

Greening Cathays

An insight into Cathays residents' perceptions of Community Health and Wellbeing - March 2020



Studentification

Overwhelmingly seen as negative by students and non-students alike.

TRANSIENCY

48% full time students living in Cathays (2011)

A home for term time.

LACK OF PLACE ATTACHMENT

Lack of care for the Cathays community.

Community wellbeing

Effects of studentification and transiency affecting both individual and community wellbeing.

LOW SOCIAL COHESION

Student and non-student populations isolated from each other.

STUDENT VS. NON STUDENT DIVIDE

Lack of communication between students and non-students.



Contributing to community development

Most participants wanted more green spaces.

100%

of respondents mentioned the desire to increase green space in Cathays.

60%

Likely to engage with neighbours to create pollinator friendly environments.

