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THREAD: Effects of lockdowns & restrictions on kids and teenagers.
There's many amazing representatives of young people on here but as a young person myself seeing much of this daily, I thought it would be good to make this.

Firstly I think the underlying theme is just the destruction of livelihoods. The phrase 'let kids be kids' seems to have been forgotten about this year. Millions have missed out on experiences, events, friendships, socializing, education and just some the care free times of life.

90,000 London children homeless. This is very distressing.
https://t.co/fMuhFDWRU2

Child sexual abuse raised but is under reported.
https://t.co/dZVWkARWbe

Mental health worsens among young people, at the lowest risk from COVID.
https://t.co/i4gbLbYKyU

Pupils three months behind in education. Online learning doesn't work.
https://t.co/ggiC2tXFVe

Child abuse soars across the world.
https://t.co/1ZLrO1dskQ

Mass famine across the world, millions of children affected. For every person in the UK, 2 people in the world will be affected by famine brought on by lockdown.
https://t.co/GB27OWBiK0

Baby killings and harms spike by 20% during the first lockdown. Pretty hard to comprehend..
https://t.co/bKGUzT2zUM

I will add more to this later. If anyone has anything please send it to me