



PLEASE TICK OR COMMENT AS APPROPRIATE

1 HOUSEHOLD DETAILS

1.1 How many people normally live in your household? Please include all persons including those temporarily resident elsewhere.

Age	Male	Female	Age	Male	Female
0-4			26-40		
5-11			41-60		
12-17			61-80		
18-25			Over 80		

1.2 What is your main reason for living in Sedlescombe parish? Please tick the most appropriate.

Family connections or reason		To live in the country	
To be near to work		To be near suitable schools	
To live in a village			
Other – Please specify			

1.3 How long have you lived in Sedlescombe parish? Please tick.

0-5 years		Over 20 years	
6-10 years		All your life	
11-20 years			

2 WORK DETAILS

2.1 How many of your family:

Work in the Village		Work elsewhere	
Work in Hastings/St Leonards		Work at home	
Work in East Sussex		Look after the home	
Work in London		Are unemployed seeking work	
Are in full-time education		Are retired from work	

2.2 Would you like to see additional employment opportunities in the parish? If “yes”, what type?

Yes		Light industrial units		Office/commercial		
Other – please specify						
No		-----				

2.3 If you answered “yes” to 2.2, where would you like the work to be located:

In the Marley Lane industrial sites	
In redundant farm buildings	
Other	

3 EDUCATION

3.1 Would you use additional adult education classes in Sedlescombe? YES/NO

If yes, please specify what classes you would like to be provided:

3.2 It is proposed that the School’s 1 metre-deep heated outdoor swimming pool will be opened for community use during the summer term starting on 8 April. Arrangements are being made for playgroup and pre-school children use on Tuesday mornings. If there is enough interest, adult sessions (£1.50 for up to 2 hours) will be available on Wednesday and Thursday mornings 10am to 12 noon. (A lifeguard will be present.)

Are any adults interested in using the School pool? YES/NO Number interested

Tick the day you prefer WEDNESDAY..... THURSDAY.....

Any other comments:

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3.3 Fund-raising for a new Sedlescombe ICT suite is progressing. It is proposed that this suite will be accessible to the community for open access and computer training courses. You will be able to search websites, e-mail, word process and lots, lots more here at the School.

Would you be interested in taking a computer training course in Sedlescombe? YES/NO

If YES, please specify numbers interested in: Beginners' course.....
 Intermediate course.....
 Advanced course.....

Please tick the times most convenient for you:

Weekdays 1.30-3.30pm..... Weekdays 4.00-6.00pm..... Weekdays 7.00-9.00pm
 Saturday mornings 10.00am-12 noon.....Any other comments

3.4 A 6-week course of tennis coaching for 9-15 yr-olds is being arranged by the Tennis Club. Would anyone in your household be interested? YES/NO

4 SHOPPING

4.1 How often do you go into the local shop? Tick as appropriate

	Shop counter	Post Office counter
Every day		
Not every day but more than once a week		
At least once a month		
Occasionally		
Never		

4.2 Where do you usually do your food/general shopping? Please tick all those that apply. How do you get there (by car; by free bus; by public bus; by bicycle; walk)

	Food	How do you get there?	General	How do you get there?
Village				
Hastings or its outskirts				
Battle				
Other town				
Internet		-----		-----

4.3 If the Internet could be accessed in the Village, would you consider using it for shopping YES/NO

4.4 Would you support a local Farmers' Market? YES/NO

5 TRANSPORT

5.1 How do members of your household travel to:

	Own vehicle	Public bus	Community bus		Own vehicle	Public bus	Community bus
Work				Shopping			
The train en-route to work				Banks or building societies			
School/college				Leisure/sports activities			
The surgery				Hospital			
Worship							

5.2 Please state number in your household that use public transport:

Every day	
Not every day but more than once a week	
At least once a month	
Occasionally	
Never	

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5.3 Although there is a serious shortage of buses, some that are provided are under-used. What would encourage members of your household to make greater use of public transport?

	Non-car user	Car user
Increased frequency		
Alternative routing (state where)		
Extended service times Earlier Later Both		
Better link services to trains		
Lower fares		
Better access for the disabled		
Clearer timetable information		
Improved reliability		
More expensive parking at the destination		
Nothing would attract me		

5.4 Do you use local taxis?

Every day		Occasionally	
Not every day but more than once a week		Never	
At least once a month			

5.5 How many vehicles does your household own and where are they normally parked?

	Garage	Off street	On Street
Cars			
Vans			
Lorries			
Motorcycles			
Bicycles	-----	-----	-----
Other			

5.6 If you have children, how do they travel:

	On foot	By private car	By taxi	Other
To the Primary School				
To get the School bus				
To private schools				

5.7 If the children travel by private car to the Primary School, could you please give the reason they do not walk

It is too far	
It is too dangerous because there are no footways	
It takes too much of my time	
Other	

5.8 Would you be interested in a supervised walking party for primary schoolchildren, currently known as a "Walking Bus"?

To and from East View Terrace	
Other – please specify	

5.9 What are the main highway problems in Sedlescombe?

The large number of cars and vans on the B2244	
The large number of heavy lorries on the B2244	
The speed of the vehicles within 30mph speed limits	
The speed of vehicles in country lanes	
Footways beside roads – please specify	
The lack of cycle routes – please specify	
Unsatisfactory footpaths and bridleways	

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6 SERVICES

6.1 Are you satisfied with the existing services?. If not, please explain why and suggest improvements

	Satisfied	Not Satisfied	Suggestions for improvement – please make your comments brief and relevant
Electricity			
Gas			
Telephone (private)			
Telephone (public)			
Water			
Main drainage			
Postal collection & delivery			
Medical services			
Road sweeping & litter collection			
Refuse collection			
Dog waste collection			
Recycling			

6.2 Have you called out emergency services during the past year? If you have, were you satisfied with the response time:

	Called out in past year	Were you satisfied with the response time?	Any comment
Police			
Ambulance			
Fire			

6.3 Is your house name or number clearly visible to emergency services YES/NO

7 VILLAGE FACILITIES

7.1 Does any member of your household use the following facilities? Please indicate the number of people and add any comments.

Village clubs Please specify		
Village hall		
Playgrounds		
Sportsfield for playing sport		

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Tennis courts		
Library in hall (weekly)		
Mobile library (fortnightly)		
Village walks		
Red Barn Field Nature Park		

7.2 How do you find out about activities in Sedlescombe? Tick as many as you like.

Parish News		Noticeboards	
Parish Council Bulletin		Village Voice Column in local paper	
Website		From friends or neighbours	
Not interested		Other	

7.3 Do you have a favourite tree or group of trees in the parish? YES/NO
If you have, please explain where

7.4 Do you have a favourite view in the parish? YES/NO
If you have, please explain where

7.5 Where do you meet other Sedlescombe residents?

SEDLESCOMBE PARISH COUNCIL IS VERY GRATEFUL TO YOU FOR TAKING THE TIME TO COMPLETE THIS QUESTIONNAIRE.

WE HAVE TRIED NOT TO ASK THE SAME QUESTIONS THAT HAVE ALREADY BEEN COVERED IN OTHER RECENT QUESTIONNAIRES, THE RESULTS OF WHICH WILL BE AVAILABLE TO THE COUNCIL.