

## BOTTOM-UP SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT IN CONTEXT

This is an exercise to get you thinking about bottom-up social development and how it applies to the reality in which you live.

### What is your understanding of bottom-up social development?

For me, bottom-up social development is ...

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### Can you think of five different examples of grassroots initiatives?

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### How do these examples overlap and differ?

Similarities

Differences

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**What resources can you draw on to be who you want to be?**

**Personal** (abilities, knowledge, material goods)

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**Social** (all people you know who can help you attain your goals)

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**Services** (scholarships, social services and courses you may be eligible for)

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**Taking into account your previous answers, draw up a brief commitment plan about what you will actually do to be who you want to be ...**

In a year's time ...

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In five years' time ...

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