



Action points

Influence questions

Do you have an influence on:

- being a part of this group
- being part of local meeting
- being part of national events

As they respond to each one explore with them their responses, what are their thoughts and feelings about this? How much does this matter?

Now ask the group to think about whether they feel as if they have an input into:

- what happens in this group
- what happens in local meeting (e.g. decisions made)
- Area Business Meetings
- what happens in Quakerism nationally

As they do each one explore with them their responses, what are their thoughts and feelings about this? How much does this matter?

Think of other 'influence questions' you could ask them that are pertinent to the situation in your local / area meeting. Once again ask the young people to move in or out according to their perceived level of influence and input and explore with the group their responses.