

Starter: Who are they?

Do you know? (2-3 mins) The four people have all been in the news recently, trying to help different causes! Do you know who they are and what they were trying to help?

Cause:

An issue that's supported by people who want to see change, such as charities.















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Challenge:

over summer!

Why do you think these people decided to support these causes? Why might they be important to them?

change!

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Do causes need celebrities' help to be successful?





Why are we talking about this?

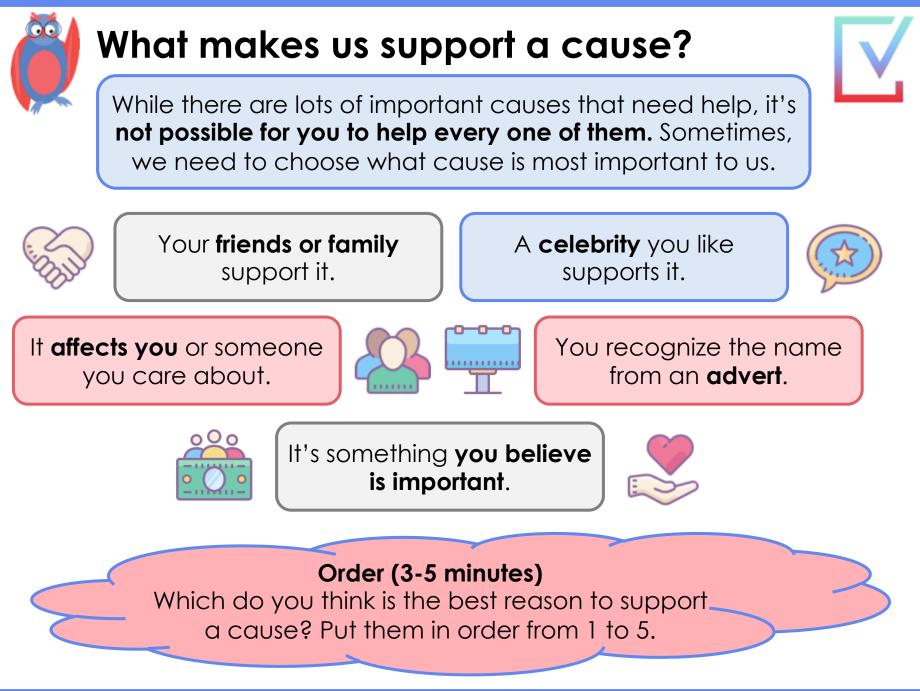
This month, footballer Marcus Rashford asked the Government to change their mind about giving food vouchers to children who need them over the summer. They agreed because of the letter he wrote to them!





Captain Tom Moore also raised almost £33 million for the NHS by walking laps of his garden during lockdown over the last few months!

Captain Tom may have started out on his own, but he got a lot of **support from celebrities**. So **do we need celebrities to get people to support important causes?**



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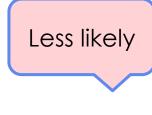
What makes us support a cause?

Some people have said that they are more likely to support a cause or a charity because a celebrity they like supports it. **Is this true for you?**

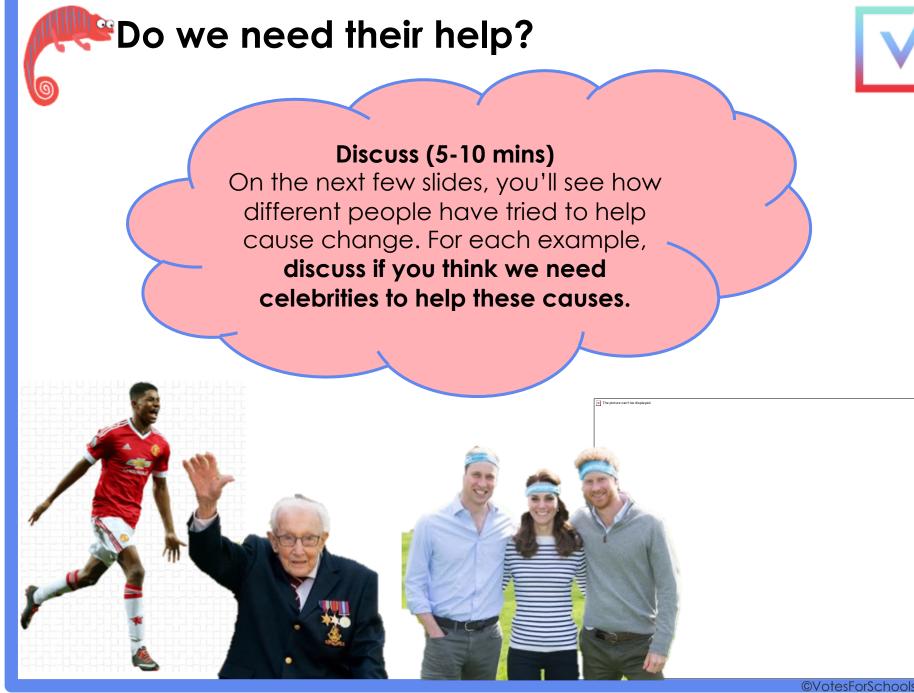


Vote (2-3 mins) Are you more or less likely to support a cause because of the celebrities who support it? Vote with your thumbs!

More likely



Makes no difference



The celebrity impact



During school time, the government provides free school meals to children who need it.

A few weeks ago, footballer Marcus Rashford wrote a letter to the government and asked them to **continue giving children free school meals over summer** as some families might need more help because of **Coronavirus**.

Boris Johnson said he would! He told Marcus that **he was able to understand the situation much better because of Marcus' letter.**

Do you think we needed Marcus Rashford to cause this change?

Do we need their help?

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In the last few year, there have been many protests to raise awareness about the issue of climate change.

Greta Thunberg **stopped going to school** to protest climate change and her protests soon got lots of attention!

Do you think we need celebrities to help fight climate change? Lots of celebrities said they really admired her actions, but she told them that **celebrities must act too**.

Do we need their help?





Captain Tom Moore set out to **walk 100 laps of his garden before his 100th** Birthday to raise £1000 for NHS Charities Together. He ended up getting lots of attention and **raised almost £33 million!**

Lots of celebrities shared their support for Captain Tom and presenter Piers Morgan promised to donate £10,000 of his own money to his cause!

Do you think we need celebrities to get us to support Captain Tom and the NHS?

Do we need their help?



Right now, there are lots of campaigns, special days and lessons in school to make sure we're looking after our mental health.

Will, Kate and Harry of the Royal family have also helped by starting their own mental health charity and doing assemblies for schools about mental health.

Do you think we need the Royal family to help us talk about mental health?



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Good idea or bad idea?

We need a celebrity. People are **more likely to listen to a celebrity** they like than people they don't know!

I'm not sure

I disagree



Good idea or bad idea?

Our cause is really important and **celebrity would just take away their focus** from what we're fighting for!







I disagree

l agree

I'm not sure

Do causes need celebrities' help to be successful?



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Yes	No
 Celebrities get lots of attention, which can help your cause. Celebrities can donate lots of money to your cause. Lots of people trust celebrities, which will get more people to support your cause. 	 Some causes have been successful without celebrities' help. Sometimes celebrities actually take attention away from the cause. There are other reasons that get people to support a cause.
You can still vote at h	all voters! ome! Just follow the link: nkey.co.uk/r/vfs-primary-

<u>causes</u>

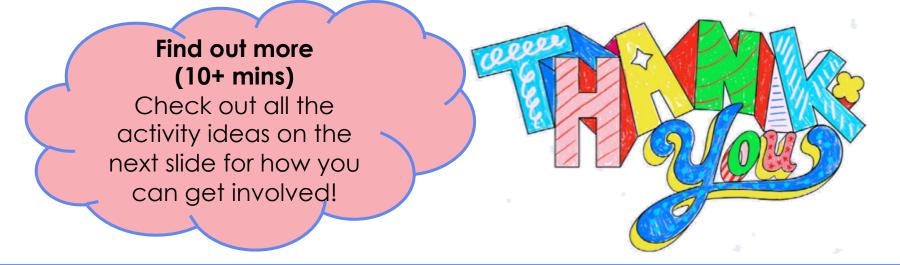






Sunday 5th July is the NHS' 72nd birthday! This means that, for 72 years, the NHS has been providing free healthcare to everyone here in the UK.

This year, the NHS are asking us to **celebrate their birthday** in a slightly different way – **by saying thank you to every key worker**, including doctors, nurses, teachers, delivery drivers and everyone else!





Now...



The first way you can get involved is by getting creative! **Make posters and** cards to put in your windows!





On Saturday...

At 8pm, light up a candle or torch in your window or on your doorstep to show your support.

On Sunday...

Get ready for the biggest clap yet! At 5pm, wherever you are, clap as loud as you can for the NHS!



