



STOUR VALLEY
— COMMUNITY SCHOOL —

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Dear Students, Parents and Carers

I am writing on behalf of Clare Town Council who have asked me to pass on the message below:

'The Town Council is aware that young people are saying that there is little for them to do in Clare. The additional housing development by Denbury Homes and the proposed one by Ranier will bring a significant increase in the Town's population and extra strain to whatever facilities are currently available.

The Town Council would like to reach out to young people, tell them we are listening, and ask them 'What is it YOU want and need?' rather than make assumptions which are quite likely to be wrong!

Following a meeting at the Stour Valley Community School with the assistant head Nathan Sims, it became apparent that a positive step forward would be carry out a survey of young people at the school and their parents to gain their views on what facilities and activities would be beneficial.

We would appreciate your support in completing the survey below regarding the facilities available and what you would like to see. The results of these will be presented to the town council.'

Please find below a link to the survey mentioned. Whilst this refers to Clare, please do feel free to complete if you live in the surrounding areas and would like to make suggestions, particularly if it is likely you or your child would access these.

[Facilities for Young People In Clare Survey](#)

The survey will be available until Monday 13 January if I could please ask for responses before then.

Yours faithfully

Mr Sims
Assistant Headteacher

