
Young people's views

In one college, we spoke to young people about their experiences of and views about college life. Initially some of these students found this difficult, because they were not used to being asked for their opinions. We asked about their involvement with college or departmental student councils. None of the students we spoke to was aware of the existence of the student council or felt that their views were being sought. As we discovered, however, these young people had very clear views on what was good, what was not so good and what they wanted to change at their college.