

What people said about living in Alice



Who responded?

470 children & young people

Kids said what's good is:

1 Friends and family

2 Small town, easy to get around

3 The town pool

4 The landscape and environment

5 School and teachers

6 Sport

7 Shops and shopping

8 Fast food

9 Climate and weather

10 Places to go, things to see

Kids said what's not so good is:

1 Weather and climate

2 Drinking, drugs, fighting, violence and antisocial behaviour

3 Crime

Kids said what needs to change is:

1 Water park, pools and beach

2 Sport and recreation facilities and opportunities

3 Shops and shopping centres

4 More activities and services

5 Schools and education options

6 Less crime

7 Parks and playgrounds

8 Safe spaces and security

9 Greening and beautification

10 Better housing



Who responded?

605 Adults

Adults hopes & dream for kids are:

1 Safe and free

2 A good education

3 Safe spaces and environments

4 Happy and healthy lives

5 Good employment and career opportunities

6 Loved and cared for

7 Respectful, living in harmony

8 Strong families and social networks

9 Reach potential, achieve goals

10 More activities for youth

Adults said what's getting in the way is:

1 Parent and family issues

2 Drug and alcohol abusees

3 Crime, vandalism, property damage issues

Adults said what needs to change is:

1 Better education and training

2 Collaborative and coordinated community led approaches

3 More family, parent and youth support

4 Parent responsibility and accountability for looking after children

5 More youth and children family activities and programs

6 Fewer alcohol outlets, less alcohol and more alcohol restrictions

7 More parks and playgrounds and facilities

8 More punitive approaches, tough on crimes

9 Law and justice responses

10 Cultural leadership, education and language programs