eyes get tired	1	2
6) I know that the Internet has a bad influence on my life, but there is nothing I can do about it	1	2

30. Do you experience any change in your life because of the Internet use? Please read the following statements carefully, and mark (☑) the number that applies to you for each statement.

	Yes -----	No -----
1) I try to reduce the time I'm on the Internet but I often fail	1	2
2) Life is boring and dull if I don't use the Internet	1	2
3) Even when I get depressed and irritated, these feelings go away if I use the Internet	1	2
4) As a way of stress management, I use the Internet rather than doing something else	1	2
5) Because of the Internet use, my school grades are getting worse	1	2
6) Because of the Internet use, I become less focused or less efficient on studying	1	2
7) Because of the Internet use, I experienced having a hard time or getting disadvantaged at school	1	2

31. Let's think more about your Internet use. Please read the following statements carefully and mark (☑) the number that applies to you for each statement.

	Yes -----	No -----
1) Because of the Internet use, I have failed to finish my homework	1	2
2) Because of the Internet use, I meet people in real life less frequently than before	1	2
3) Because of the Internet use, I spend less time on having conversations with my family than before	1	2
4) Because of the Internet use, I have failed to keep a promise with another person	1	2
5) Because of the time I spend on the Internet, I have a conflict with my family	1	2
6) I am not honest about the time I spent and the contents I used on the Internet	1	2

32. How much do you usually use chat terms? ☐

- (1) I use them heavily
- (2) I often use them
- (3) I try not to use them if possible
- (4) I don't use them at all
- (9) I don't know



33. As the Internet becomes an important part of everyday life, chat words and jargons (*Hairu* [hello], *Bangabanga* [good to see you], *chucachuca* [congrats], etc.) are increasingly used in real life. What do you think about this? ☐
- (1) Online life and offline life should be clearly distinguished
  - (2) It is okay to use chat words among friends and private gatherings, but they should not be used in official occasions or written documents.
  - (3) Chat words can be used on any occasion anywhere, because this is how new words are created.
  - (9) I don't know
34. If you have spare time, whom do you usually spend the time with? (Mark only one.) ☐
- (1) By myself (without using a computer)
  - (2) By myself (using computer)
  - (3) Family members
  - (4) Friends
  - (5) Seonbae/Hubae [seniors/juniors in school or alumni]
  - (6) Group gathering that is led by a leader (Boy Scouts, Red Cross, etc.)
  - (7) At school clubs
  - (8) At Church, chapel, or temple
- Other, with: \_\_\_\_\_

※ For the following two questions, please choose your answer from the <Response Options for Question 35 and Question 36> below, and write the number for each question. If you are not able to find your answer from the response options, please write it directly in the blank.

35. Where do you usually hang out, if you have some time to spare? \_\_\_\_\_  
Any other place? \_\_\_\_\_
36. Where do you usually meet up your friends; when you plan to hang out? \_\_\_\_\_  
Any other place? \_\_\_\_\_

◀ Response Options for Question 35 and Question 36 ▶

- (1) School
- (2) Home
- (3) Public place
- (4) Café, coffee shop
- (5) Restaurant
- (6) Fast food restaurant (Hamburger or pizzeria)
- (7) Street (In front of ○○ on ×× street, bus stop, etc.)
- (8) Pub
- (9) Game room
- (10) Karaoke room
- (11) *Manhwa Bang* [Comic book reading room] (not book rental store)
- (12) Theater
- (13) Video room

- (14) Church, chapel, temple, etc.  
 (15) *PC Bang* [PC room]  
 (16) Bookstore  
 (17) Convenience store  
 (18) Park or playground  
 Other) (Where? \_\_\_\_\_ )

37. Are you currently a member of any fan club? ☐

(1) Yes ➡	37.1. Are you a member of a fan club which you have to pay a membership fee to join? <input type="checkbox"/>
	(1) Yes (2) No
	37.2. Have you ever subscribed as a member to an official homepage of your favorite show-business celebrity? <input type="checkbox"/>
	(1) Yes (2) Never
(1) Yes ➡	37.3. Have you ever subscribed to an online fan club or community of your favorite show-business celebrity? <input type="checkbox"/>
	(1) Yes (2) Never
(1) Yes ➡	37.4. Over the past 1 year, have you ever visited a city outside the one you currently live to attend a fan club meeting as a member? <input type="checkbox"/>
	(1) Yes (2) No
(2) No ➡	Go to Question 38.

38. Over the past 1 year, have you ever missed a regular class at school to see a celebrity whom you like? ☐

- (1) Yes  
 (2) No

39. Over the past 1 year, have you ever visited a city other than where you currently live in to see a star whom you like? ☐

- (1) Yes  
 (2) No

40. During this school year, have you ever been spanked by your teacher at school? ☐

(1) Yes, quite often ➡ (2) Yes, sometimes ➡	40.1. What did you think when you were being spanked? <input type="checkbox"/>
	(1) It was unfair (2) I deserved it because it was my fault. (9) I don't know
	(3) I have never been spanked at school during this year ➡
Go to Question 41.	

41. During the past year, what did you do in response to being spanked by your teacher at school? Please mark (✓) all that apply.

- ☐ (1) Yelled at the teacher
- ☐ (2) Hit the teacher
- ☐ (3) Broke or damaged the teacher's belonging
- ☐ (4) Told my parents about it
- ☐ (5) Posted the incident on the Internet
- ☐ (6) Reported it to the police
- ☐ (7) Made a call to the teacher's home using abusive language
- ☐ (8) Reported it to the City/District Board of Education (either by phone or through Internet)
- ☐ (9) Posted a mention with abusive language on the teacher's internet homepage

Other: \_\_\_\_\_

☐ (88) Did nothing

☐ (99) I have never been scolded or spanked by the teacher over the past 1 year

42. What do you think about teachers' spanking at school? ☐

- (1) Under no circumstances should teachers spank students
- (2) If a student did something wrong, it is acceptable to spank him/her
- (9) I don't know

43. Have you ever been spanked at home this year? ☐

<p>(1) Yes, quite often</p> <p>(2) Yes, sometimes</p>	<p>43.1. By whom did you get spanked? Please mark (✓) all that apply.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (1) Father                      <input type="checkbox"/> (2) Mother</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (3) Grandfather              <input type="checkbox"/> (4) Grandmother</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (5) Elder brother              <input type="checkbox"/> (6) Elder sister</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (7) Uncle                      <input type="checkbox"/> (8) Aunt</li> </ul> <p>Other) (By whom? _____ )</p> <p>43.2. What did you do in response when you were spanked at home? Please mark (✓) all that apply.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (1) Yelled at the person who spanked me</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (2) Hit back the person who spanked me</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (3) Broke or damaged the person's belonging</li> <li><input type="checkbox"/> (4) Reported it to the police</li> </ul> <p>Other) _____</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (88) Did nothing</p>
<p>(3) I have never been spanked at home</p>	<p>Go to Question 44.</p>

44. On average, how much do you get for allowance each month? (Allowance includes expenses for leisure, transportation, study materials, etc.)

Average monthly allowance: , won

(8) I don't  
get an  
allowance



44.1. Do you get allowances on a regular basis? Or do you get allowances on an as-needed basis? ☐

- (1) On a regular basis (Once every days)
- (2) On an as-needed basis
- (3) Combination of a regular basis and an as-needed basis
- (4) I earn my own allowances (by doing chores, etc.)

Other, when: \_\_\_\_\_

44.2. Do you get a fixed amount of money for allowance? ☐

- (1) Fixed amount of money
- (2) Amount of money needed
- (3) Combination of a fixed amount and the amount of money needed

44.3. What do you spend most on with your allowance? \_\_\_\_\_

What is the second most? \_\_\_\_\_ If you choose one more main spending, what is it? \_\_\_\_\_

- (1) Transportation
- (2) Meal (Breakfast, lunch, dinner)
- (3) Snacks
- (4) Buying or renting study materials
- (5) Gifts/Presents for others
- (6) Buying or renting books (not study materials)
- (7) Stationery
- (8) Clothing, bags, hats and caps, etc.
- (9) Mobile phone bill
- (10) Admission fees for movie theaters, play theaters, parks, etc.
- (11) Membership fees
- (12) Renting books, videos, DVDs, etc.
- (13) Cigarettes
- (14) Game/Entertainment (Karaoke rooms, game rooms, etc.)
- (15) Alcoholic beverages

Other, please specify: \_\_\_\_\_

Go to  
Question  
45.

<p>44.4. Do you feel that the amount of money for the allowance you get is about right? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(1) Very sufficient                      (3) Insufficient                      (4) Very insufficient</p> <p>(2) Sufficient</p>			<p>Go to Question 45.</p>
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<p>44.5. What do you do if you still have some allowance money remaining? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(1) Put it in the savings account</p> <p>(2) Buy something I wanted to have</p> <p>(3) Just keep it</p>	<p>44.6. What do you do if you run out of allowance money? Please mark (<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>) all that apply.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (1) Borrow some money</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (2) Get the next allowance in advance</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (3) Ask parents to give some more money</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (4) Getting some more money by telling a lie to parents</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (5) Work a part-time job to make some extra money</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (6) Spend the money I have saved</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> (7) Just wait until I get the next allowance money</p> <p>Other (How? _____)</p>		
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<p>44.7. Over the past 1 year, have you ever told a lie to get an allowance? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(1) Yes</p> <p>(2) No</p>			
<p>44.8. Do you keep records of every receiving and spending of your allowances? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(1) Yes, all the time                      (2) Yes, sometimes                      (3) Never</p>			<p>Go to Question 45.</p>
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<p>44.9. What happens if you don't keep records of every receiving and spending of your allowances? <input type="checkbox"/></p> <p>(1) Nothing happens</p> <p>(2) I won't get allowances</p> <p>(3) My allowances will be cut</p> <p>(4) I will get spanked</p> <p>(5) I will get spanked, and my allowances will be cut or there will be no allowances</p> <p>Other) _____</p>			

45. Do you have any savings? ☐

(1) Yes		(2) No
↓		↓
1) I have a bank account that I opened through the school	(1) Yes	(2) No
2) I have a bank account that I opened at a bank	(1) Yes	(2) No
3) I use a debit card	(1) Yes	(2) No
4) I have made a transaction at a bank window	(1) Yes	(2) No
		Go to Question 74.

46. How often do you usually wash your hands?

How often do you wash your hands when you_____?	Always	Sometimes	Never
1) Get back home	1	2	3
2) Are about to eat something	1	2	3
3) After using the restroom	1	2	3

47. If you were the president of Korea, what would be the first thing you wish to do for the youth? Please feel free to write something realistic.

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For example,

- .... Make "Youth Only" recreational areas
- .... Strong law enforcement on nightlife venues which hire underage minors or let minors in
- .... Support programs for less fortunate students so they can focus on studying without having any worries
- .... Support youth associations with high priority so the youth can enjoy sound group activities
- .... Build a world-class library
- ... Etc.

◆ We will e-mail you the results of this survey. Please give us your e-mail address that you most frequently use. If you use "*hanmail.net*," please write another e-mail account that you have.

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ (2) \_\_\_\_\_

Thank you. We greatly appreciate your participation.