



Media Education and Dr Briega Nugent have worked with young people and organisations across Scotland to complete the following research report -

[A Creative Decade: Measuring the Impact of CashBack for Creativity | Creative Scotland](#)

The report demonstrates the impact creative arts projects which take place outside school can have on young people's mental health and wellbeing, on their life chances and ability to find their place in society. This may seem self-evident but as the report demonstrates the effects for some young people are life changing.

Several of the young people involved in the research were keen to take the findings further and reach a wider audience. They felt that in a period when funding was under threat the wider society, and not only those with the power to make decisions, might fail to appreciate the importance of the arts. For some young people community-based arts projects staffed by highly skilled facilitators are crucial to complement a school system which has not worked for everyone.

The following resources have been created to further explore the issues raised -

Murron: <https://vimeo.com/501822476>

Callum: <https://vimeo.com/501819054>

Andrew: <https://vimeo.com/501817024>

Password: CS

Hunter : Link to flipbook

<https://www.flipsnack.com/FashionCourse/picture-poem.html>

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Please join us for a live discussion and Q & A on the 29th January 2021 at 1.30pm. To attend please email kate@mediaeducation.co.uk

Please note we will not be showing the films as part of the event and would appreciate it if everyone could look through the work beforehand.