Maximising PE & School Sport to Enhance Student Wellbeing

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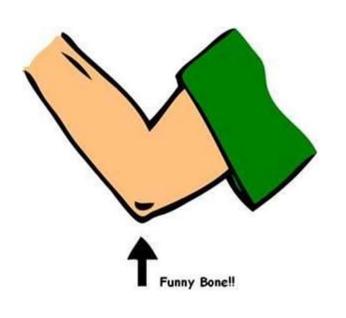


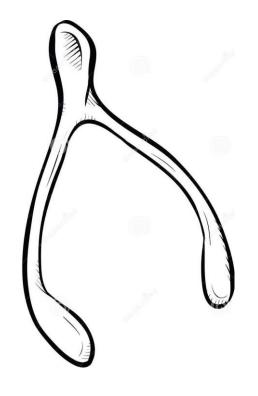
Teaching is the greatest act of optimism.

COLLEEN WILCOX











Good Sport inspirational short film

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lxuH5iVoXfQ&t=1s





The Youth Sport Trust



Influence – through insight, advocacy & campaigning e.g. MP School Sport Champions, National School Sports Week, The Annual PE & Sport Report



Innovate – networks & interventions

e.g. Well Schools & Trusts, Young Ambassadors, Schools Active Movement Girls Active, PE Lifeskills Award, Active in Mind



Implement – programmes and services

e.g. School Games, FA Girls Football School Partnerships, Inclusion 2024, Membership









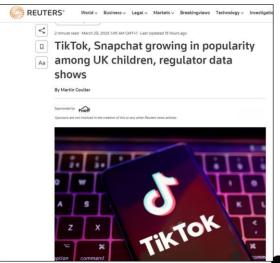






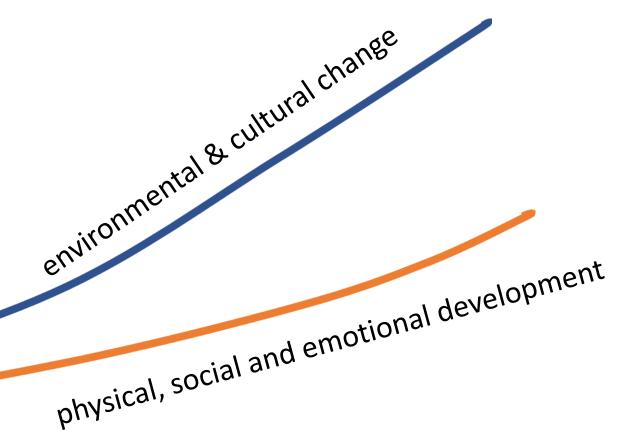








The world is changing faster than children can adapt





Children & young people are growing up in an

inhumane world



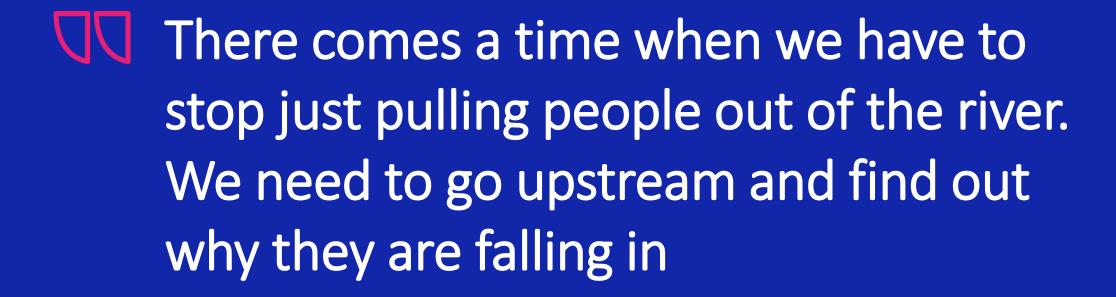
Unhealthy & Unhappy Children don't learn

if they don't learn, they don't achieve their potential, and we don't have a society fit for purpose



....this is a national issue





ARCHBISHOP DESMOND TUTU





Human flourishing.....

The drive to play is a basic, biological drive. Lack of free play may not kill the body, as would a lack of food, air or water, but it kills the spirit and stunts mental growth

ROB HOPKINS, 'FROM WHAT IS TO WHAT IF'

What makes aerobic exercise so powerful is that it's our evolutionary method of generating that spark. It lights a fire on every level of your brain, from stoking up the neurons' metabolic furnaces to forging the very structures that transmit information from one synapse to the next."

DR JOHN RATEY.
SPARK

physical activity, physical education and sport can be the antidote?



PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT



SOCIAL & EMOTIONAL DEVELOPMENT



COGNITIVE DEVELOPMENT



Youth Sport Trust Strategy



Urgent action

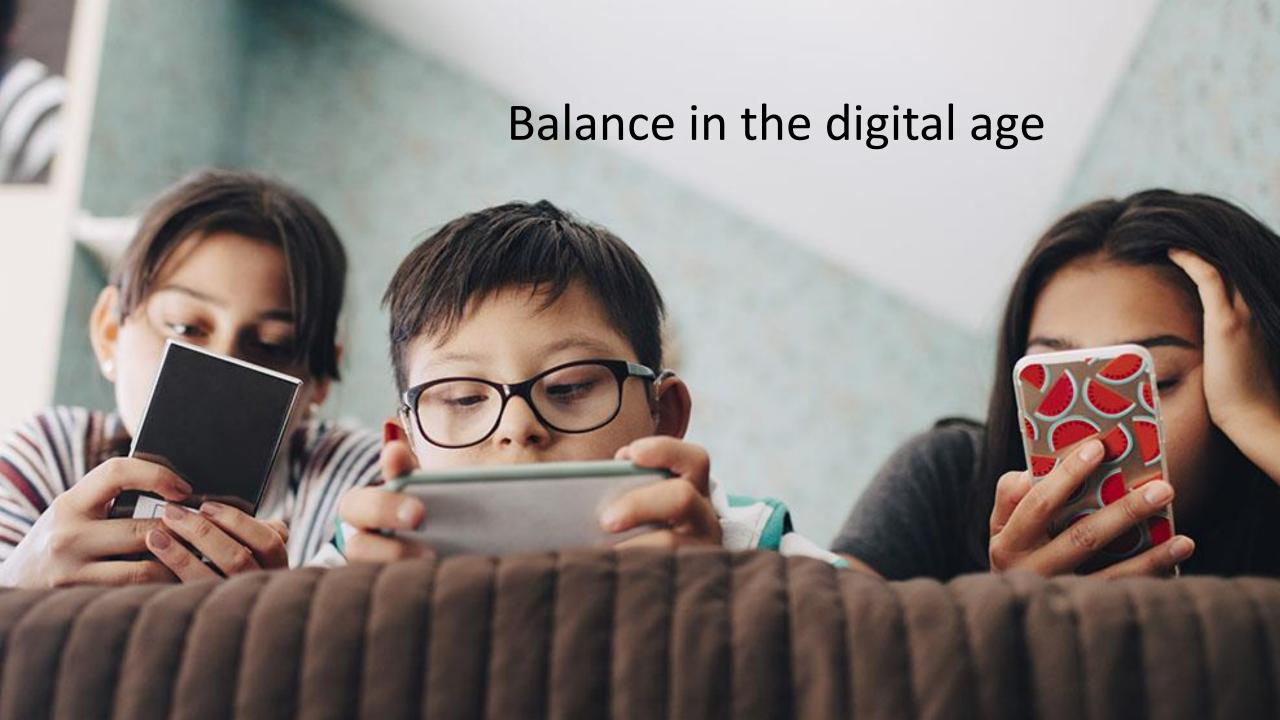
Build back healthier, happier and more resilient young people and level the playing field for those **most disadvantaged**

Generational shift

To balance the demands of the digital age through the human connection of physical play and sport

Transform society's perceptions and attitudes towards the importance of physical literacy, play and sport in the **education and development** of young people

Societal change



Youth Sport Leadership



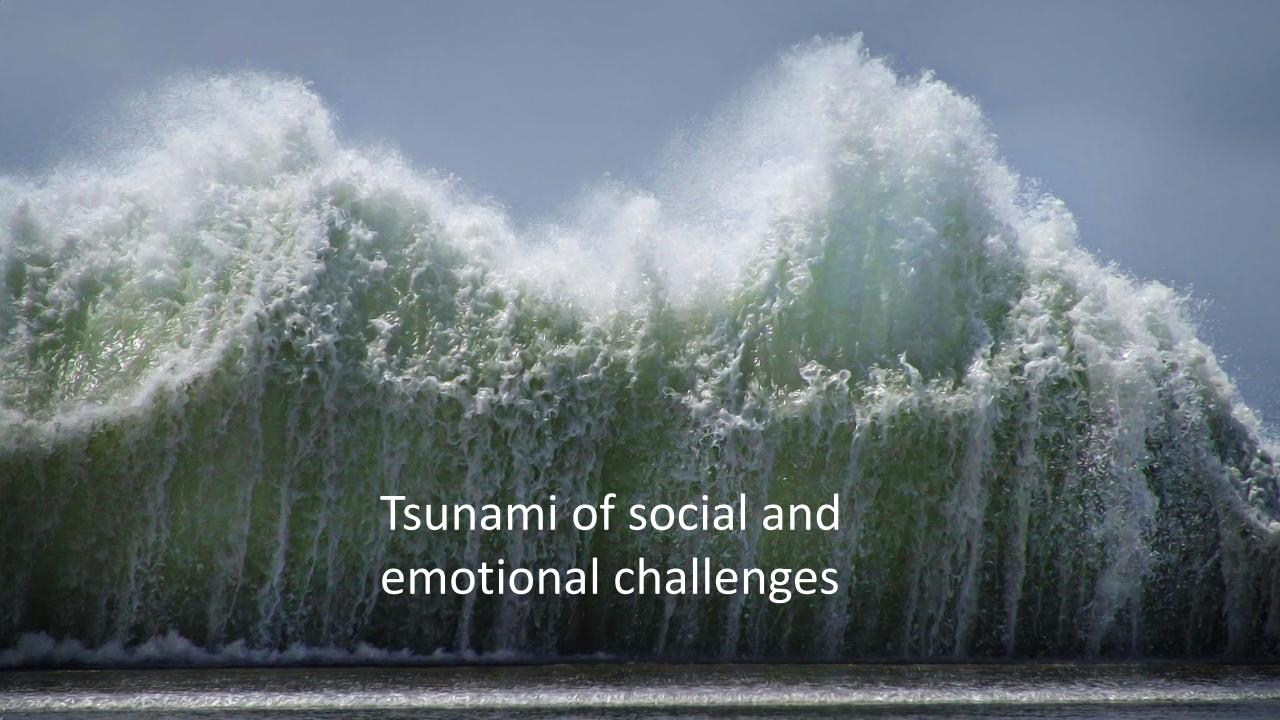






School Games





Active in Mind









Be clear on your mission

[audience X] finds [content Y] for [benefit Z].

ALL young people, find meaningful, relevant and fun physical education, which improves their wellbeing today and for life



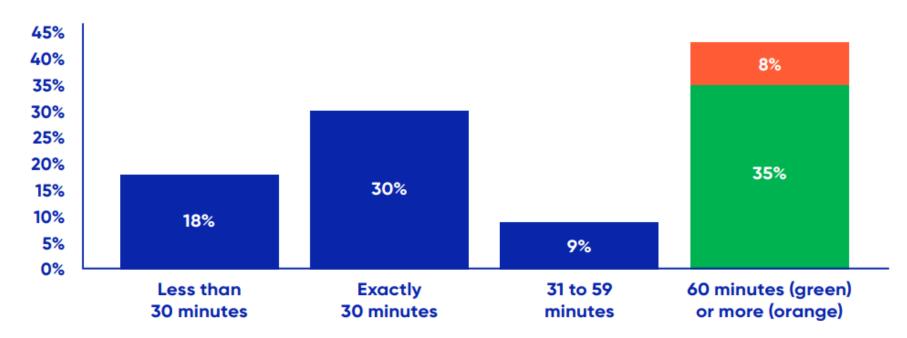
Be on the front foot





Educate parents & carers

The amount of daily physical activity parents think that 5 to 18 year old children should be doing per day







https://youtu.be/r19kV2eq7-0