



# NETWORK IMPACT REPORT 2024-25





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# FOREWORD

Anyone who spends time in a Youth Zone knows how powerful youth work is. You can feel its energy the moment you walk through the doors and understand its transformational impact with every young person who shares their story. For us who work in this vibrant sector - the impact of youth work is undisputable.

## So why do we need evidence?

Put simply, because the scale of what youth work achieves for young people still doesn't have the societal recognition it deserves. Robust evidence, drawn from a methodology co-developed with King's College London, helps us demonstrate to funders, partners and decision-makers that youth work is not a "nice to have", it is essential. It gives young people the confidence to navigate challenges; supports their physical and mental wellbeing; builds emotional resilience; strengthens their social skills and relationships; and raises their aspirations and achievements. Together, these outcomes are vital foundations that help young people navigate adolescence and thrive into adulthood.

But evidence is more than making the case. It also helps us build a culture of continuous learning across the OnSide Network. Each data point represents hours of conversations between young people and their youth workers. Through the evaluation process we gain vital insight into what we're doing well and where



we can adapt or improve. This is an important tool for individual Youth Zones, ensuring they never stand still and continuously enhance the range of activities and opportunities offered to young people. Monitoring who we reach also helps ensure our membership reflects the rich diversity of the communities we serve.

I'm proud that this year's report shows improvements across all outcomes, with the proportion of young people reporting progress more than double those reporting a decrease. Crucially, this impact grows the longer young

people are members – powerful evidence for why sustained, long-term access to universal youth provision matters. It reflects the dedication of hundreds of people across the Network, from paid and volunteer youth workers to cleaners, reception staff and facilities teams, whose collective efforts ensure that OnSide Youth Zones are safe, inspiring environments where young people feel supported and able to thrive.

My sincere thanks to everyone who plays a part in making this impact possible.



**Jamie Masraff**  
Chief Executive, OnSide

# GEORGIA'S STORY

Meet Georgia, a 14-year-old member at The Way, Wolverhampton Youth Zone

“ When I first came here, I was a very anxious person, I struggled with stuff as simple as going to the shops or going out to eat. But, since coming to The Way I'm not as anxious; my confidence has boosted and I have made very strong bonds with people along the way. I really enjoy art, music and just talking in general, and every time I come to The Way, there are activities for me to do around those topics and people to talk to.

I've always struggled making bonds with people, but I've made friends with quite a few people here. I love how there are so many different backgrounds and personalities. I never really got to socialise before because I'm home-schooled and there weren't many opportunities to go out. Coming here has helped me socialise and given me more chances to make friends. Thanks to the staff I've started learning the acoustic guitar and how to play pool. Now, The Way is my favourite place to go. I'm more social now, I talk more, I have more friends, and I'm more confident. I want to work here when I'm older.

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# WHO WE ARE AND WHAT WE STAND FOR

We're OnSide, a national charity that believes all young people should have the opportunity to discover their passion and their purpose.

## Our Vision

For every young person across the UK to be happy, healthy and able to thrive.

## Our Mission

To empower young people to lead positive, fulfilling lives by providing access to incredible spaces and exceptional youth work, delivered by outstanding people, where they are needed the most.

## Our Values

Our values underpin everything we do and how we do it. They are:

**YOUNG PEOPLE FIRST**



**COLLABORATION**



**AMBITION**



**RESPECT**



**EXCELLENCE**



## What we do

To achieve our vision, we fund, build, launch and support a national Network of state-of-the-art, multimillion-pound youth centres. We call these Youth Zones, located in the UK's most economically disadvantaged areas. By the end of the period covered in this report (1 April 2024 - 31 March 2025) there were **15** Youth Zones in the OnSide Network supporting over **50,000** young people and by 2027 we'll have **22** Youth Zones reaching over **80,000** young people.

### 1 We invest in young people

OnSide Youth Zones aren't youth centres as you may know them. They are brand new, purpose-built spaces, fizzing with energy and crammed with incredible facilities including an indoor climbing wall, 3G kick pitch, 4 court sports hall, music room with recording studio, dance and drama studio, training kitchen, arts and crafts room, enterprise and employability suite, fully equipped gym and much more. Youth Zones are purposely ambitious in terms of scale and quality to send a message to young people that someone really believes in them and has invested in their future.

### 2 We deliver high quality youth work at scale

The amazing facilities in our Youth Zones are important. But their real impact comes from the life-changing youth work that goes on in the building. That's why we don't just create state-of-the-art spaces; we train and support skilled and dedicated youth workers to run them. People who understand where young people are coming from, truly believe in where they're going and give them the tools to get there.

### 3 We collaborate with communities

Everything we do is about collaboration; our success depends on us working with others who share our vision. Our unique 4-way partnership is at the heart of how we create these incredible spaces - we bring together young people and their community, local authorities and supporters from the private sector (including businesses and philanthropists) to fund and build each Youth Zone. We have created a sustainable revenue model so that each Youth Zone can support young people now and for generations to come.



# WHY YOUTH ZONES ARE NEEDED

**Young people living in the UK are facing significant challenges. Many are struggling with their mental health, feeling isolated, and growing up in communities hit hard by poverty and the cost-of-living crisis.**

One in four young people are now reported to be experiencing a mental health condition<sup>1</sup> and nearly one million young people are not in education, employment or training<sup>2</sup>.

Our *Generation Isolation* research highlighted the scale of these challenges. It showed that too many young people spend much of their free time alone, feeling anxious and cut off from the real-world connections and support that help them grow and succeed, and turning to technology like AI for advice, company and support.

For young people living in communities most affected by poverty and the rising cost of living, these challenges are even tougher. That is why our work to create safe, inspiring spaces, offer support from trusted adults and provide new opportunities for young people to thrive, matters now more than ever.



**The case for Youth Zones has never been clearer:**



Youth service funding in England has fallen **73%** since 2010, with **£1.2bn** less spent each year.<sup>3</sup>



Since 2010, **4,500** youth work jobs have been cut and **760** youth centres closed.<sup>3</sup>



**34%** of young people reported high or very high loneliness last year.<sup>4</sup>



**One in four** young people are now reported to be experiencing a mental health condition.<sup>5</sup>



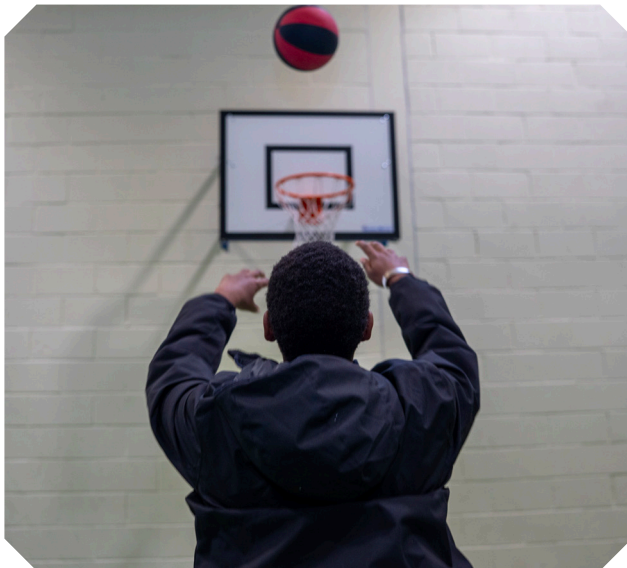
For every **£1** invested into the OnSide Network there was a return of over **£13** of social value in terms of young people's wellbeing.<sup>6</sup>

<sup>1</sup>One in four young people in England have mental health condition, NHS survey finds | Mental Health | The Guardian <sup>2</sup>Young people not in education, employment or training (NEET), UK - Office for National Statistics  
<sup>3</sup>YMCA England and Wales. (2025). Beyond the Brink? The state of funding for youth services. <sup>4</sup>OnSide. (2024). Generation isolation: OnSide's annual study into young people's lives outside school.  
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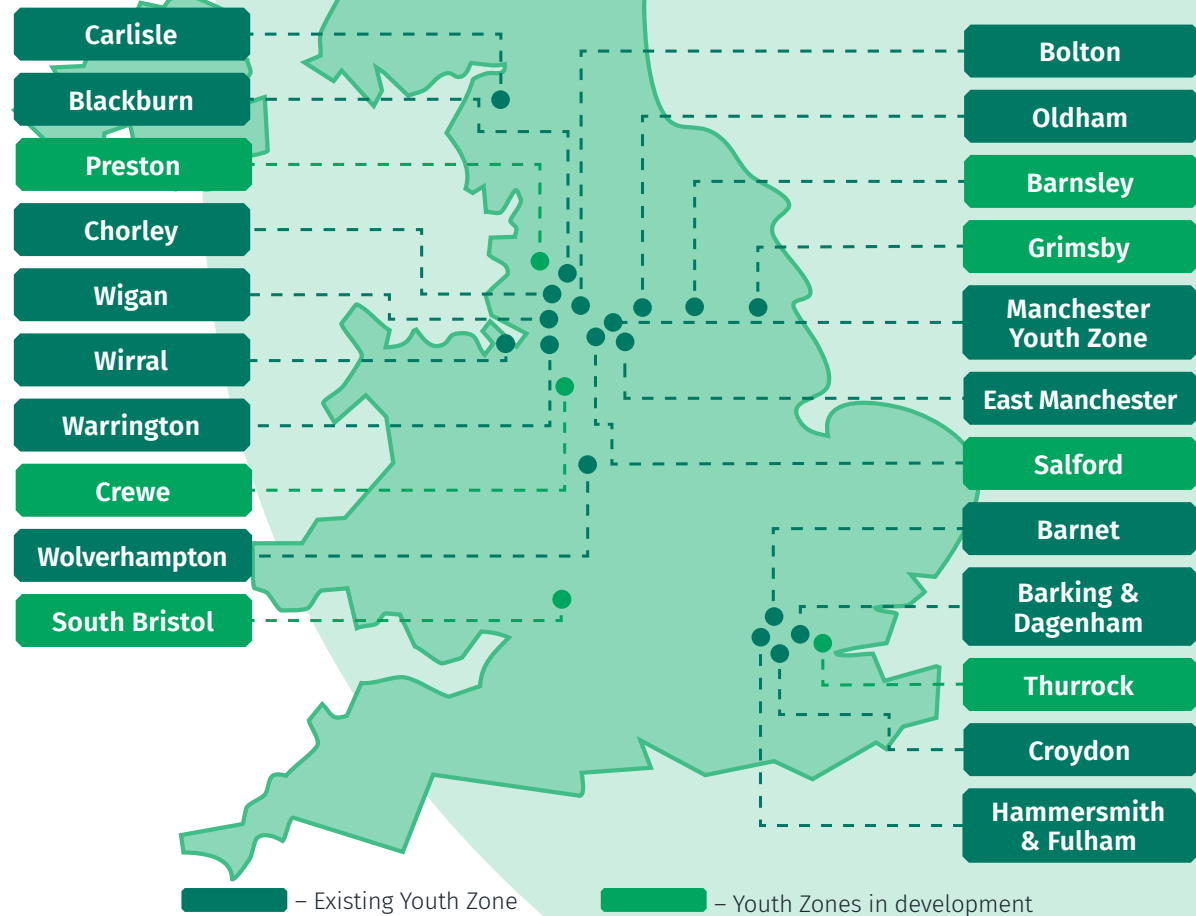
# THE YOUTH ZONE NETWORK

**We believe that every young person deserves the chance to shine, regardless of their postcode or background.**

We're proud that as a Network we are changing lives and creating opportunities for young people growing up in some of the country's most disadvantaged communities. By the end of 2027, our Network will include 22 Youth Zones, reaching 80,000 young people across the UK. And we're not stopping there — by 2035, we aim to grow to 35 Youth Zones, enabling 150,000 young people to thrive.



We are embedded in communities across the UK and by 2027, **16%** of the country's youth population will live within reach of a Youth Zone.



\*The map is reflective of the time period covered in this report: April 24-March 25

# OUR MEMBERS

**OnSide Youth Zones are open to young people aged 8-19 (or up to 25 for those with additional needs), up to seven days a week including evenings, weekends and school holidays.**

Youth Zones are located in the heart of communities across the UK where there is the greatest need. Annual membership costs just £5 per year and 50p per visit to ensure they are accessible to all young people.

Operating across a national Network means collectively we reach a broad range of diverse young people in disadvantaged communities, giving them a safe space to have fun, connect with others, learn new skills and receive valuable support from trusted youth workers.

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*I was getting bored at home, and there was a lot going on, so I needed somewhere to escape to.*”

**George, 14, The Hive, Wirral Youth Zone**

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*Before the Youth Zone there was nothing for people like me, who have additional needs, in the local area. I wanted somewhere where I could be with people my age and help expand my social skills.*”

**Jonathan, 25, Carlisle Youth Zone**



## The OnSide Network's Impact

Between April 2024 and March 2025 there were:

Over **600,000** meaningful engagements with young people – 25,000 higher than in the previous year.



Over **50,000** members supported.



More than **40,000** visits from 8,000 young people on Holiday Club sessions.



## Supporting young people facing the greatest barriers



**9%** of young people attending OnSide Youth Zones are currently or have experienced living in the care system – 12 times higher than the national population.<sup>7</sup>

**64%** of members are from the country's most deprived geographical areas.\*

**47%** of members are eligible for free school meals.



**50%** more sessions were attended on average by neurodivergent members than by those without additional needs - in a sector where this group of young people is often under-represented.<sup>8</sup>



### How young people spend their time:

Every night, a Youth Zone offers up to 20 different activity options each staffed with dedicated and trained youth workers.

With over 720,000 activities recorded across the OnSide Network last year, young people had an exceptional breadth of options to choose from. Whether taking part in team sports, developing

new skills like dance or pottery through targeted projects or simply relaxing and chatting to friends and youth workers.

Some of the most popular activity areas include the Sports Hall, Art Studio and Music Studio, where over 200,000 activities were recorded last year collectively.

<sup>7</sup>NSPCC. (2024). Children in care in England: Statistics briefing. Available at: <https://learning.nspcc.org.uk/media/mjrls2ci/statistics-briefing-children-care.pdf> <sup>8</sup>UK Youth. (2025). Barriers and Enablers to Participation in Youth Activities Research

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# OUR PEOPLE

**With government funding in youth services having fallen 73% and 4,500 youth workers leaving the sector since 2010, the OnSide Network of Youth Zones and their teams supporting thousands of young people have never been more crucial.**

In the face of these challenges, the OnSide Network is helping to strengthen the youth sector by creating stable, high-quality youth work roles and investing in the people who deliver them. Across our Network, Youth Zones provide trusted, well-supported environments where youth workers can build long-term careers and deliver consistent, high-impact support to young people in their communities.

Across the network last year, more than 900 people played a role in supporting young people, comprising of over 400 youth workers, 240 volunteers and 300 support staff.

Key findings from the National Youth Agency's annual workforce survey highlight the positive impact of training, not only on youth workers themselves but on the quality of youth work delivered. As youth workers gain new skills and qualifications, their confidence and commitment

to the sector grow, leading to stronger retention over time and more consistent, trusted relationships with young people. Professional development is also highlighted as an area youth workers place strong emphasis on.<sup>9</sup>

To support our people and their professional growth, OnSide runs the Talent Academy, a growing programme that offers training and development opportunities for staff across the Network. In the past year, the Talent Academy became an accredited centre for the Level 2 Award in Youth Work, enabling more youth workers to gain recognised qualifications. This marks an important step in strengthening career pathways for youth workers across the Network.




**Highlights from 2024/25 include:**

**2,652** hours of learning delivered to **404** members of staff through the Talent Academy.



**53,600** hours of youth work delivered.



**68** employees across the Network received 1:1 coaching.



**68** managers completing Leadership and Management programmes.



<sup>9</sup> National Youth Agency. (2025). Youth Sector Workforce Survey Report 2025.

# RILEY'S STORY

Meet Riley, a 14-year-old member at Inspire, Chorley Youth Zone

“ I joined the Youth Zone as I wanted to meet new people and to learn more skills and it has helped a lot coming here. I was eight when I joined, so I wasn't doing much before I came here. Now I come in for near enough every session, learning more and more skills, taking part in the Duke of Edinburgh, using the machines in the Maker Zone to create things.

When I first started, I was a little bit nervous because I didn't really know people. Once you start coming regularly, you engage with staff and the activities, and you find a group who are your

type of people and who you want to be friends with. I feel a lot more confident than when I first started. I engage a lot more, do more activities, and try more rooms out.

Coming to Inspire has really helped my health mentally and physically. I've also benefitted from meeting people and socialising; you can bounce ideas with people who have the same problems as you, inside or outside of the Youth Zone.

What I like about coming to the Youth Zone is you get to learn new skills. For example, I learned the drums, and a little of the guitar when I first

started. I've learnt a lot about cooking, climbing, basketball, football, and more. Staff really are there to help with any problems you have outside of the Youth Zone.

I'm much more confident speaking to people, I'm a lot more aware of how people think and what to say and what not to say. I'm learning how to treat people the best that you can and how to engage with others. ”



# OUR APPROACH TO IMPACT EVALUATION

**Our vision is for every young person to be happy, healthy and thriving. To help us achieve this vision, we've set five goals that guide everything we do.**

Each goal is underpinned by a key outcome theme that helps us see the real difference our work is making, empowering young people to reach their potential and build brighter futures.

To track our progress and measure impact, youth workers conduct initial surveys with members early in their membership of a Youth Zone, that we refer to as 'baseline surveys' and then follow up roughly every six months to check-in and track how a young person's answers have changed. The surveys we use across the Network are known as 'ME Apps'.

Goal	Outcome measurement
Giving young people a safe, exciting place to go, to have fun, build their social networks and support their personal development.	Measured by <b>'confidence'</b>
Help young people lead happier, healthier lives.	Measured by <b>'health'</b>
Enabling young people to better face the challenges of life.	Measured by <b>'emotional skills and relationships'</b>
Support young people to raise the aspirations and fulfil their potential.	Measured by <b>'aspirations and achievements'</b>
Strengthen communities by supporting young people to be empowered, active, responsible citizens.	Measured by <b>'social skills'</b>



## MORE ABOUT THE ME APP EVALUATION SYSTEM

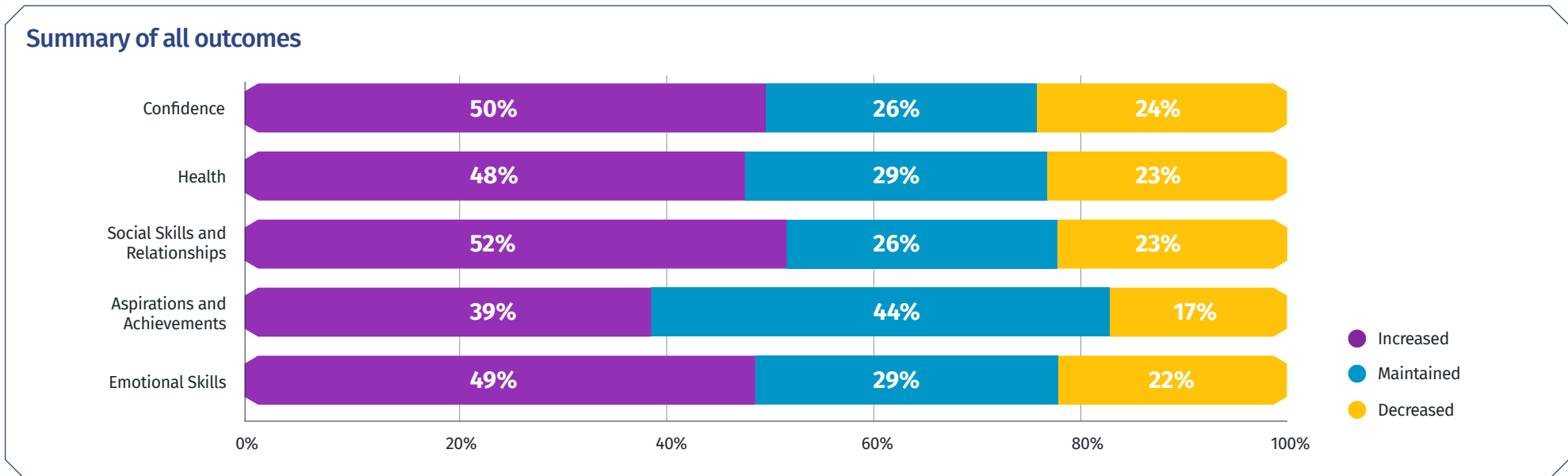
The ME App evaluation system was designed in partnership with the EDIT (Evidence Development and Incubation Team) at King's College London. It is an online survey with a short series of attitudinal questions that ask young people to rate themselves between one and five in several areas aligned to our defined outcomes, including self-confidence, social skills, physical health and mental wellbeing.

Young people complete the questionnaire alongside a trusted youth worker at different points throughout the year, so we can monitor changes over time.

# KEY FINDINGS FROM 2024/25



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## In 2023/24 2,198 unique complete sets of ME App evaluations were collected.

In 2024/25 3,841 unique complete sets of ME APP evaluations were completed. This is an increase of 75% from 2023/24 and means that we can produce more robust and statistically secure findings.

## Positive impact across all outcomes

Across all follow-up evaluations collected in 2024/25, we see positive impact across every outcome linked to OnSide’s goals. In each of the

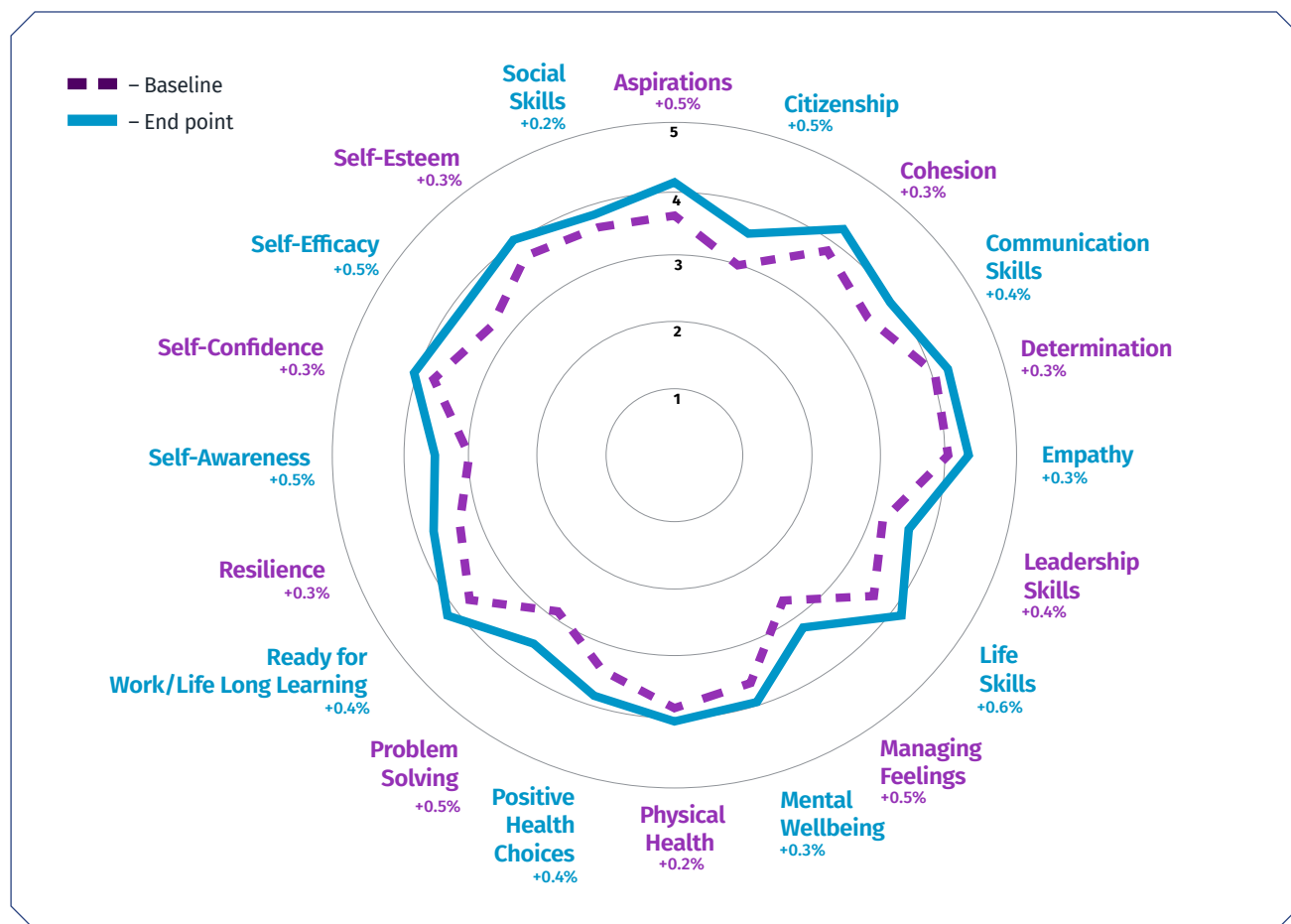
five key outcome areas, the proportion of young people reporting improvements is more than double the proportion reporting a decrease. When taking an average across all outcomes, 48% of members show an improvement over their time at a Youth Zone. When comparing the previous year, on average, the percentage of young people showing positive improvement from initial to end point survey increased by 3.3 percentage points and there was a marked improvement in the percentage of young people increasing their confidence scores this year (50% this year, 40% in 23/24).



The five key outcomes on the previous page are made up of average scores from a range of 20 individual outcome measurements that the ME App evaluation framework covers.

The average change in scores from baseline to end point evaluation for each of the 20 outcomes measured is presented below:

This shows that on end point surveys, young people improve their scores on average across all the outcomes we measure compared to their initial ranking. The greatest improvement in scores is in life skills, with young people on average increasing by +0.6 points on our 1-5 scale.



## Understanding aspirations and a lack of access

The data shows that there was least visible progress for young people in aspirations and achievements.

However, this appears to be due to young people already scoring highly at baseline, leaving less room for further increase.

The fact that this is the area where the highest proportion of young people maintain their scores (44%) reinforces this, suggesting that young people don't lack aspirations; rather, they need greater access to the resources and opportunities that help them achieve those ambitions.

## Stability in uncertain times

While we want to see progress for all young people, we also recognise the reality of the world they're growing up in. Rising pressures around mental health, social isolation, and unemployment mean that many young people are experiencing increased stress and uncertainty. In this context, maintaining stable wellbeing scores is an important outcome in itself.

On average, across all outcomes, 31% of our members show this stability; indicating that Youth Zones are providing a consistent, protective space where young people can remain grounded, even when challenges around them intensify.

# A BREAKDOWN OF THE FINDINGS

## In the ME App evaluation framework, a score of 5 represents the highest self-reported outcome.

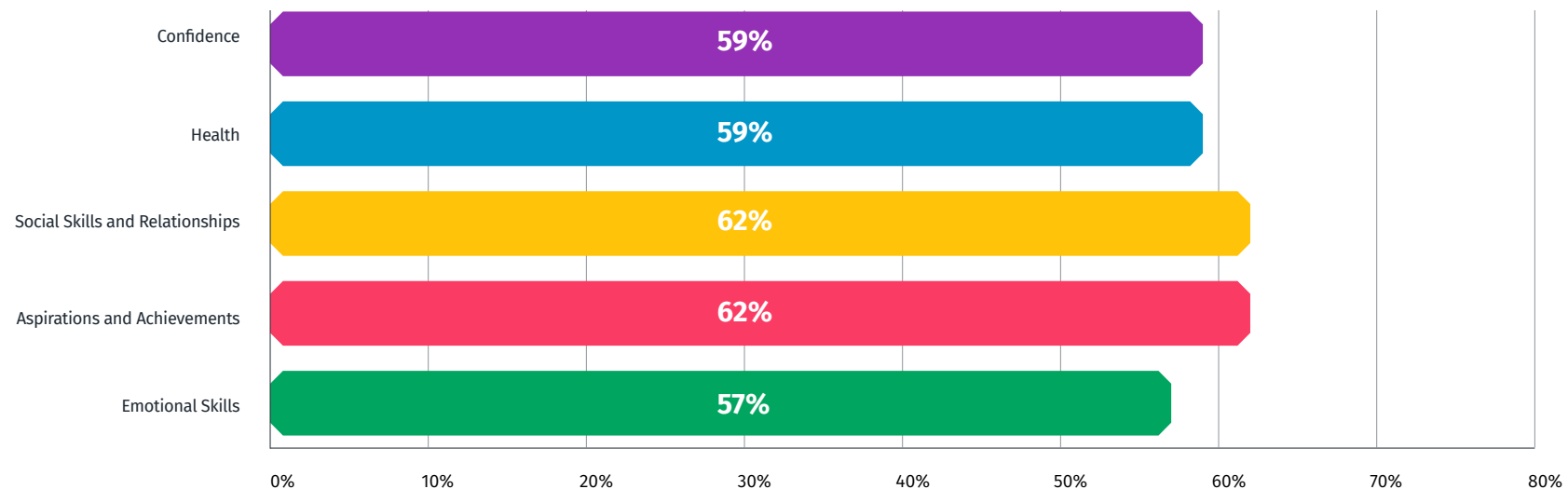
For young people starting their journey at this level, success is defined by maintenance rather than upward progression. To understand how effectively we support members to build new strengths, the following analysis filters out those starting at the ceiling (5/5) and focuses on members with 'room for growth'.

While our 'Key Findings' showed that many members arrive with high aspirations, this adjusted data reveals a crucial insight for those who don't. When we look specifically at members starting with lower scores, aspirations and achievement becomes the area where the joint highest positive progression is seen. This demonstrates that for the young people who need it most, Youth Zones are effective at igniting ambition, while for those already highly motivated, we provide the access to realise it.



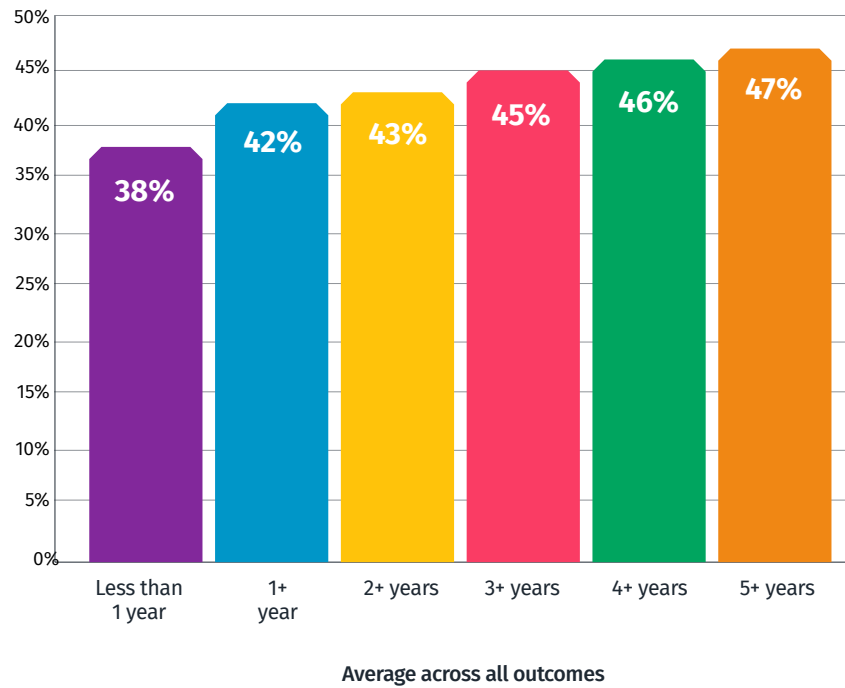
The other key outcome areas show similarly strong gains. When we exclude young people who started at the maximum score and therefore could not show further improvement, an average of **60%** demonstrate an increase in their scores.

Percentage of individuals with a baseline score less than 5 whose scores increased

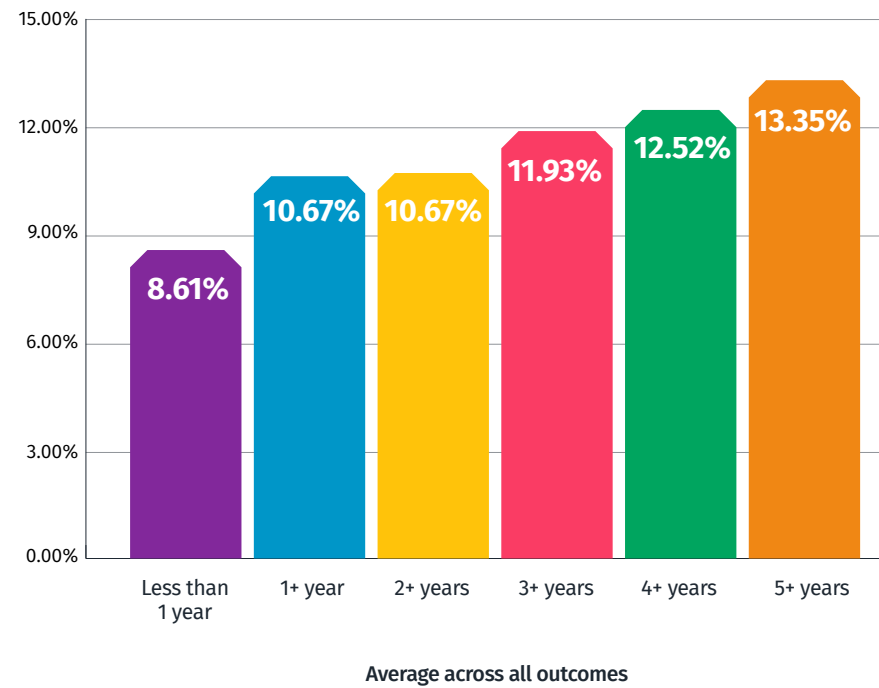


As well as our overall impact, we also look at how our impact changes over the duration of a young person's membership of a Youth Zone. This is presented below for all follow up ME App evaluations completed in 2024/25:

Percentage of young people showing improvement, by length of membership



Percentage change in raw scores from baseline to end, by length of membership



The analysis by length of membership highlights that impact steadily grows, both in percentage of young people making improvements and in the percentage change of the raw scores.



This demonstrates that not only does attending a Youth Zone have a positive impact, but that it continues to make a positive impact as members engage more over time.

# LARA'S STORY

Meet Lara\*, aged 25 and a member at Wigan Youth Zone

“ When I first moved to Wigan I didn't know where to start. I went through a lot, too much for a teenage girl. I have been through depression, anxiety, eating problems, self-harm and sometimes I have not wanted to be here. These feelings are scary to face on your own as an adult, let alone a young person. Wigan Youth Zone has given me a sense of security. It is such a unique place, no one can compare to the staff here and the opportunities

they can provide for you. Everyone knew me and I felt like I could walk into every room and feel so comfortable.

My youth worker in my Wellbeing sessions created a space to be honest, and they always gave me the best advice. They have been a shoulder to cry on and have been someone I could go to if I just wanted to sit in silence. They allowed me to open up and access the help that I needed. They have turned my life around

completely without a doubt. They've brought me out of my shell and have given me life skills that will help me forever. I am so grateful to them for being there for me when my Gran passed away. They have taught me that I don't have to suffer in silence anymore. They are my biggest role model and because of them I can thrive and be independent.

I am so grateful for everything everyone at Wigan Youth Zone has done for me. ”

\*\*Name has been changed.

Youth Zones are open to young people up to the age of 25 with additional needs.



# CELEBRATING OUR FUNDERS

## Spotlight on the Burberry Inspire Project



**Our impact is only possible through collaboration. The dedication and generosity of our partners and funders enable us to bring Youth Zones to life and create opportunities for thousands of young people every year. Their belief in what young people can achieve fuels our success and helps us reach even further.**

Every one of our funders helps to create and sustain the impact we have on young people, and one partnership that has made an incredible difference is Burberry Inspire, a programme that is igniting creativity, confidence and connection across the OnSide Network.

**To date, Burberry Inspire has reached more than 20,000 Youth Zone members** through arts activities ranging from fashion shows to Christmas markets, and from music production to art installations exploring Black History Month.

Burberry Inspire is powerful because it reflects one of OnSide's core values: putting young people first. Each project is designed and led by young

people themselves, giving them the space, trust and support to shape ideas that matter to them.

Having completed its second year, the £1.2 million Burberry Inspire programme is delivered across every open Youth Zone from Carlisle to Croydon. In partnership with The Burberry Foundation and the International Youth Foundation, this global initiative is on track to deliver over 135 Burberry Inspire projects with OnSide across the UK by 2026.

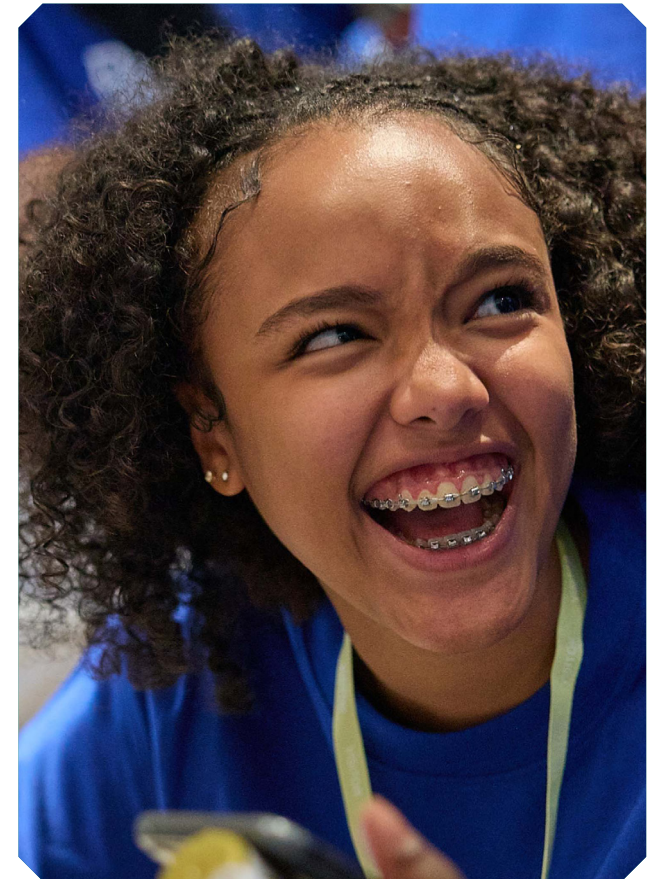
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*I've seen positive progression in all of the young people — whether it's an improvement in confidence, or they've been able to get up in front of people, perform, sing, show off how really amazing their talent is.*”

**Kyle Chidlaw, Youth Worker,  
Warrington Youth Zone**

Beyond individual projects, the programme is strengthening the Youth Zone Network's long-term capacity by investing in youth worker

development through the OnSide Talent Academy, including staff trained to embed creativity in their practice. In doing so, it is helping ensure that the impact of Burberry Inspire endures long after each project ends.





**Over 100 Burberry colleagues have also volunteered their time and expertise, from skills sessions at Burberry's London HQ to seasonal volunteering in Youth Zones.**

The partnership's reach extends beyond direct delivery. The Burberry Foundation has sponsored pioneering research with King's College London to explore the link between attending Youth Zones and educational attainment, evidence that could redefine how open-access youth work is valued by policymakers, funders and communities alike.

As a founding partner of Burberry Inspire's global programme, OnSide and the Youth Zone Network are contributing to an ambition to reach over 500,000 young people worldwide between FY 2022/23 and FY 2025/26, demonstrating how creativity can be a catalyst for confidence, connection and change.



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*I love getting messy and making lots of different things, it makes me feel calm and happy, and I can try out all my ideas without worrying if they're perfect.*”

**Anna (Alias), Member at Blackburn and Darwen Youth Zone**

# KEY REFLECTIONS AND THE YEAR AHEAD

**As OnSide continues to grow within a challenging financial landscape, we have three key focuses for development in the coming years:**



## **1. Growing the Network effectively**

Building on our current growth plans with five new Youth Zones due to open by 2027, we are exploring further new Youth Zones with local councils. Our aim is to ensure that growth strengthens the existing Network of Youth Zones by adding strategic value, opening up new funding potential and creating opportunities for collaboration through regional clustering.

## **2. Strengthening member engagement and retention**

There is an increasing appetite to effectively understand the data we collect and to use this to improve young people's engagement with Youth Zones. Despite newly opened Youth Zones pushing overall growth, average daily engagement across our Network remains below pre-pandemic levels, with certain groups, such as senior age female members, remaining lower than targeted. We have pulled together experts from across our Network, the youth sector and utilised external expertise to determine reasons for these trends. Currently, we are focusing on 'sticking points' in member engagement and retention – attempting to answer the question 'at what length and regularity of engagement do we see consistent impact and what causes members to drop-off before this point?'

## **3. Raising our profile and reputation in the youth sector**

As chair of the Back Youth Alliance this year (a coalition of organisations focused on young people including the National Youth Agency, the King's Trust and the Scouts) OnSide has contributed to shaping national priorities, including the development of a new National Youth Strategy and the allocation of Dormant Assets funding. Drawing on insights from across our Network, OnSide has submitted evidence to Government on key topics such as youth mental health and community cohesion. Our Generation Isolation research is held in the House of Commons Library and continues to inform civil servants and policymakers.

In 2026, we will publish independent research undertaken by King's College London to assess the link between Youth Zone membership and educational outcomes, supporting the Department for Education's priority on school attendance and absenteeism. Engaging with and researching the impact of Youth Zone membership on youth employment will also be a key focus, reflecting Government priorities. OnSide will also establish regular fora with Youth Zones to test and refine policy positions as part of our commitment to draw on Network insight.

# METHODOLOGY

## (Appendix)

We are committed to monitoring and evaluating the reach, quality and impact of our youth work, to help us learn and continuously improve the range of activities and opportunities offered to young people. We achieve this by collecting the following information:

- Young people’s information, including ethnicity, gender, disability, postcode (mapped against Indices of Deprivation)
- Engagement data, i.e. how often young people attend, what activities they engage with, etc.
- Outcome data, collected through the ME App system, and impact stories, measuring young people’s journeys.

Data is logged by both members and Youth Zone staff online and pulled through to our content management system, Salesforce, from where we perform local and national analysis.

The outcome measurements from the ME App system feed into 5 key themes (presented in this report) which align directly to our goals, and outcome measurements:

Outcome theme	Individual outcome measures that feed into this theme
Confidence	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Self-confidence</li> <li>• Self-esteem</li> <li>• Self-efficacy</li> </ul>
Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Physical Health</li> <li>• Positive health choices</li> <li>• Mental wellbeing</li> </ul>
Emotional skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Managing feelings</li> <li>• Problem solving</li> <li>• Resilience</li> <li>• Empathy</li> <li>• Self-awareness</li> </ul>
Social skills/ relationships	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Social skills</li> <li>• Communication skills,</li> <li>• Citizenship</li> <li>• Cohesion</li> <li>• Leadership skills</li> </ul>
Aspirations and achievements	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Aspirations</li> <li>• Determination</li> <li>• Life skills</li> <li>• Readiness for work/ lifelong learning</li> </ul>

We measure impact from these measurements predominantly by looking at the percentage of young people who increase, maintain or decrease their scores from baseline to end survey. However, raw changes between the scores are also tracked and presented in this report.

The data included in this report spans all membership data from young people’s engagement between 1 April 2024, to 31 March 2025. Only end point ME App data collected within this period is included, however initial baseline surveys may have been collected previously.

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