



At the beginning of Weekend 6 of the Assembly, members were asked to choose five adjectives in their small groups that summed up how they felt democracy was working in the UK today.

Members were presented with a grid of the following adjectives – balanced between positive and negative options – and were also encouraged to make their own additions:

- Satisfied
- Dissatisfied
- Optimistic
- Pessimistic
- Hopeful
- Let down
- Excited
- Concerned
- Content
- Disappointed
- Delighted
- Disgusted
- Happy
- Angry
- Mixed
- Frustrated
- Alarmed
- Pleased

Later in Weekend 6, members were shown a word cloud setting out which adjectives they had chosen – see p. 68 of the Assembly's Report. They then worked in small groups to develop one or more statements expanding on the most commonly chosen words, explaining their choice of words and articulating what they felt a 'good' UK democracy would look like. These statements can be found in full on pp. 68–72 of the Assembly's Report.