

Group 1:



Charlie, the 50-year-old business man.

- Charlie has travelled on the train from Stevenage to visit a client based in offices on New Road.
- Charlie has never visited Peterborough before.

Participants should imagine:

- What is Charlie's journey like from the platform to the client office – how easy is it to get from the Station to New Road?
- Where might Charlie walk around after his meeting?
- What are Charlie's perceptions of the city centre?
- What problems would he face?
- *Where would you take Charlie for a nice lunch?*

What are Charlie's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 2:



Muriel, the 75-year-old local woman.

- Muriel travels into the city centre every Thursday from Werrington by bus.
- Muriel is mobility impaired.

Participants should imagine:

- What Muriel's journey is like by bus to the city centre, particularly with regards to ease of access.
- What is Muriel's route around the city centre – are there any barriers to movement?
- What are Muriel's perceptions of the city centre?
- What kind of problems would she face?

What are Muriel's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 3:



Crystal, the 28-year-old working mother.

- Crystal is a working mother who has three young children.
- Crystal travels to the city centre by bus from Stanground most weekends for comparison shopping.

Participants should imagine:

- What Crystal's journey is like to the city centre?
- What is Crystal's route around the city centre – how easy is it to move around with children in tow?
- What are Crystal's perceptions of the city centre?
- What kind of problems would they face?
- *Where can Crystal take her three children for fun?*

What are Crystal's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 4:



Mike, the 19-year-old university student.

- Mike lives in Dogsthorpe.
- Mike is going out with friends around the city centre on a Friday night.

Participants should imagine:

- What is Mike's journey like going into town?
- Where will Mike and his friends go?
- What are Mike's perceptions of the city centre, in particular with regards to safety at night and quality of experience?
- What kind of problems would he face?
- *Where do you think Mike would encounter anti-social behaviour?*

What are Mike's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 5:



Dorothy and Harold, the 70-year-old couple.

- Dorothy and Harold live in Kettering.
- Harold is in a wheelchair.
- They travel to Peterborough twice a year by car to visit the Cathedral and shops.

Participants should imagine:

- What Dorothy and Harold's journey is like travelling into town?
- What is their route during these trips? Where they would park?
- Their perceptions of the city centre – are there issues of mobility impairment?
- What kind of problems would they face?
- *What if their car broke down on Bourges Boulevard?*

What are Dorothy and Harold's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 6:



Alan, the 40-year-old Football Supporter.

- Alan is visiting Peterborough from Wrexham by train to watch them play Posh at the weekend.
- Alan has never visited Peterborough before and wants to stay until Sunday.

Participants should imagine:

- What is Alan's journey into the city centre like?
- What would Alan do before and after the match?
- What are Alan's perceptions of the city centre, including the football ground?
- What kind of problems would he face?
- *Where would Alan find a place to stay?*

What are Alan's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 7:



Greta, the 31-year-old Migrant Worker.

- Greta has been living in Millfield for 6 months.
- Greta travels into the city centre every morning at 6am to be picked up for casual labour and dropped off at 4.30pm.
- Greta has difficulty communicating in English.

Participants should imagine:

- What is Greta's journey like to and from the city centre?
- Why else would Greta use the city centre?
- What are Greta's perceptions of the city centre?
- What kind of problems would she face?
- *Do you think Peterborough was what Greta expected when she first arrived?*

What are Greta's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 8:



Charlotte, the 31-year-old office worker.

- Charlotte lives just outside the city centre in Eastgate.
- Charlotte has a 9 to 5 job in an office on City Road

Participants must imagine:

- What is Charlotte's journey like to and from the city centre for work?
- Where do Charlotte and her friends get together after work?
- What are Charlotte's perceptions of the city centre?
- What kind of problems would she face?
- *Does Charlotte enjoy working in the city centre?*

What are Charlotte's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 9:



Lucy, the 14-year-old teen.

- Lucy lives in Bretton and attends secondary school.
- Lucy is meeting with her friends on Saturday in the city centre.

Participants must imagine:

- What is Lucy's journey like to and from the city centre from Bretton on Saturday?
- Where would Lucy want to go on Saturday in the city centre?
- What are Lucy's perceptions of the city centre?
- What kind of problems would she face?
- What does Lucy think is missing in the city centre for youths?

What are Lucy's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

Group 10:



Sarah, the 35-year-old dog owner.

- Sarah currently lives in the city centre with her German shepherd.
- Sarah is taking his dog for a long walk in the city centre this afternoon.

Participants must imagine:

- What is Sarah's route like walking her dog around the city centre?
- What are Sarah's perceptions of the city centre, particularly with regards to safety at night and the attractiveness of dog walking routes?
- Are there other places for Sarah to walk and exercise her dog besides the city centre?
- In general, are there sufficient green and open spaces in the city centre? Where does Sarah think they should be?

What are Sarah's three key messages to the city planners? You have 30 minutes to discuss!

