Young People's Mental Health During the Covid-19 Pandemic



18 schools



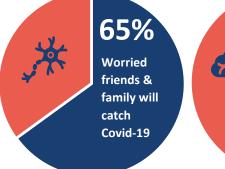
Over 800 pupils

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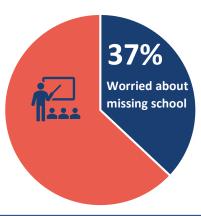
Survey 1: October 2019 (T1)

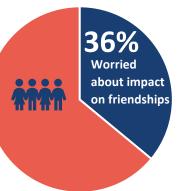
Survey 2: May 2020 (T2)

Student's Top Covid-19 Worries:

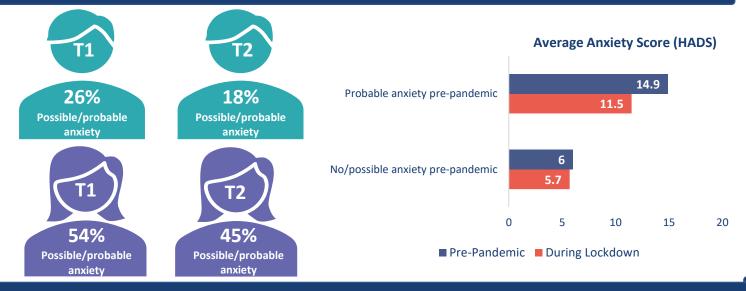




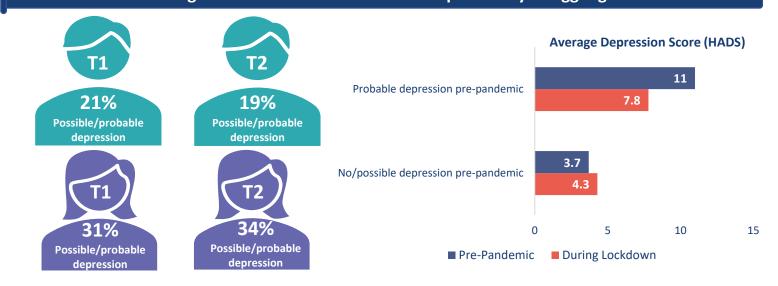




ANXIETY: Decrease in anxiety, particularly for those previously struggling



DEPRESSION: No change overall but decrease for those previously struggling



WELLBEING: Increase in wellbeing, particularly for those previously struggling



SOCIAL CONNECTEDNESS

SCHOOL

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Increase in how connected girls and boys feel to their school.

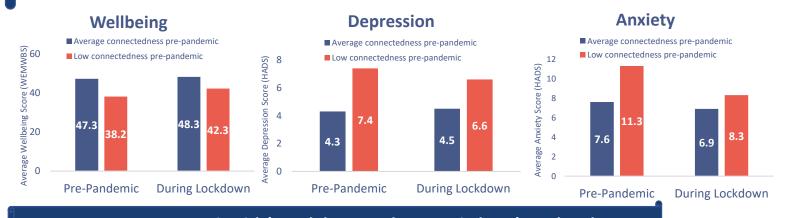
PEERS

Increase in how connected boys feel to their peers but no change for girls.

FAMILY

No change in how connected girls or boys feel to their family.

SCHOOL CONNECTEDNESS: Improved mental health for those with low connectedness pre-pandemic



SOCIAL MEDIA: Increase in girls' weekday use, decrease in boys' weekend use

