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1/ Today's Spending Review delivers on the priorities of the British people.

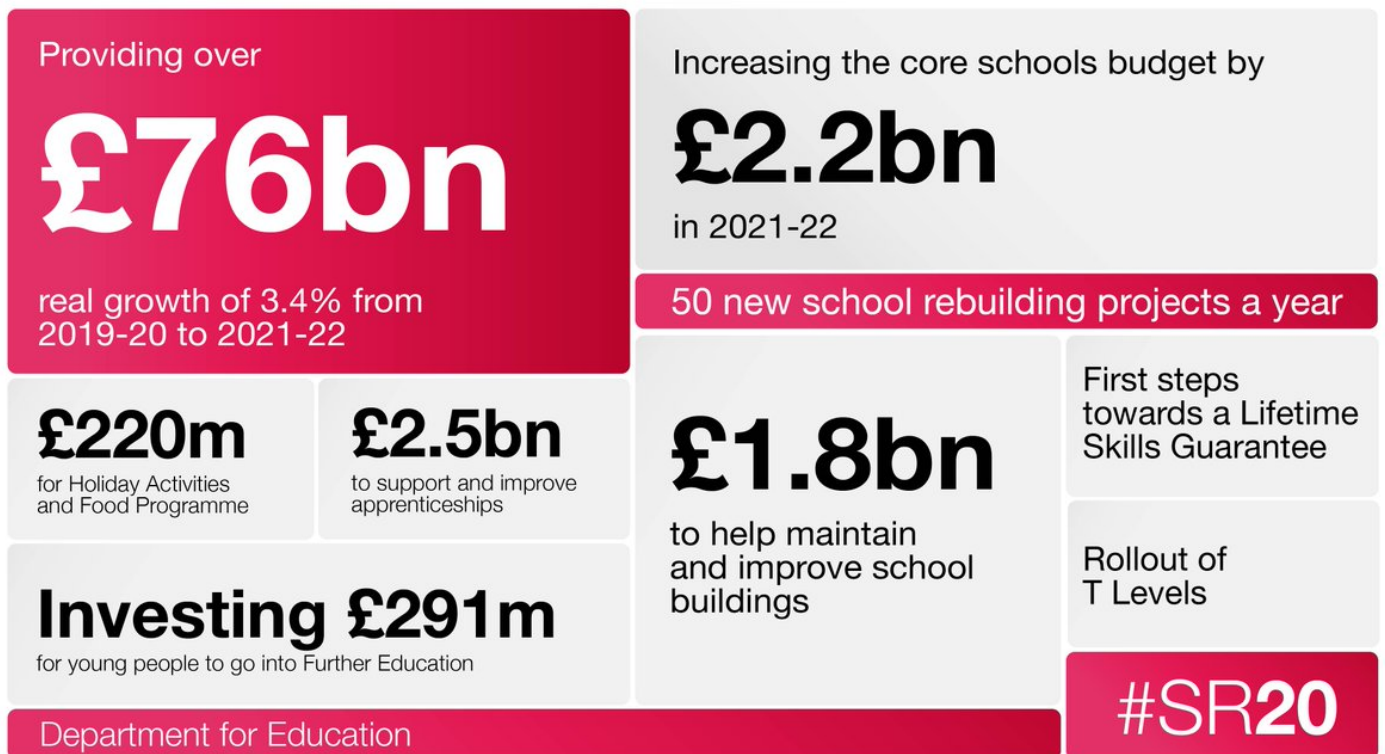
This thread covers **■■■■■ ■■ ■■■■ ■■■■ ■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■■** from Departments across Government. **#SR20**



2/ This Spending Review delivers a historically high [@UKHomeOffice](#) budget which will help them to keep people safe and deliver new border and immigration arrangements. **#SR20**



3/ We're providing over £76 billion for [@educationgovuk](https://www.education.gov.uk) to meet the government's commitment to level up education standards across the country and drive economic growth through improving the skills pipeline; levelling up productivity and supporting people into work. #SR20



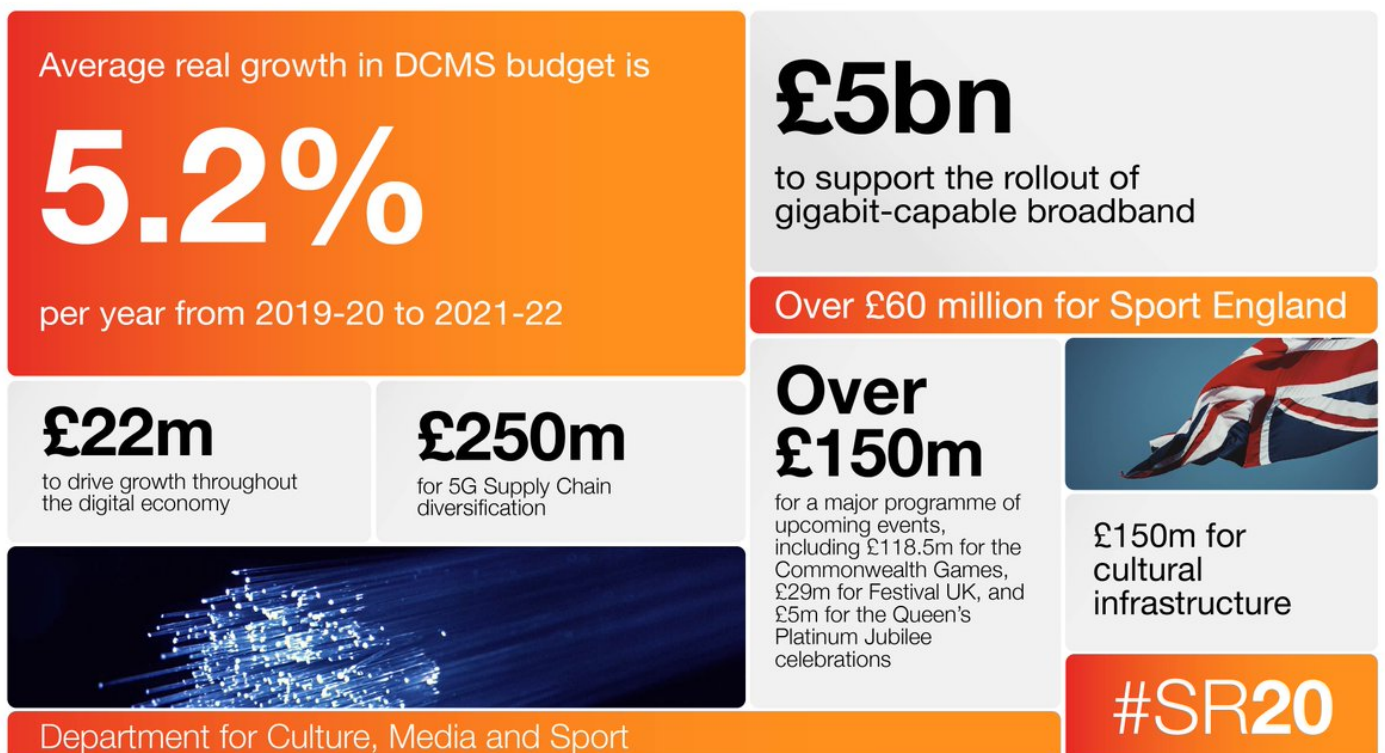
4/ We will enable [@DWP](https://www.dwp.gov.uk) to deliver efficient frontline services and ensure that support is targeted where it's needed most.

The new 3-year long £2.9 billion Restart programme will provide intensive, tailored support to over 1million unemployed



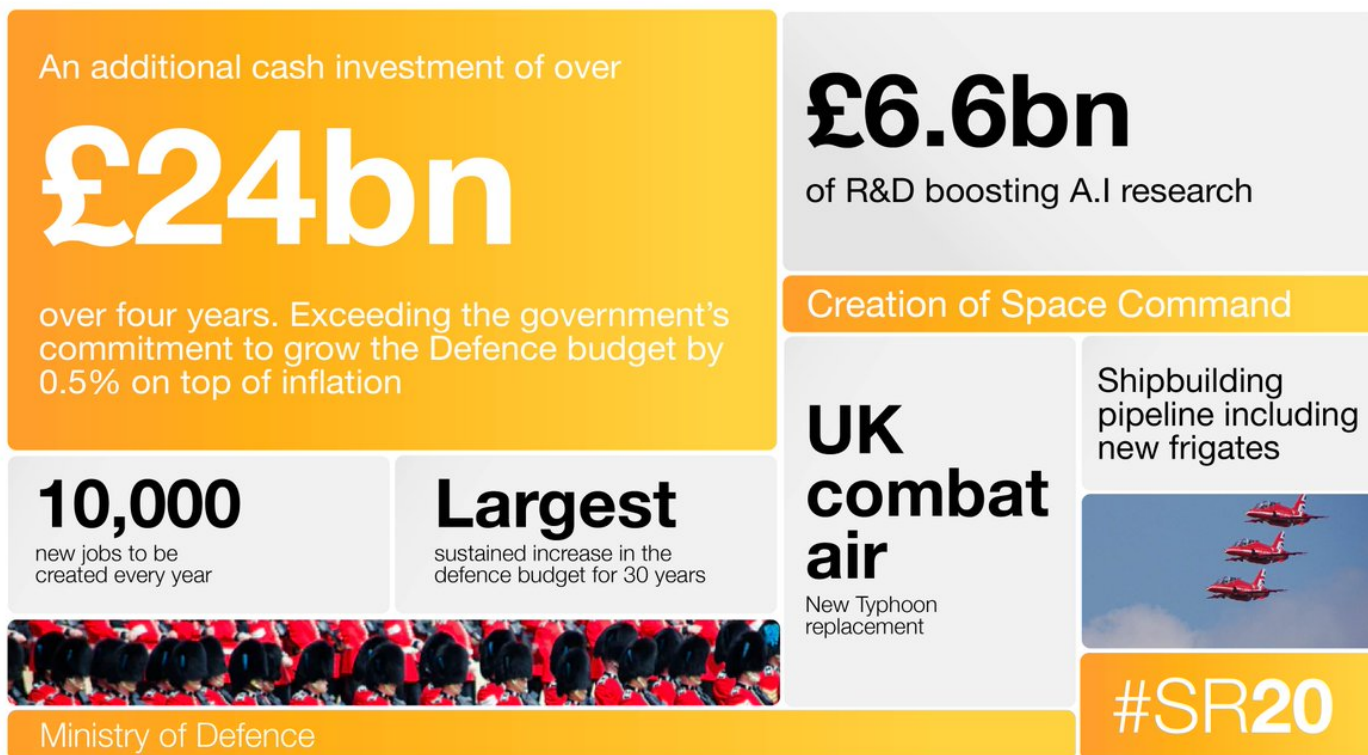
5/ @DCMS will increase economic growth and productivity through improved digital connectivity and data infrastructure.

We'll grow and evolve our sectors particularly those most affected by Covid-19 which include culture, sport, civil society and the creative industries. #SR20





6/ Today we confirmed the biggest programme of investment in British defence [@DefenceHQ](#) since the end of the Cold War. #SR20



7/ This settlement increases [@DefraGovUK's](#) budgets by almost £1 billion.

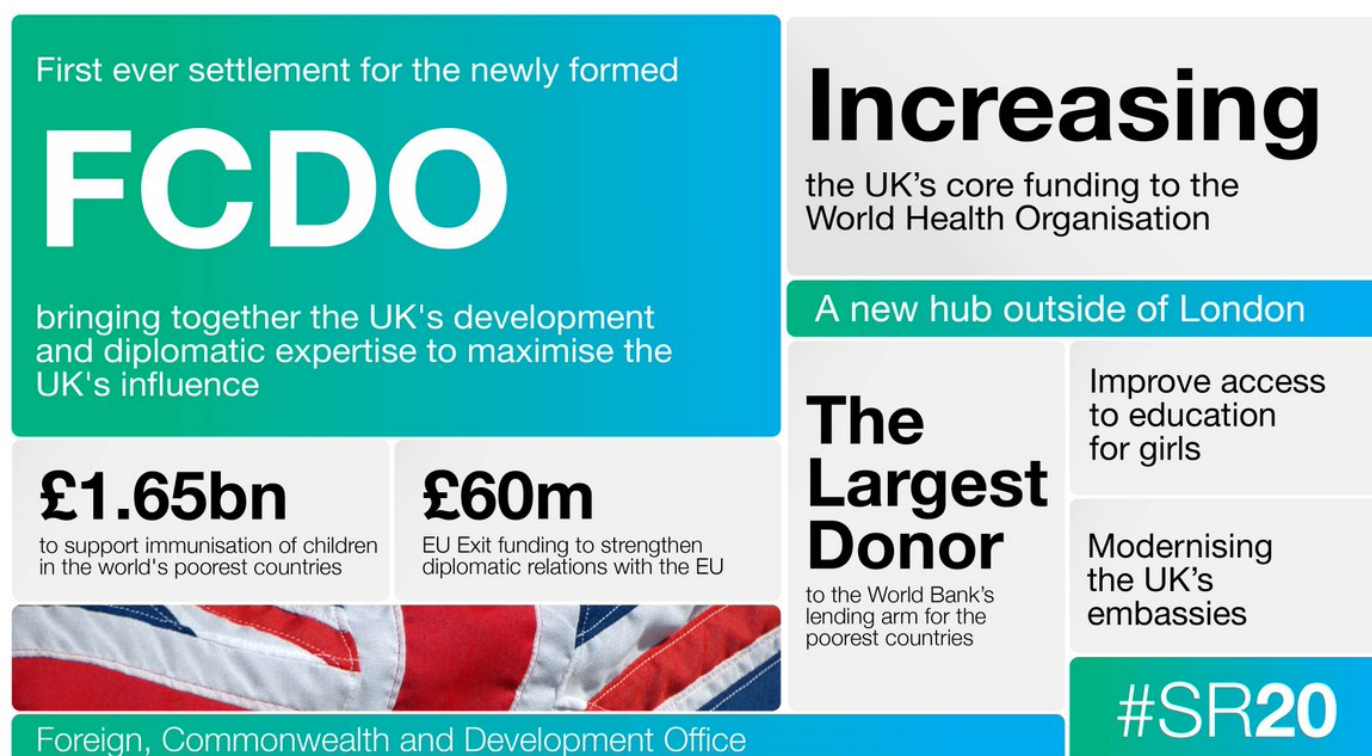
This will allow them to do more to fight against climate change - and connect people with green spaces - by planting trees, restoring peatland, creating habitats, and investing in National Parks. #SR20



8/ We're confirming our commitment to level up opportunity across the country, to deliver more, safer and greener homes, and to end rough sleeping, by investing @mhclg #SR20

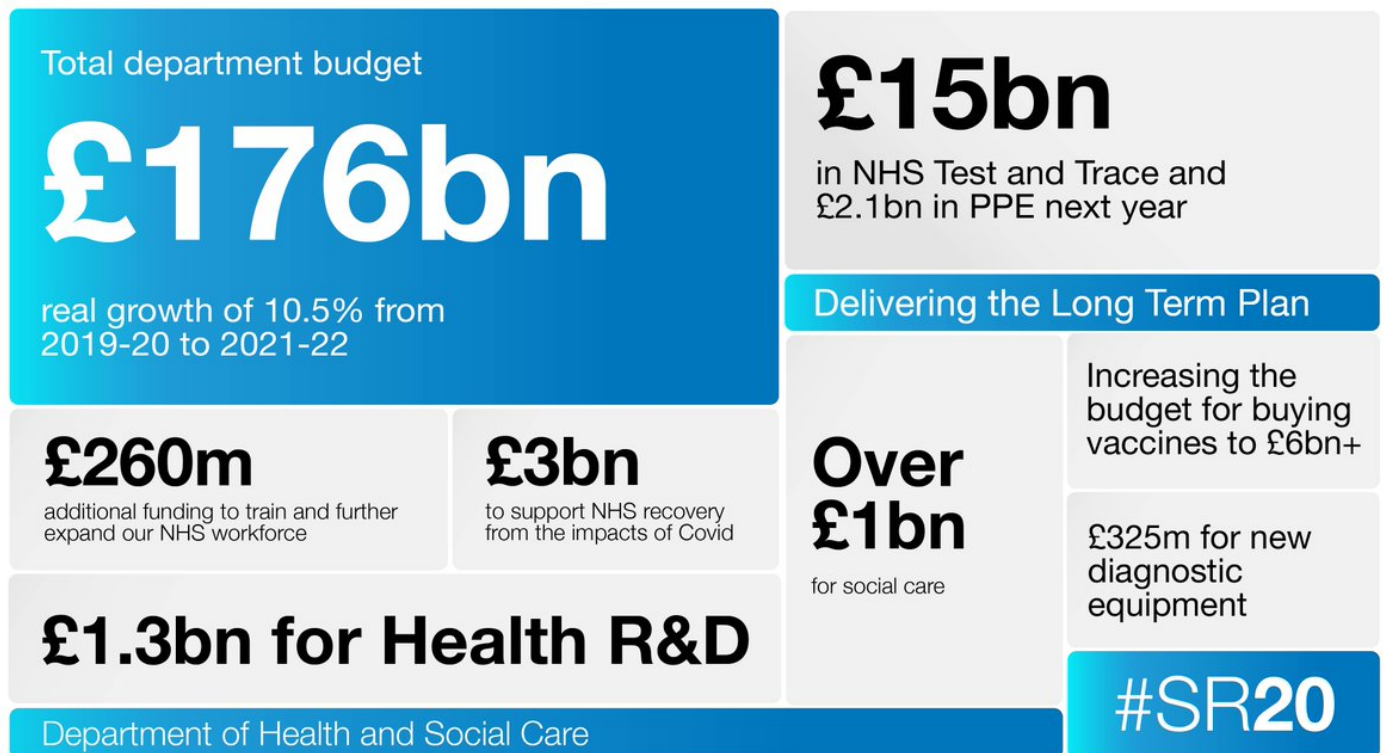


9/ #SR20 provides the first ever settlement for the newly formed FCDO, bringing together the UK's development and diplomatic expertise into one department.



10/ Today's Spending Review honours our historic, multi-year commitment to the NHS.

Next year, the core [@DHSCgovuk](#) budget will grow by £6.6bn, allowing us to deliver 50,000 more nurses and 50 million more general practice appointments. #SR20



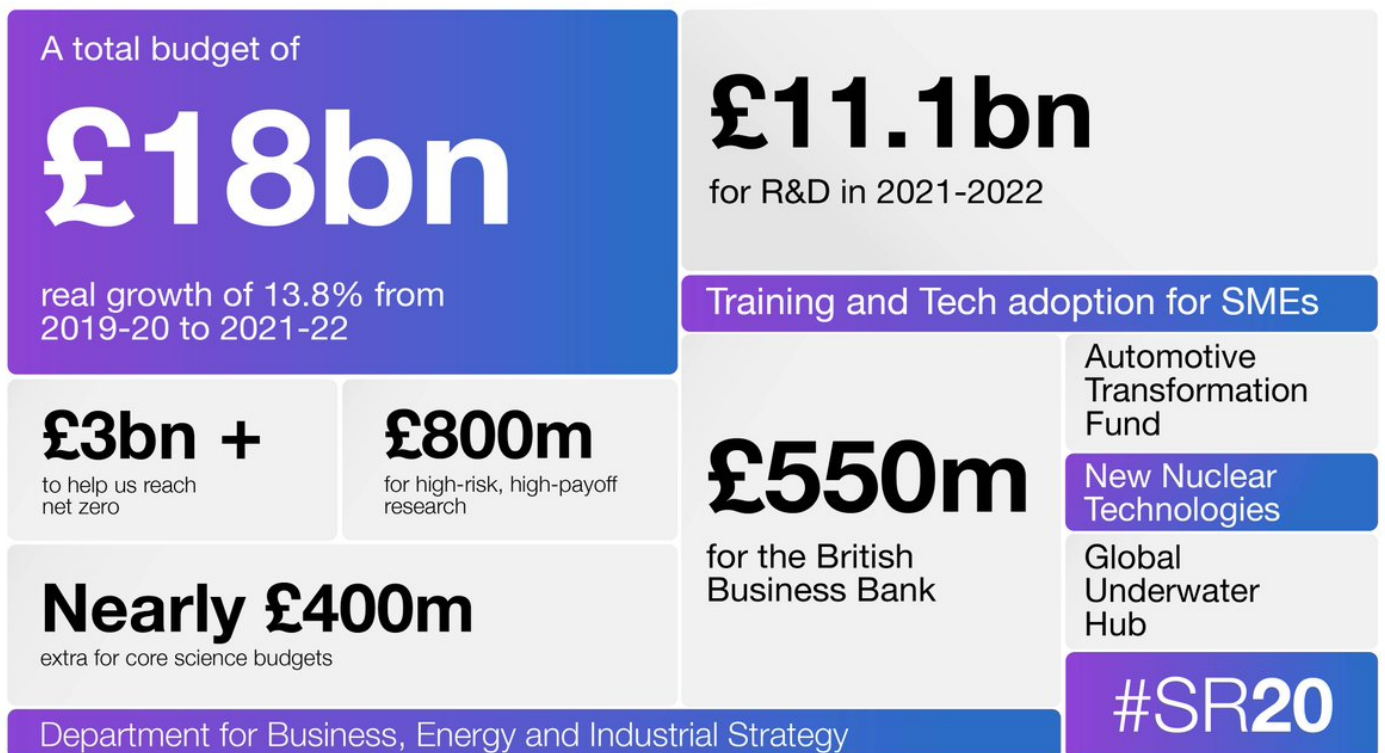
11/ We're helping [@MoJGovUK](#) deliver an effective justice system across prisons, probation, courts and tribunals.

This includes the largest prison building programme in over a century and an over 50% increase in maintenance funding to improve prisons and courts. #SR20





12/ The funding for [@beisgovuk](#) will cement the UK as a science superpower through R&D and innovation spending, continue to support businesses through access finance schemes and stimulate the economic recovery post Covid. #SR20



13/ We're taking action [@transportgovuk](#) to deliver better rail, roads, buses & cycling infrastructure.

We are decarbonising transport through record investment in electric vehicle charging and maintaining transport services to support the economy as we recover from Covid. #SR20

A total budget of

# £23.5bn

real growth of 12.6% from  
2019-20 to 2021-22

## £120m

for over 500 zero emission buses

## £257m

for cycling

## £4.2bn

for transport settlements with eight Mayoral Combined Authorities

# £17.5bn

to upgrade and renew the  
conventional rail network

## £1.9bn

in electric vehicle  
charging infrastructure  
and grants for zero and  
ultra low emission  
vehicles

£22bn funding  
for HS2

Halving  
construction  
time for A66

£1.7bn for  
local roads

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