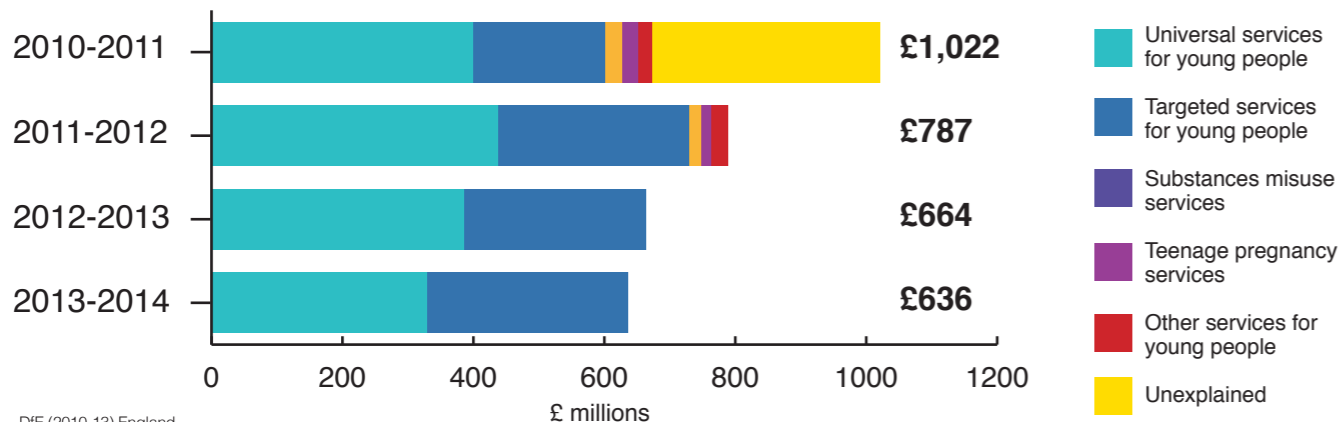


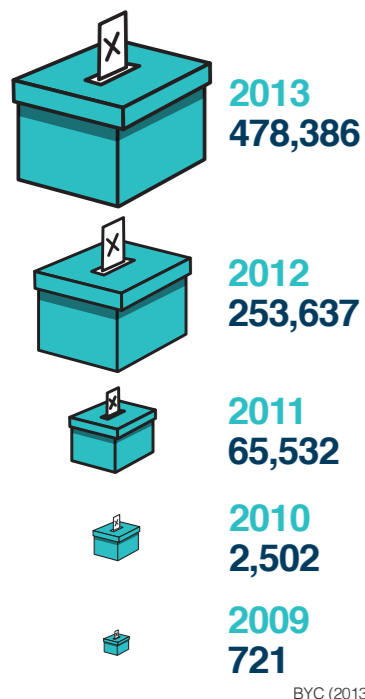
# Estimated Local Authority expenditure on youth services (£m net)

It is currently impossible to show accurately how the level of investment in young people and youth services that local authorities make has changed over the past five years because of a change in reporting requirements.



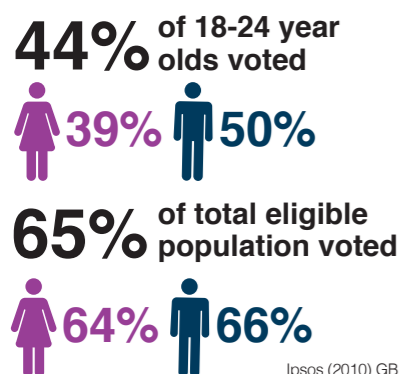
DfE (2010-13) England

## Votes in UK Youth Parliament



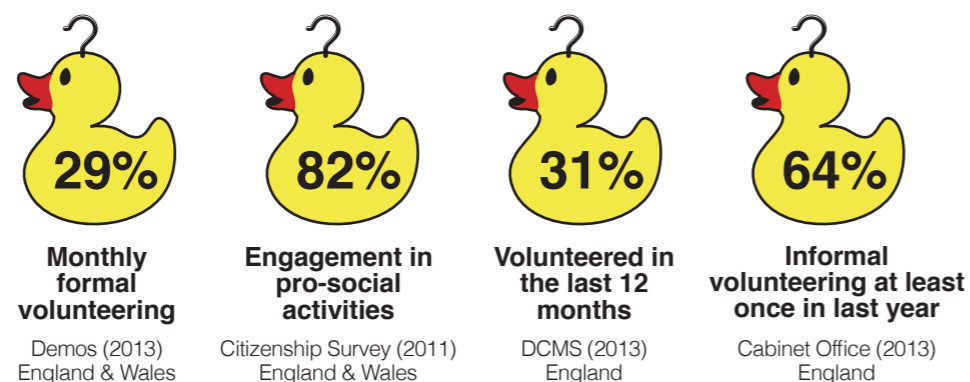
BYC (2013) UK

## Youth turnout at 2010 general election



Ipsos (2010) GB

## 16-24 year olds participating in society



Demos (2013) England & Wales; Citizenship Survey (2011) England & Wales; DCMS (2013) England; Cabinet Office (2013) England



Those young people (16-24) who do volunteer spend on average 13.5 hours volunteering per month

DCLG (2009-10) England



Charity Commission (2010) England & Wales

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# Youth Report 2013

Welcome to Youth Report 2013, a snapshot of data and statistics about young people and youth services. Youth Report was launched in July 2013 with the aim of creating an intelligence hub for the youth sector. Youth Report will make existing data, statistics, research and practice examples more accessible to anyone who is planning activities, services and investment with and for young people.

As expected, we found that existing data has severe limitations. These lie in the diversity of data sources, the diversity in purposes for which data has been produced, and the lack of common data sets. Where possible we have

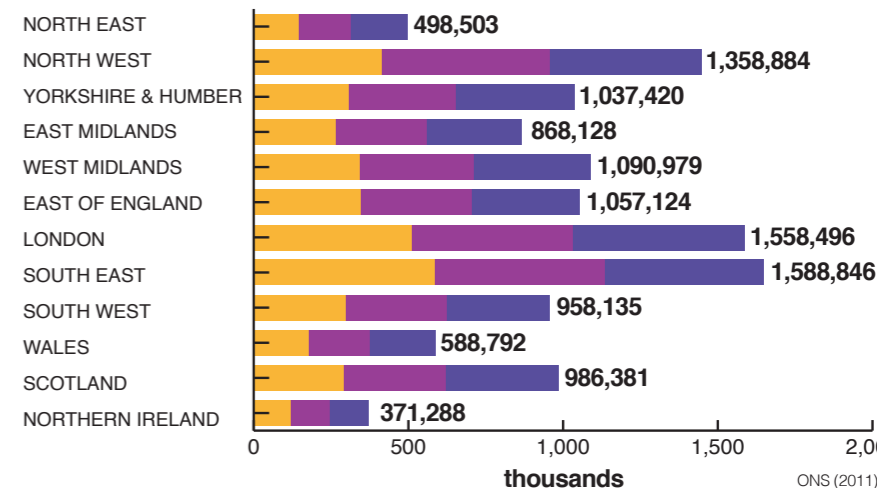
tried to present data in quinary age groups (10-14 years, 15-19 years, 20-24 years), covering young people aged 10 to 24 to take account of the key transition phases from childhood to youth, and youth to adulthood.

Above everything, this first Youth Report shows the need for urgent and much greater collaboration between research, policy and practice so that whatever limited investment is made into the potential of young people can be made on the basis of sound knowledge. Youth Report is grateful to the many individuals and organisations that try hard to shed light on what works for young people today. Youth Report has taken

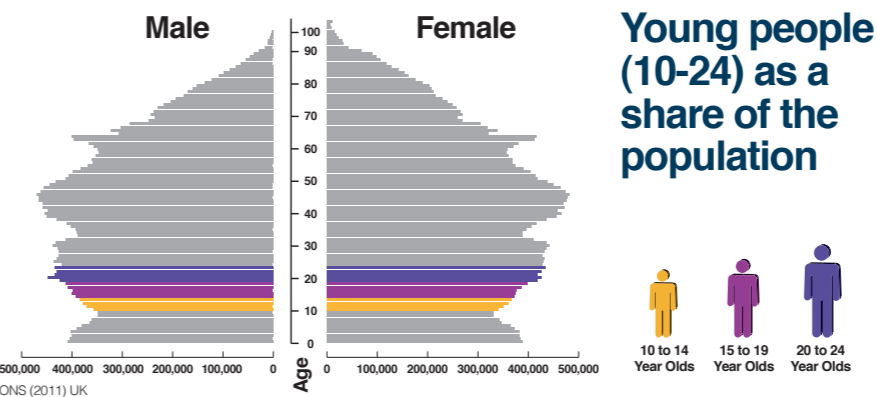
their work as inspiration for this publication and we hope to contribute to a community of researchers in the future.

This first Youth Report publication is a call for action. We urgently need to create a better evidence base that combines data and statistics with evidence of the impact of good practice. Such an evidence base needs to draw in young people as researchers and put their voice and experience at its core. In the coming year, Youth Report will work to develop a particular focus on showing how investment in young people's potential brings positive returns not just to young people, but all of us.

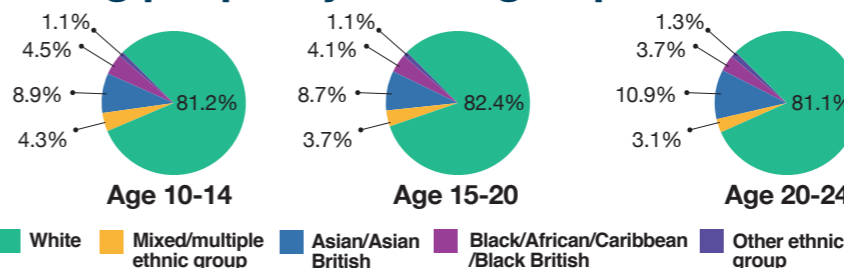
## Young people aged 10-24



ONS (2011) UK



## Young people by ethnic group

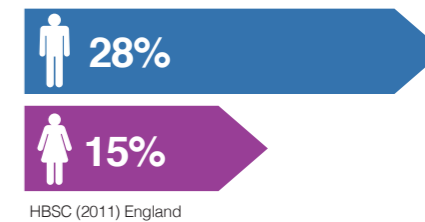


ONS (2011) England & Wales

## 40,193 Looked after young people (10-24)

DfE (2013) England

## 11-15 year olds meeting the recommended levels of physical activity



HBSC (2011) England

# 75,000

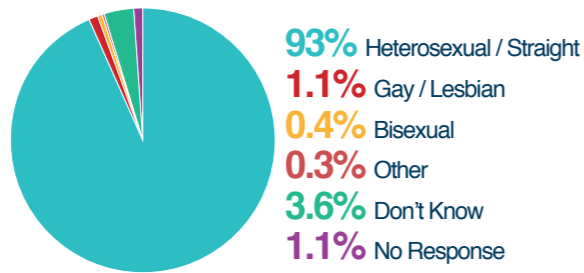
Young people (16-24) experiencing homelessness in a year

York University and Centrepoint (2008) UK

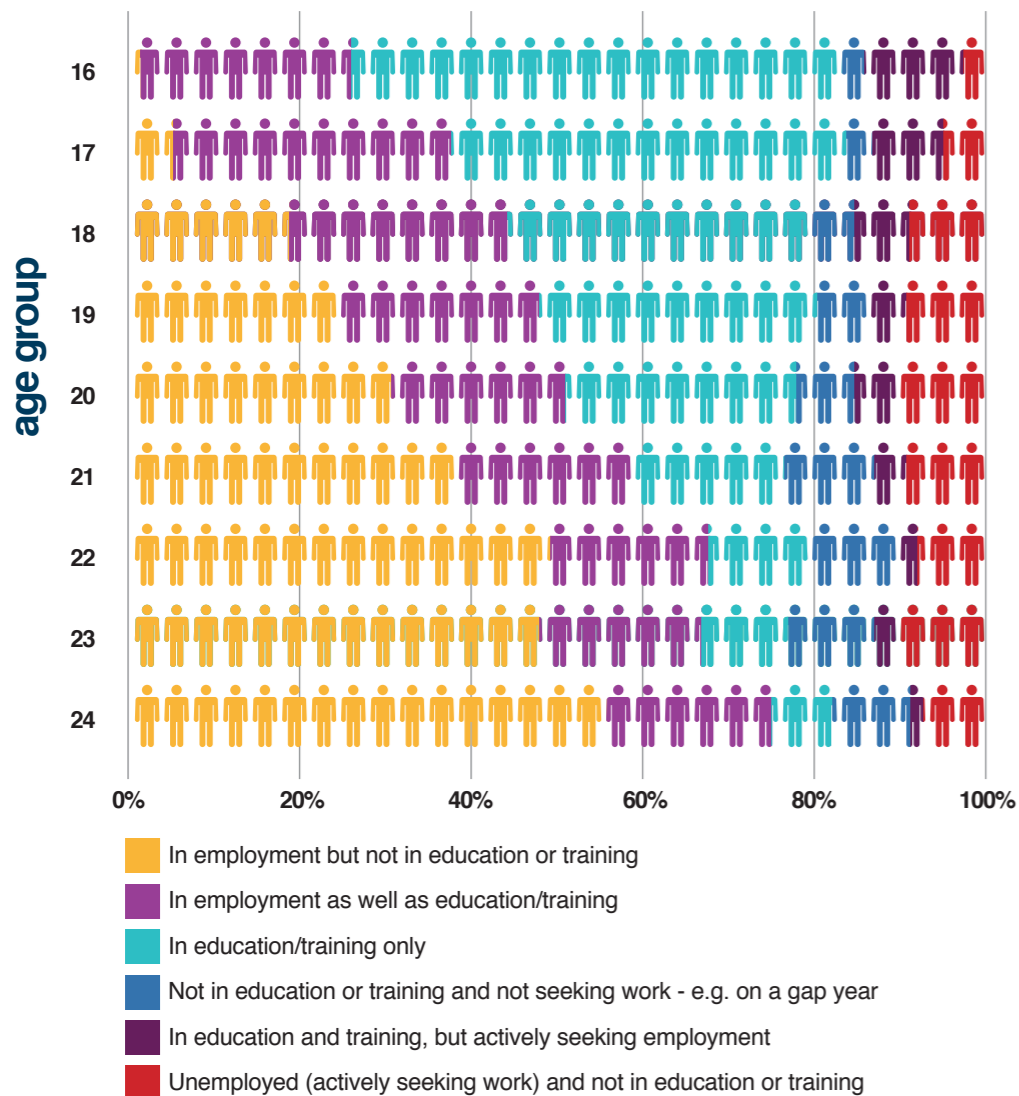
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16-25 year olds who identify as gay, lesbian, bisexual or other

ONS (2011) UK



## Young people in the labour market



ONS (2013 April-June) UK

## Return on Investment For every £1 invested:

This graph combines separate data published by youth charities and programmes, illustrating how they show return on investment. Data is illustrative only, not benchmarked and no comparison of value for money should be made between organisations.

Catch22: £5.56



Catch22 (2011)

vInspired: £5.80



vInspired (2011)

Teens and Toddlers: £1.71



C4EO (2011)

National Citizen Service: £2.80



NatCen (2012)

Boxing Academy: £3



NPC (2011)

Learning Challenge: £11.60

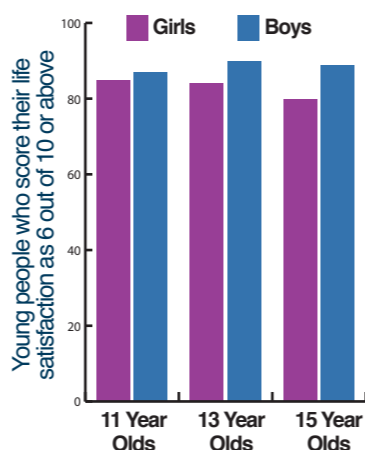


NPC (2007)



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## Life satisfaction

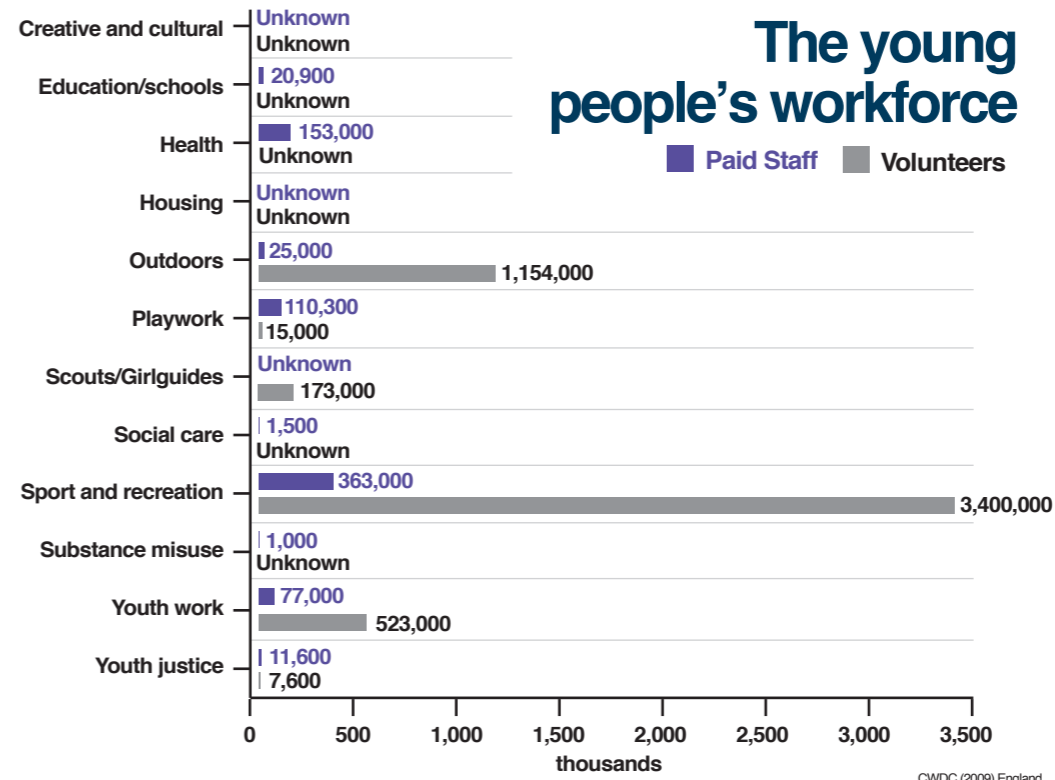


HBSC (2010) England

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Young people (11-24) at risk of poverty or social exclusion

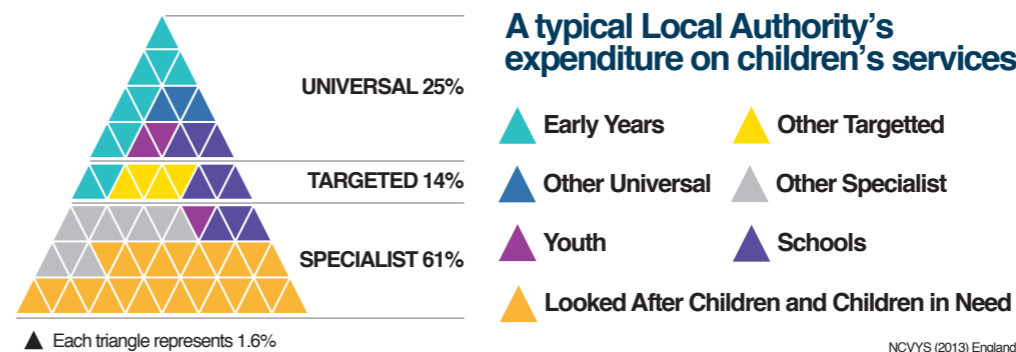
Eurostat (2011) UK



## The young people's workforce

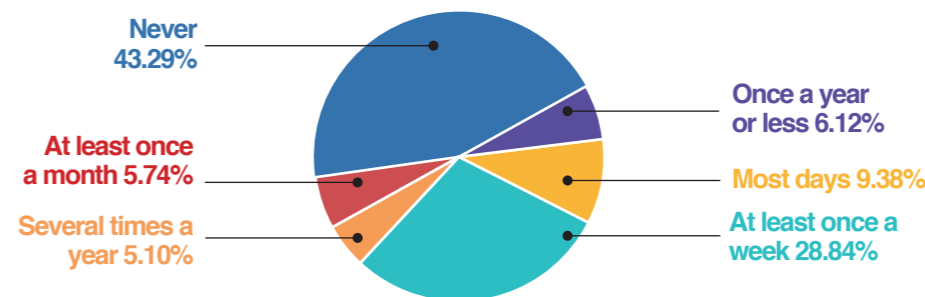
Legend: Paid Staff (Blue), Volunteers (Grey)

CWDC (2009) England



NCVYS (2013) England

## 10-15 year olds youth club usage



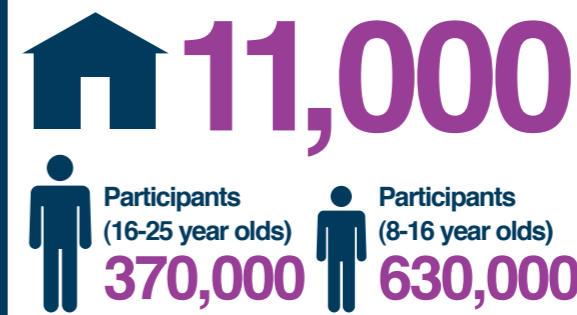
Understanding Society (2009) UK

## Scout groups and youth clubs

Size	Number
Less than £10,000	3,087
£10,000 to £100,000	3,130
£100,000 to £1 million	273
£1 million to £10 million	19
More than £10 million	1
Total income	£222.2m

NCVO (2010/11) UK

## Youth clubs in the UK



Ambition UK (2009) UK

# 7,509

Young people (10-20) in custody

MoJ (2013) England & Wales

## Cost of youth issues



MoCS (2013)

Youth Access (2010)

Youth unemployment **£28bn**

ACEVO (2012)

Failure to give advice on social welfare

Youth Access (2010)

£1.2bn

Youth crime

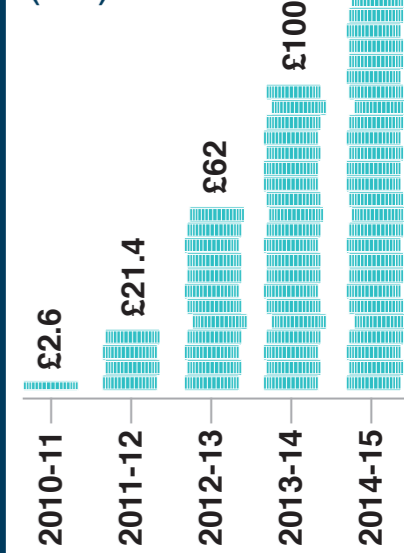
Prince's Trust (2009)

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Young carers (10-24)

ONS (2011) England & Wales

## Cost of National Citizen Service (£m)



Cabinet Office (2010-13), England