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## **Voice of Young People - Questionnaire**

This week the Minister for Youth, Hon Steven Linares, took time out of his busy schedule to meet with the Voice of Young People (VYP), a specialist project ran by Gibraltar Youth Service whose aim is to develop and improve services for the youth in our community.

Following on from the success of the "Young Person's Directory of Services" which the Minister launched in September he was keen to find out what initiative the VYP group were taking to move forward. Members were able to share with the Minister a questionnaire they have created for young people to complete thus giving the VYP group the opportunity of collating information on issues young people are facing in today's society.

Minister Linares said; "Even though there is a lot on offer with many supportive services for young people in our community, I feel there is always room for improvement and development. I am very eager to hear the results of the questionnaire and how the VYP group will work with the data to influence a change".

The questionnaire will be going live in January on social media, education departments and at various events throughout the month.

For any general information about the Gibraltar Youth Service or future events please contact Mark Zammit, Principal Youth Officer mzammit@gibraltar.gov.gi or call 20078637.