

A chi ci rivolgiamo?

DESTINATARI

Quale strumento possiamo usare per la formazione?

lezione e libro hanno un futuro?

l'e-book byod, smartphone, mobile...

La lezione e i libro vanno adattati ai nostri utenti?

Messi online? Accorciati? Si può leggere e apprendere da smartphone?

Si sente dire che i nativi digitali

sono più intelligenti, più distratti, più tecnologici

Ma è vero?

Prossimi 20 anni avremo 3,4 diversi utenti.

- Baby boomers
- Gen. X (Digital Immigrants)
- Gen. Y
- Gen. Z (Digital Natives)
- Gen. Alfa

I baby boomer

- Nati dopo la guerra, tra 1946 e 1964.
- Amano i libri, studiano da manuali e grammatiche, riluttante usare le nuove tecnologie e gli ebook.
- Hanno **imparato** a usare il web

PROSPETTO 2. PERSONE DI 6 ANNI E PIÙ CHE HANNO USATO INTERNET NEGLI ULTIMI 12 MESI PER SESSO, CLASSE DI ETÀ, TERRITORIO E CONDIZIONE OCCUPAZIONALE . Anni 2010-2015, valori per 100 persone di 6 anni e più con le stesse caratteristiche.

SESSO, CLASSI DI ETÀ, RIPARTIZIONI GEOGRAFICHE E CONDIZIONE OCCUPAZIONALE	Uso di Internet (a)					
	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015
Maschi	54.6	56.7	58.3	60.3	62.4	65.0
Femmine	43.6	46.7	47.1	49.8	52.8	55.8
Totale	48.9	51.5	52.5	54.9	57.5	60.2
6-10	36.7	38.3	40.8	45.1	44.6	43.8
11-14	75.7	78.1	76.5	80.8	80.9	80.4
15-17	87.2	89.1	88.5	89.7	91.2	92.0
18-19	90.4	88.8	88.8	90.0	93.9	92.0
20-24	82.1	85.8	86.0	85.7	89.3	90.7
25-34	73.3	77.5	79.2	80.3	83.9	85.1
35-44	64.6	69.7	69.1	73.5	76.1	80.1
45-54	53.0	56.2	58.7	61.7	66.1	70.0
55-59	41.0	42.2	45.3	48.5	52.0	60.4
60-64	25.2	28.6	31.0	36.0	41.1	45.9
65-74	12.1	13.8	16.4	19.0	21.2	25.6
75 e più	2.0	2.7	3.3	3.5	4.4	6.7
Totale	48.9	51.5	52.5	54.9	57.5	60.2
Nord-ovest	53.6	56.4	57.3	58.3	61.5	64.6
Nord-est	51.3	55.9	57.7	60.1	61.5	65.2
Centro	51.3	54.5	55.1	57.8	60.4	61.6
Sud	41.9	43.6	43.3	46.6	49.2	53.1
Isole	44.5	43.9	47.3	49.8	53.0	53.8

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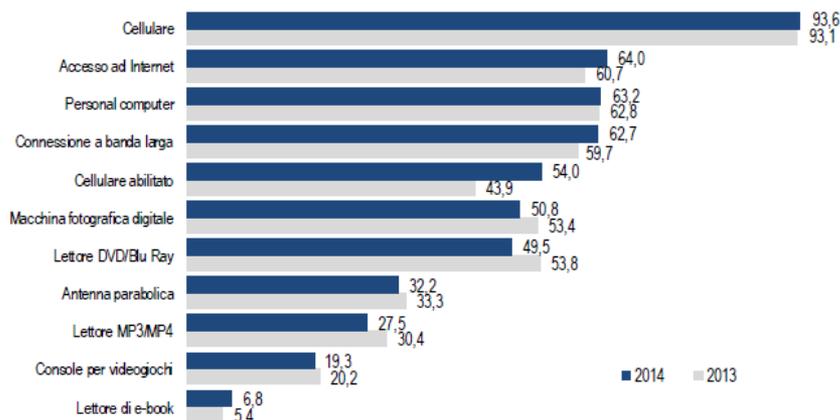
byod

- BYOD: La tendenza ad utilizzare il computer o dispositivo mobile personale sul posto di lavoro, detta BYOD (bring your own device), è diventata talmente diffusa che da opzione volontaria, autorizzata dalle aziende, si sta trasformando in una scelta obbligata, indirizzata dai datori di lavoro.

utilizzando come modem una scheda SIM, una chiavetta USB, un telefono cellulare o uno smartphone (dal 20,8% al 28%) (Tavola 1.3 in allegato). Nell'ultimo anno risulta in decisa crescita, dal 43,9% al 54%, la quota di famiglie che possiedono un cellulare abilitato alla connettività. In crescita anche la diffusione degli e-book (dal 5,4% al 6,8%).

Diminuiscono invece le famiglie che possiedono il lettore DVD/Blu Ray (dal 53,8% al 49,5%), il lettore MP3/MP4 (dal 30,4% al 27,5%), la macchina fotografica digitale (53,4% al 50,8%) (Figura 1).

FIGURA 1. FAMIGLIE PER BENI E SERVIZI TECNOLOGICI DISPONIBILI. Anni 2013 e 2014, valori per 100 famiglie



Tecnologicamente più avanzate le famiglie con minorenni

Tra le famiglie si osserva un forte divario tecnologico, da ricondurre a fattori di tipo generazionale,

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ampiamente diffuso in questa tipologia di famiglie è il cellulare, il cui possesso è comunque molto inferiore alla media nazionale (il 76,8% rispetto al 93,6%) (Prospetto 1). Complessivamente, rispetto al 2013, rimane ampio il divario nel possesso di beni tecnologici tra le famiglie composte da soli anziani e quelle in cui è presente almeno un minorenni, per tutti i beni considerati.

PROSPETTO 1. FAMIGLIE PER BENI E SERVIZI TECNOLOGICI DISPONIBILI, ANNO E TIPOLOGIA FAMILIARE. Anni 2013 e 2014, valori per 100 famiglie con le stesse caratteristiche

	Antenna parabolica	Lettore DVD/Blu Ray	Lettore MP3/Mp4	Cellulare	Cellulare abilitato	Console per videogiochi	Personal computer	Accesso ad Internet	Connessione a banda larga	Macchina fotografica digitale	Lettore di e-book
FAMIGLIE CON ALMENO UN MINORENNE											
2013	43,4	74,5	48,2	99,9	63,5	46,4	87,8	85,7	84,8	77,9	8,0
2014	41,7	69,1	44,7	99,9	78,6	45,1	87,1	89,0	87,2	73,7	9,5
FAMIGLIE DI SOLI ANZIANI DI 65 ANNI E PIÙ											
2013	19,4	20,1	1,5	74,5	6,0	0,5	14,8	12,7	12,2	14,9	0,7
2014	18,8	18,4	1,5	76,8	9,3	0,5	17,8	16,3	15,6	15,9	0,7
ALTRE FAMIGLIE											
2013	34,7	59,3	35,0	98,6	52,0	15,8	72,9	70,8	69,6	59,2	6,3
2014	33,8	54,3	31,2	98,6	63,0	14,9	72,9	74,3	72,8	55,9	8,3
TOTALE											
2013	33,3	53,8	30,4	93,1	43,9	20,2	62,8	60,7	59,7	53,4	5,4
2014	32,2	49,5	27,5	93,6	54,0	19,3	63,2	64,0	62,7	50,8	6,8

Si riduce il divario tecnologico per alcuni beni e servizi

Le famiglie più tecnologiche sono quelle in cui il capofamiglia¹ è un dirigente, un imprenditore o un

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- decadimento cognitivo,
- ma possesso di schemi, expertise, competenze che possono trasmettere ad altri nell'azienda
- differenze nel modo di apprendere (per problemi, nel contesto, bisogno di segnalare collegamenti a conoscenze possedute)
- bassa literacy
- in parte non sanno usare il computer (non ce l'hanno, non lo usano al lavoro)
- chi ha perso il lavoro, rientra e deve riqualificarsi...

Gen. X, Y

- Gen-X, nati tra il 1960 e il 1980 Digital Immigrants, contribuiscono alla diffusione di internet
- Gen-Y, Nati tra 1980 e 2000 (anche **Millennial Generation, Generation Next o Net Generation**)
- *Millennials* - persone nate tra gli anni ottanta e i primi anni duemila nel mondo occidentale .
- Dal 1985 Nativi digitali

Gen-Z

- nati dopo il 2000 (fino al...)
- completamente connessi. usano i cell per ogni attività
- This group will drive the market, not the other way around, and it's this customer we need to get in front of (if we can.)



WHAT COMES AFTER GENERATION Z? INTRODUCING GENERATION ALPHA

GEN ALPHA

- The launch of the iPad in 2010 coincided with the beginning of our current generation of children,
- there are now 2.5 million Gen Alphas being born around the globe each week.
- They were born into a world of iPhones (in fact the word of the year in 2010 when they were first born was “app”),
- YouTube (there are now 100 hours of YouTube videos uploaded every minute, and in this environment they are more influenced by the visual and the video than the written and the verbal),
- and Instagram (where life is photographed and shared instantly and globally).

MOBILITY



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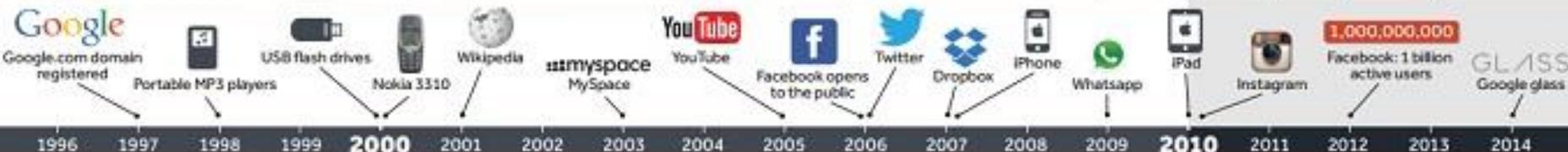
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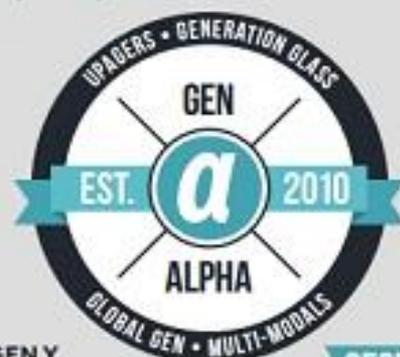
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TOP NAMES



2,500,000 Gen Alphas born globally each week



GEN Y PARENTS



OECD

GLOBAL GENERATION



EFFECTIVE ENGAGEMENT



SLANGUAGE



HEALTH



TOP SPORTS



TECHNOLOGY TIMELINE 1995 TO 2014

- 1997: Google.com is registered as a domain
- 1998: Portable MP3 players enter the market
- 2000: USB flash drives become available, Nokia 3310 launched
- 2001: Wikipedia is launched
- 2003: MySpace is launched
- 2005: YouTube is launched
- 2006: Facebook opens to the public
- 2006: Twitter is launched
- 2007: Dropbox founded
- 2007: First iPhone released
- 2009: Whatsapp founded
- 2010: iPad is launched
- 2010: Instagram launched
- 2012: Facebook has 1 billion active users
- 2014: Google Glass launched

I nostri destinatari più probabili?

Millennials? (*adulti nel 2000*)

- Nel 2015 la generazione più presente nel mondo del lavoro (35%)
- Nel 2020 il 50% della forza lavoro
- [KATE MEYER](#) on January 3, 2016 Millennials as Digital Natives: Myths and Realities
- https://www.nngroup.com/articles/millennials-digital-natives/?utm_source=Alertbox&utm_campaign=e8d3c2d3ed-Deliverable_Collaborate_Millennials_01_03_2016&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_7f29a2b335-e8d3c2d3ed-24390673

Kate Mayer (2016)

- MYTH 1: “Digital natives possess inferior social skills
- MYTH 2: “much better at multitasking
- MYTH 3: “natural instincts about how to use or fix computers

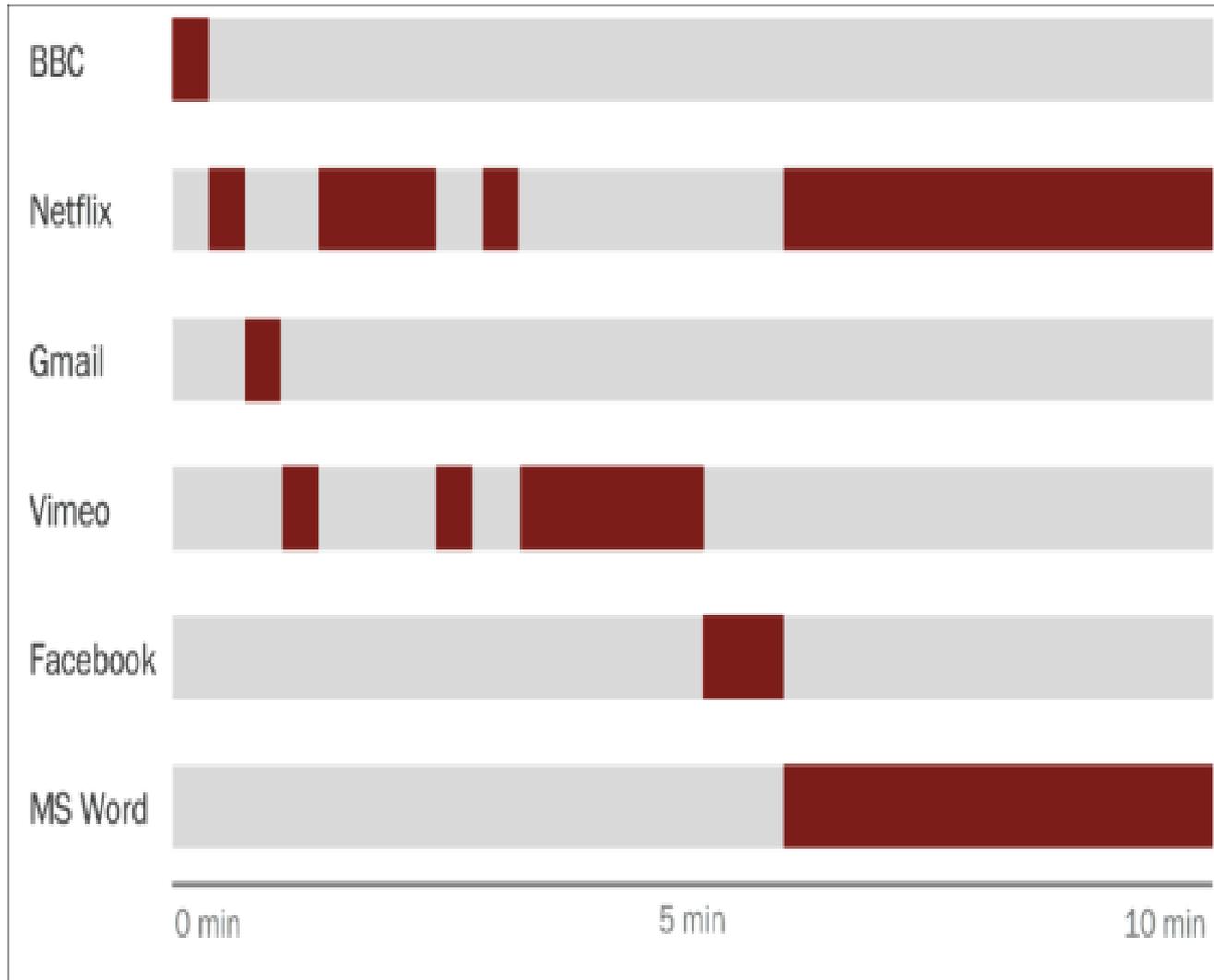
MYTH 1: “Digital natives possess inferior social skills.....

- Pew Research Center: spediscono più text messages, fanno lo stesso numero di chiamate vocali quindi c'è un aumento delle interazioni.
- Pew Internet. U.S. Smartphone Use in 2015 (2015). <http://www.pewinternet.org/2015/04/01/us-smartphone-use-in-2015/>

MYTH 2: “Digital natives are much better at multitasking than digital immigrants.”

- **choosing to multitask** — that is, purposefully engaging in multiple activities at apparently the same time, and
- **multitasking proficiency** — that is, the ability to process multiple sources of information at the same time efficiently.

Esempio multitasking



Più intelligenti?

- Patricia M. Greenfield JANUARY 2009 Technology and Informal Education: What Is Taught, What Is Learned
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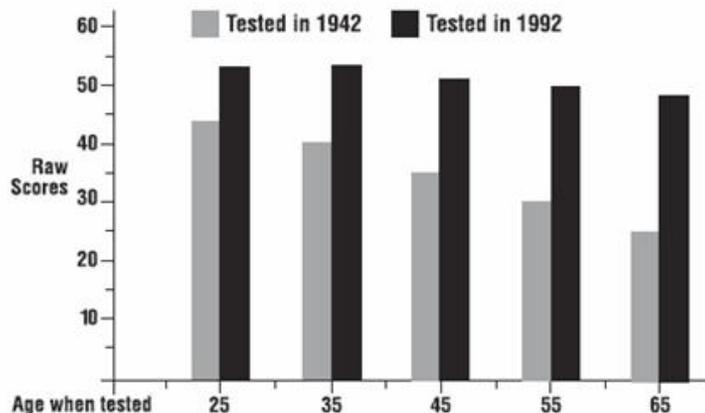
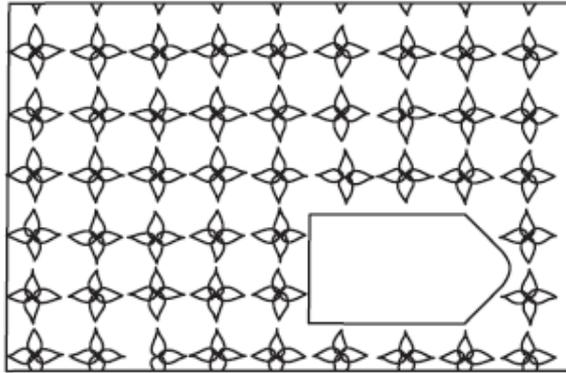


Fig. 2. Comparing performance on Raven Progressive Matrices in British people of different ages tested in 1942 and 1992 (4). Each bar represents 50th-percentile performance for a particular age group tested in a particular year. It is necessary to equate for age because of the influence of cognitive aging, seen in the decline of raw scores for pairs of bars with increasing age. However, decline was less pronounced in 1992 than in 1942.

Crescita
performance
intellettiva da 100
anni
Test non verbali,
visivi ma non solo
Per alimentazione,
educazione, ecc.

- http://www.queendom.com/tests/access_page/index.htm?idRegTest=1118
- (test intelligenza visio-spaziale)

Come? Perché?



Matrici di Raven 1942 –
1992

Sviluppo intelligenza
visiva, spaziale

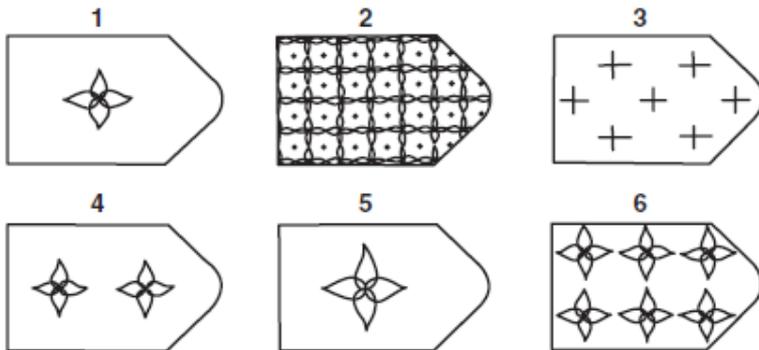


Fig. 1. A simple item from Raven Standard Progressive Matrices. From the six inserts at the bottom of the figure, the participant selects the one that logically fits in the matrix above. [Figure A5 of the Raven Standard Progressive Matrices, by]. C. Raven. Copyright 1938, 1976 by]. C. Raven

Greenfield, 2009

- Ambienti informali, tecnologie, tv e videogame
- Aumenta la capacità di dividere l'attenzione, di fare multitasking
- MT: Effetti positivi e negativi
- Dal testo critical thinking, riflessione...

Più distratti?

Esposizione giornaliera a cinque media elettronici e esposizione totale media						
	Televisione	Video/film	Audio	Videogame	Computer	Esposizione totale
8-10 anni	3,17	1,24	0,59	1,05	0,37	7,21
11-14 anni	3,16	1,09	1,42	0,52	1,02	8,00
15-18 anni	2,36	1,05	2,24	0,33	1,22	7,5

Tabella 1 Dieta mediale dei giovani (Fonte: Donald F. Roberts e Ulla G. Foehr, 2008)

Come dicono Roberts e Foehr, i ragazzi hanno la televisione nelle loro camera, il computer a casa e music player e telefonini dello zaino. Stanno più tempo con questi media che svolgendo ogni altra attività, a parte dormire: più di 6 ore al giorno. Il fenomeno crescente del multitasking, e cioè l'uso di più media nello stesso tempo, moltiplica l'esposizione a 8 ore e mezzo.

Digital divide

- Anziani
- Provenienza sociale
- Provenienza geografica



Cosa vogliono i teen?

The image shows a browser window displaying the website for the Media Management Center at Northwestern University. The browser's address bar shows the URL www.mediamanagementcenter.org. The website header features the text "MEDIA MANAGEMENT CENTER" in a large, bold, serif font, with "NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY" in a smaller, all-caps serif font below it. A dark blue navigation bar contains the following menu items: HOME, ABOUT, NEWS, FACULTY & STAFF, EVENTS, RESEARCH, MOOC, and CONTACT. A search box is located on the right side of this bar. Below the navigation bar, a breadcrumb trail reads "MEDIA MANAGEMENT CENTER » HOME". The main content area is divided into two columns. The left column has a heading "Welcome to the Media Management Center at Northwestern University!" followed by a paragraph: "The Media Management Center advances the success of the organizations it partners with and the professional growth of their leaders through its seminars and ground breaking research on media and content strategy." Below this is another paragraph: "It is affiliated with the [Kellogg School of Management](#), the [Medill School of Journalism, Media, Integrated Marketing Communications](#), and the [School of Continuing Studies](#) at Northwestern University." The right column features a photograph of a stone archway with the text "NORTHWESTERN UNIVERSITY" on it, set against a background of trees with autumn foliage. Below the photo is the text "Next On-Site Activity" and "TBA". At the bottom of the page, there is a graphic of a red ring with the word "CONTENT" written on it, surrounded by yellow coins. The Windows taskbar is visible at the bottom of the screen, showing icons for Internet Explorer, Google Chrome, and other applications, along with system tray icons for network, volume, and battery.

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Headlines



Next On-Site Activity

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MEDIA MANAGEMENT CENTER Università del Northwestern, Illinois 2009



TEENS KNOW WHAT THEY WANT FROM ONLINE NEWS: DO YOU?

Dati da una ricerca con ragazzi dai 13 ai 18 anni.

PROBLEMA

Gli adolescenti:

- Usano molto i media;
- Leggono meno le news
- Non sviluppano in seguito interesse per le news.
- Se usano molto i media hanno voti più bassi e più problemi di comportamento.

SOLUZIONI

- Occorre aumentare il contatto con le news:
- Usare cellulare, mp3, consolle per le news online;
- Modificare le pagine online.

METODO

- **SOGGETTI**
 - 96 ragazzi dai 13 ai 18 anni, 12 focus group, 6 città U.S.A.
- **MATERIALE**
 - Creazione di un sito di notizie fittizio
 - Home page e pagine interne ad hoc:
 - Poche notizie, brevi, visive, gerarchizzate.
- **PROCEDURA**
 - interviste e focus group per testare il sito migliore.

RISULTATI: 10 LEZIONI CHIAVE

1. Don't overload: poche storie/eventi, più spazio alle visualizzazioni;
2. Home page soddisfacenti;
3. Attirare l'attenzione;
4. Un riassunto di ogni notizia nell'home page;
5. Una foto per ogni riassunto;
6. Mostrare la gerarchia di importanza delle notizie;
7. Notizie brevi, senza link;
8. Fornire notizie di background;
9. Tagliare le informazioni in segmenti;
10. Eliminare gli elementi non pertinenti.

CONCLUSIONI

Costruzione di un nuovo sito di notizie, caratteristiche:

- Home page con 6 notizie;
- Ogni notizia con foto e riassunto;
- Chiara gerarchia
- Eliminazione elementi non pertinenti;
- Tagliata la lunghezza della pagina;
- Template per spezzare testi lunghi;
- Etichetta per le notizie aggiuntive.

Solo i teens?

<http://erictremblay.blogspot.it/2013/11/6-to-7-minutes-of-instructional-video.html>

<http://www.nngroup.com/articles/website-reading/>

E-LEARNING ACUPUNCTURE

ERIC'S RAMBLINGS, EXPERIENCES AND RANDOM THOUGHTS ABOUT E-LEARNING, DISTANCE EDUCATION AND EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2013

6 to 7 minutes of instructional video - that's the sweet spot!

I have sat through many 50 minute lectures in my life. Notice how I wrote that sentence "sat through"... was I always engaged? Probably not. Is it realistic to be engaged for a full 50 minute block? Probably not. So how does one go about maximizing engagement in a distance course with video. Well, is the best strategy to record a 50 minute lecture video? Probably not.

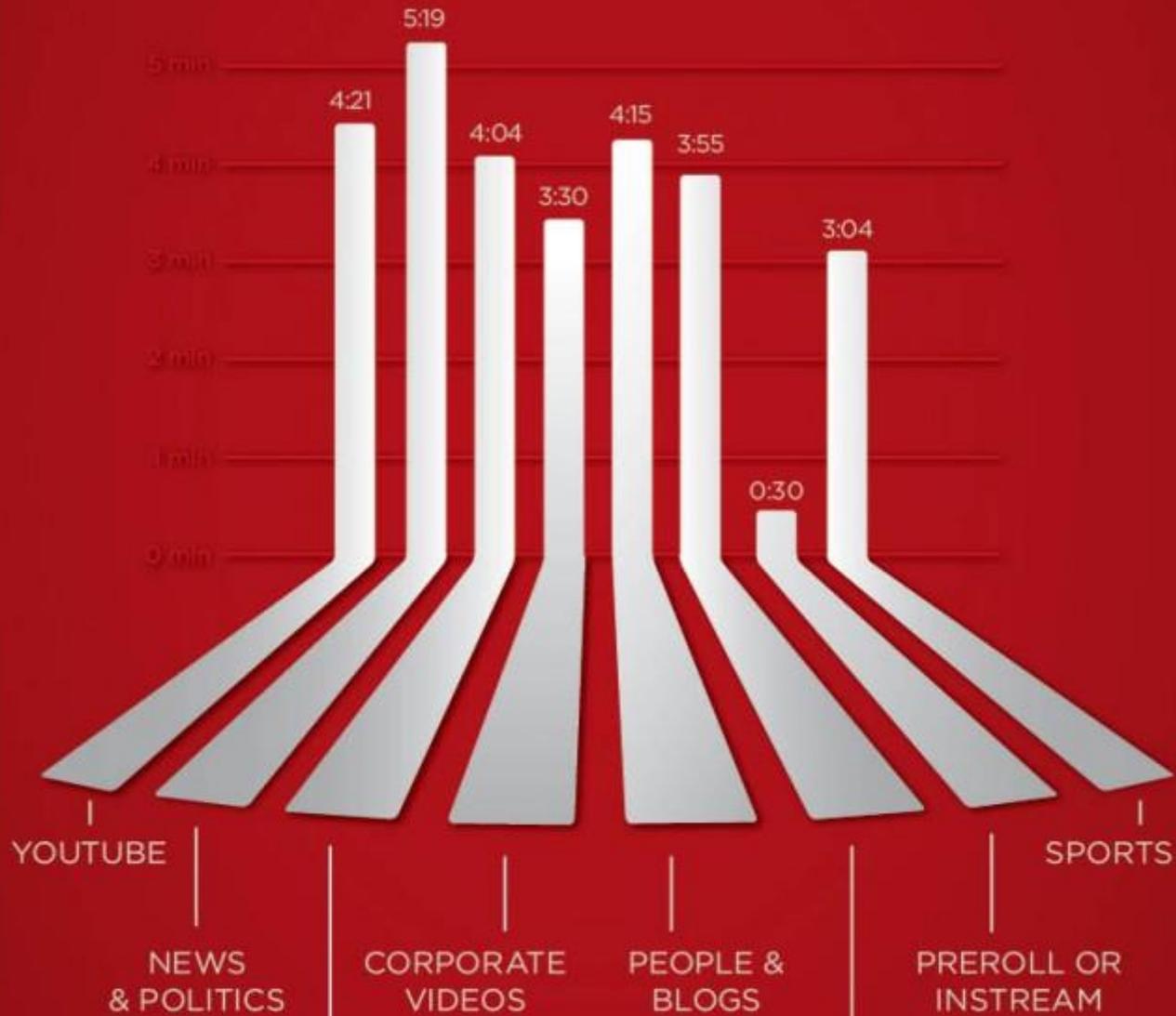
First, let's consider how people typically "consume" video online on a daily basis. Most of us watch trailers for new movies, we watch our favourite sitcom the day after the live broadcast, we watch funny videos that we see posted on Facebook, we watch sports highlights from last night's hockey game, we watch music videos, we watch news segments that include interviews, we watch Ted Talks, we watch some movies on Netflix, we watch some commercials (mainly because we are forced to!), we watch a how-to video on YouTube, we watch a funny segment from a late night talk show comedy, etc. If you assembled all this video consumption together to try to describe the average length of the videos that we watch online, then I think you would agree that the length of the average video that most of us watch online is short. The nice people at One Productions have built this infographic that illustrates this point. Short is the average. So we are most accustomed to short videos when we are consuming videos



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Rita F. Pierson

Every kid needs a champion

Rita Pierson, a teacher for 40 years, once heard a colleague say, "They don't pay me to like the kids." Her response: "Kids don't learn from people they don't like." A rousing call to educators to believe in their students and actually connect with them on a real, human, personal level.

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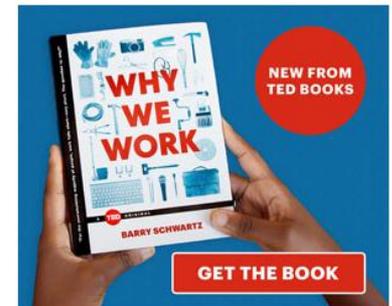


Christopher Emdin

Teach teachers how to create magic

What do rap shows, barbershop banter and Sunday services have in common? As Christopher Emdin says, they all hold the secret magic to enthrall and teach at the same time — and it's a skill we often don't teach to educators. A longtime teacher himself, now a science advocate and cofounder of Science Genius B.A.T.T.L.E.S. with the GZA of the Wu-Tang Clan, Emdin offers a vision to make

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Playlists to watch...





Philip Guo

How video production affects student engagement: An empirical study of mooc videos [PDF] from n

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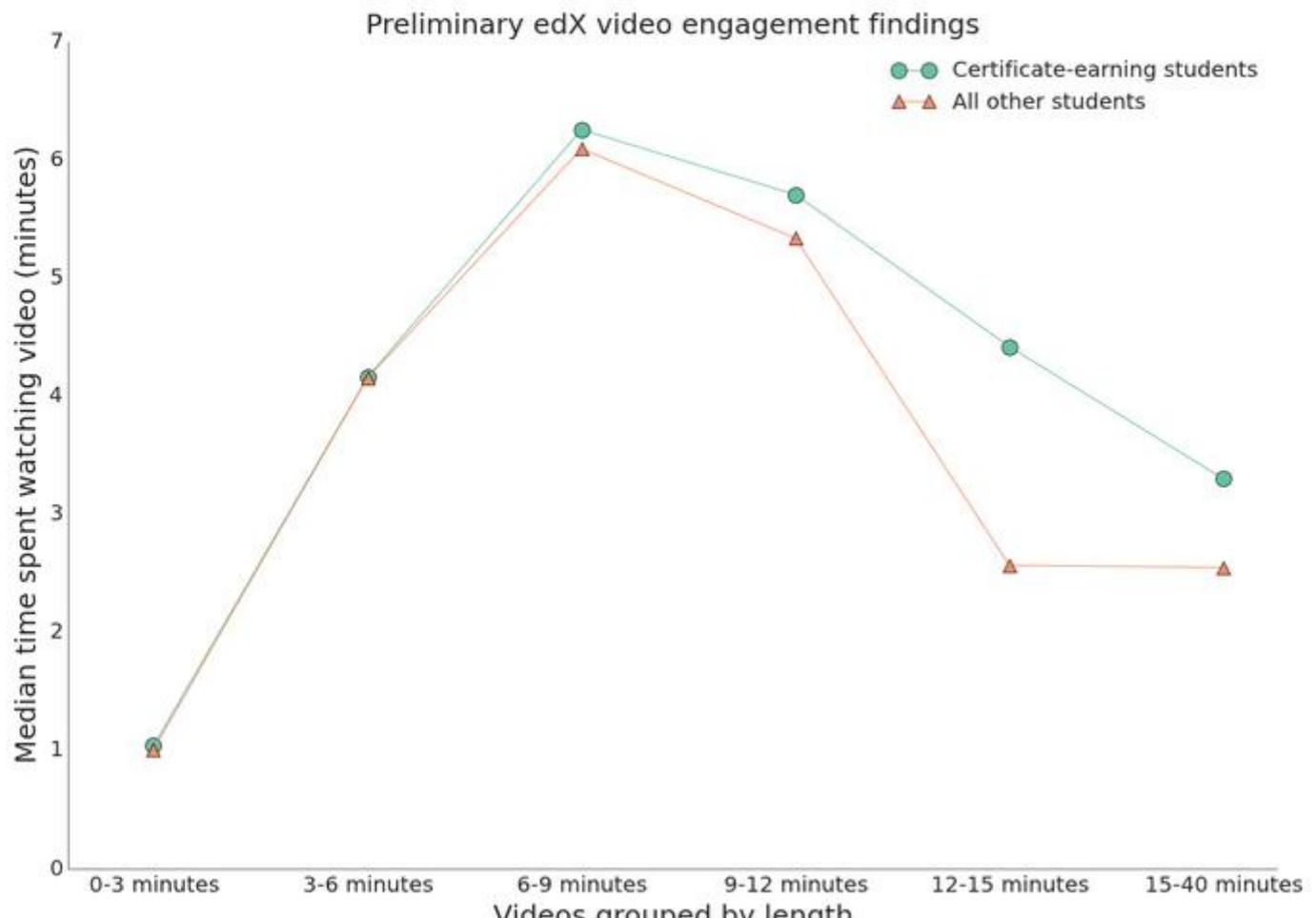
Description Abstract Videos are a widely-used kind of resource for online learning. This paper presents an empirical study of how video production decisions affect student engagement in online educational videos. To our knowledge, ours is the largest-scale study of video engagement to date, using data from 6.9 million video watching sessions across four courses on the edX MOOC platform. We measure engagement by how long students are watching each video, and whether they attempt to answer post-video assessment problems.

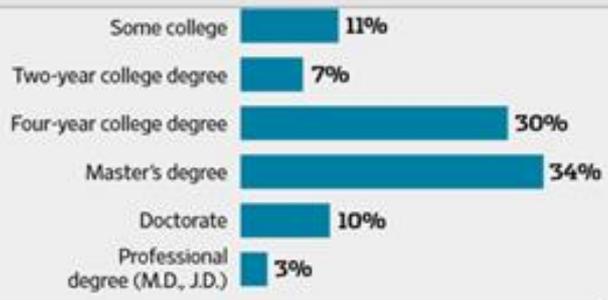
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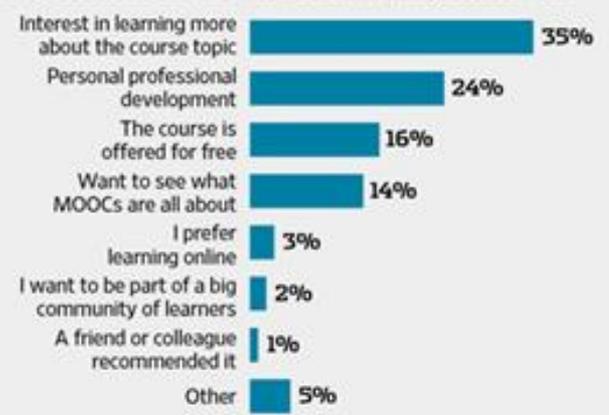
and science courses. Unsurprisingly, students engaged more with shorter videos. Traditional in-person last an hour, but students have much shorter attention spans when watching educational videos online. The chart below shows median engagement times versus video length, aggregated over several million video wa





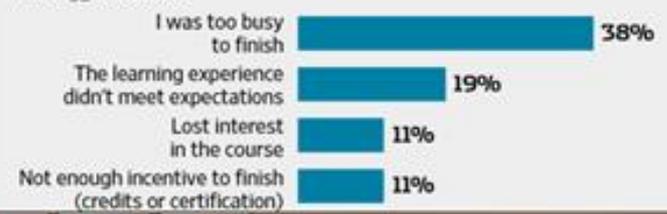
Signing On

Surveyed students said their main reason for taking a course was:



Logging Off

Forty-four percent of those surveyed said they didn't finish their course. The biggest reason:



to a question posted in an edX course forum

55%: Pass rate for a traditional intro engineering class at San Jose State

91%: Pass rate for the same class taught with online MOOC component

Midnight to 2 a.m.: Peak hours for viewing edX lecture videos

52%: Among students who earned pass certificates in an edX course, the share who were active in discussion forums

2.2 pts: Increase in final course scores vs. comparable students, on a 100-point scale, from spending one more hour on homework in the edX course

In one hybrid MIT class, most students said they played lectures at **1.5 x** the recorded speed while tracking the transcripts

1.3: Total number of edX students to date, in millions; includes 158,000 from India and 117,000 from Africa

College algebra	25%	73%	65%
Elementary statistics	50%	83%	76%

*Based on past six semesters.
Note: Some students in the spring math and algebra MOOCs had previously failed the campus-based versions of the courses. The overall completion rate for MOOCs fell to 60% in the summer from 83% in the spring.
Source: San Jose State University

Keep It Short

The median amount of time certificate-earning students spent watching a video vs. video length (in minutes) in four math/science MOOCs from edX



Source: Philip Guo, University of Rochester/edX

Newbies and Old Hands

Courses from the MOOC provider Coursera with the youngest and oldest students

YOUNGEST	AVERAGE AGE
Probability	28.9
Computer Architecture	30.0
Contraception: Choices, Culture and Consequences	30.3
Introduction to Tissue Engineering	30.3
C++ for C Programmers	30.4
OLDEST	
AVERAGE AGE	
Health Policy and the Affordable Care Act	45.1



F-Shaped Pattern For Reading Web Content

by [JAKOB NIELSEN](#) on April 17, 2006

<http://www.nngroup.com/articles/f-shaped-pattern-reading-web-content/>



www.useit.com

Heatmaps from user eyetracking studies of three websites. The areas where users looked the most are colored red; the yellow areas indicate fewer views, followed by the least-viewed blue areas. Gray areas didn't attract any

prioritize content that leads the user down the page, content that makes the extra effort pay off.

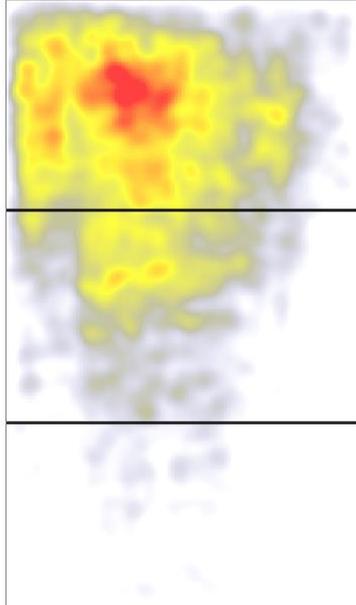
Evidence for the Fold's Impact

In interface design dilemmas, it's common to have arguments both ways, requiring the user experience team to estimate which argument is the strongest. In this case, the theory is unusually clear-cut: the interaction costs are substantially different for material above vs. below the fold, so these two areas will be treated differently by users.

Still, it's nice when there's **empirical data to support a theory**. And that evidence is abundantly available in the case of the page fold. We have observed countless users in qualitative usability studies having their behaviors impacted by the fold — often for the worse, because websites didn't prioritize above-the-fold content appropriately. Users stopped scrolling before finding the information they needed or worse, didn't realize that there was more information waiting for them below the fold.

There's also quantitative evidence: in an analysis of [57,453 eyetracking fixations](#), we found that there was a dramatic drop-off in user attention at the position of the page fold. Elements above the fold were seen more than elements below the fold: the 100 pixels just above the fold were **viewed 102% more** than the 100 pixels just below the fold.

The following heatmap aggregates all the sites in our study (excluding search engines and search pages). Content below the fold does gather some looks, but not nearly as much as the content above the fold.



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Website Reading: It (Sometimes) Does Happen

by **JAKOB NIELSEN** on June 24, 2013

Topics: [Writing for the Web](#)

Summary: When web content helps users focus on sections of information, it encourages them to scan rather than scan and then scan again to actually reading the copy.

Putting aside direct transactions (such as online banking), user behavior in relation to reading is often paradoxical:

- Users go to websites for **information**.
- Users **scarcely read anything** during an average website visit.

This second point has been well-supported by tons of research over the years:

- In 1997, the world's [first study of how users read web content](#) summarized that users **don't**. Instead of carefully reading information, users typically scan it.
- In 2006, eyetracking research found that users frequently [scan website primarily for](#) words at the top or left side of the page, while barely glancing at words that are further down.
- Recent research quantified this finding: given the duration of an average page visit, users [read at most 28% of the words on the page](#).

Such research findings have led us to study **nanocontent** issues, such as how to write [the first two words](#) of headlines and links.

Being concise and frontloading keywords with high [information scent](#) remain key to user success. **users sometimes do read** more than the bare minimum, and we wanted to find out why.

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RANGE MAP

Range: Abundant everywhere in the northern hemisphere.

Height: 18-23

Weight: 10-13

Food: Lakes and ponds, fresh water.

Why add this? 28 25 23

The male has a dark green neck and head with a white neck band and a brown breast. The body is gray. The female is brown and completely covered with darker brown spots. The Mallard's bill is black. The 3 front toes are webbed. The tail is flat and wide.

Populations: The Mallard is a highly adaptable species. It is found in a wide variety of habitats, including urban areas, parks, and rural areas. It is also found in some parts of the world where it has been introduced.

Populations: The Mallard normally nests in dense reeds or grass close to fresh water. The nest is usually a hole lined with grass or reeds and filled with sticks. However, it may nest in a variety of other situations on or off the ground. Mallard ducks in captivity will sometimes hybridize with other females.

Photo selection: This photo to enlarge

Class: Anas
Genus: *platyrhynchos*
Species: *platyrhynchos*

Length: 18 inches, wing span: 26 inches
Average Lifespan: Up to 15 years
Wild Diet: Fresh water mollusks, snails, slugs, aquatic insects, fish eggs, grasshoppers and a wide variety of other animal and plant food including sea-wee, leaves and stems.
Pre-Gabars: Fish, worms, turtles, and man.

USFWS Status: ⓘ
CITES Status: ⓘ

Where at the Zoo? (click to enlarge)

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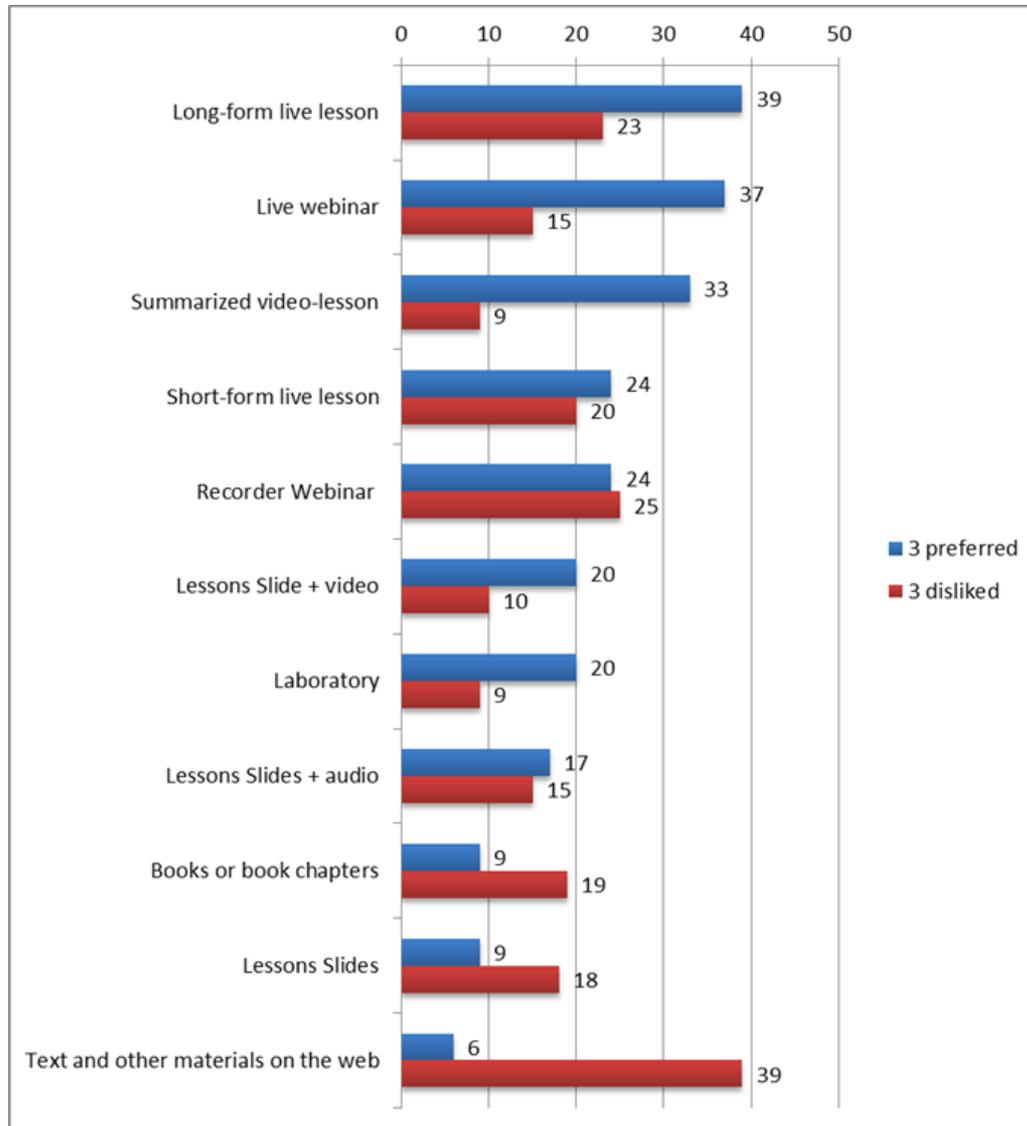
Position from the start of the text	Users who looked at the paragraph
1	81%
2	71%
3	63%
4	32%

Teenage Usability: Designing Teen-Targeted Websites by [HOA LORANGER](#) and [JAKOB NIELSEN](#) on February 4, 2013

- Conferma da Nielsen (per i teen poco testo, chiaro, grande...)
- <http://www.nngroup.com/articles/usability-of-websites-for-teenagers/>

	Children	Adults
First reactions	Quick to judge site (and to leave if no good)	Quick to judge site (and to leave if no good)
Willingness to wait	Want instant gratification	Limited patience
Exploratory behavior	Like to try many options Mine-sweeping the screen	Stick to main path
Multiple/redundant navigation	Very confusing	Slightly confusing
Reading	Not at all (youngest kids) Tentative (young kids) Scanning (older kids)	<u>Scanning</u>
Font size	14 point (young kids) 12 point (older kids)	10 point (up to 14 point for seniors)
Physical limitations	Slow typists Poor mouse control	None (unless <u>disabled</u>)
Scrolling	Avoid (young kids) Some (older kids)	Some

Generazione X,Y (PAS)



Generazione di mezzo, ama la lezione

- <https://prezi.com/c2dn7lls4rsc/paperless-living/?rc=bl0eng0preziofthemonth>
- Senza carta?
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=aXV-yaFmQNk>
- Non funziona?



LA LETTURA IN ITALIA

Anno 2015

Nel 2015 si stima che il 42% delle persone di 6 anni e più (circa 24 milioni) abbia letto almeno un libro nei 12 mesi precedenti l'intervista per motivi non strettamente scolastici o professionali.

Il dato appare stabile rispetto al 2014, dopo la diminuzione iniziata nel 2011.

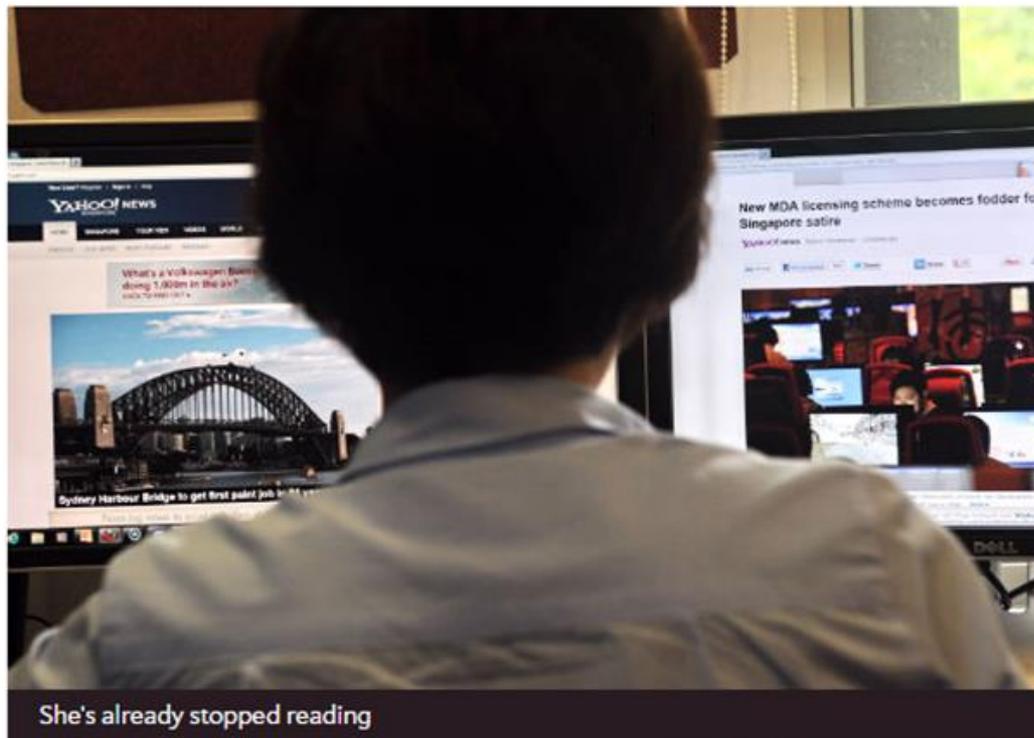
You Won't Finish This Article

Why people online don't read to the end.

By Farhad Manjoo



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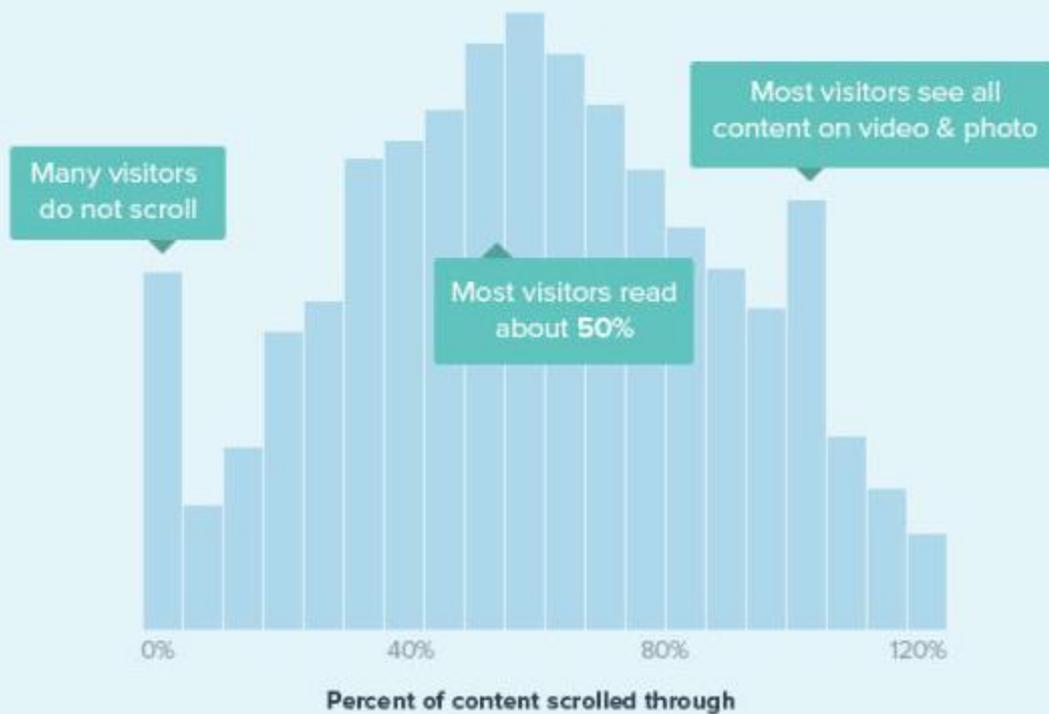


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USC Shoah Foundation
15 gennaio alle ore 21:00

For upcoming Martin Luther King Jr. Day we share this clip from Dachau camp liberator Paul Parks' testimony. After serving in the US Armed Forces and liberating the Dachau concentration camp Paul returned home and joined Dr. King and the Civil Rights Movement. #MLKDay

Leggiamo prima di condividere?



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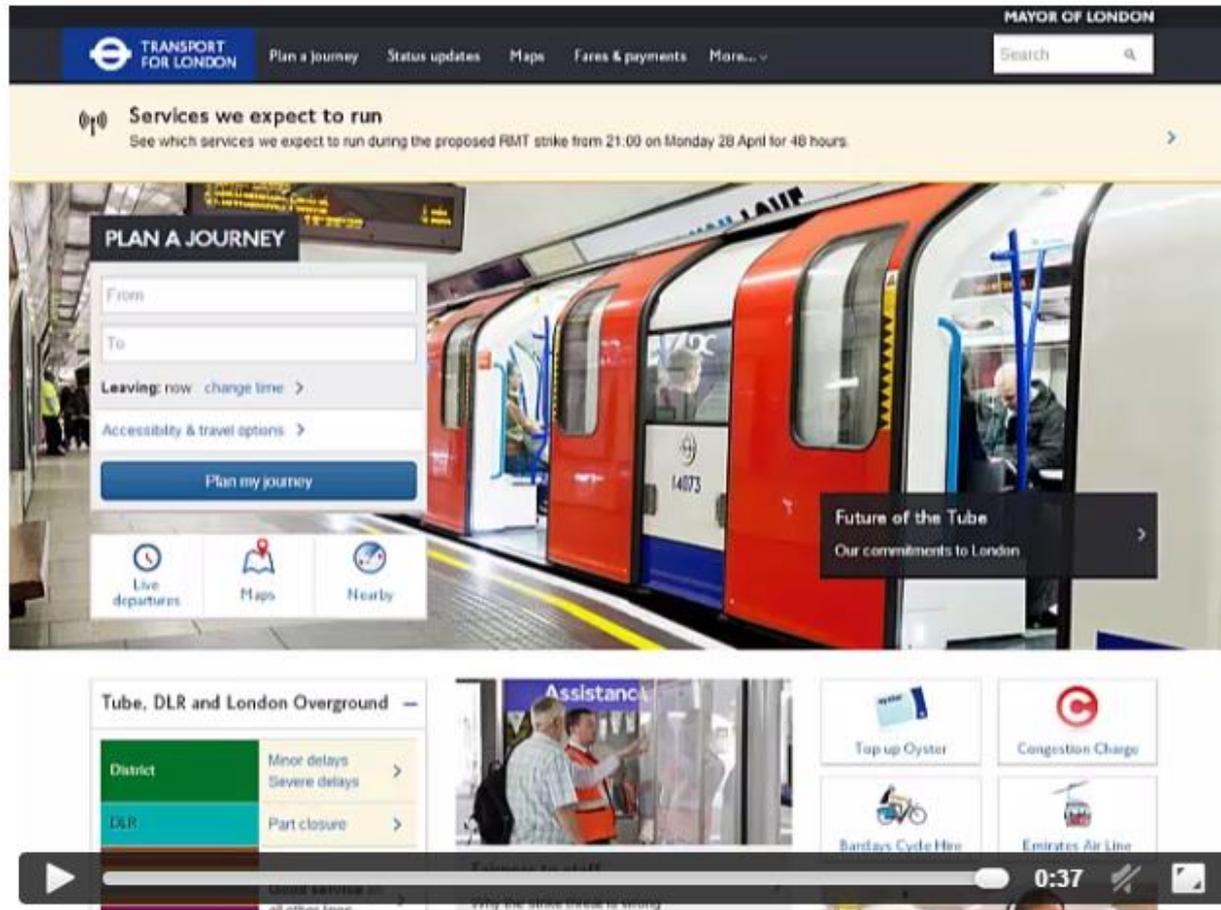
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When I wake up, the other side of the bed is cold. My fingers stretch out, seeking Prim's warmth but finding only the rough canvas cover of the mattress. She must have had bad dreams and clinked in with our mother. Of course, she did. This is the day of the reaping.
I prop myself up on one elbow. There's enough light in the bedroom to see them. My little sister, Prim, curled up on her side, cocooned in my mother's body, their cheeks pressed together. In sleep, my mother looks younger, still warm but not so beaten-down. Prim's face is as fresh as a raindrop, as lovely as the primrose for which she was named. My mother was very beautiful once, too. Or so they tell me.
Sitting at Prim's knees, gawking her, is the world's ugliest cat. Mashed-in nose, half of one ear missing, eyes the color of rotting squash. Prim named him Buttercup, insisting that his muddy

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Responsive Web Design (RWD)



This brief video (0:37) shows the responsive Transport for London website changing on the browser window in

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