

Education and Social Progress

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1. Goals



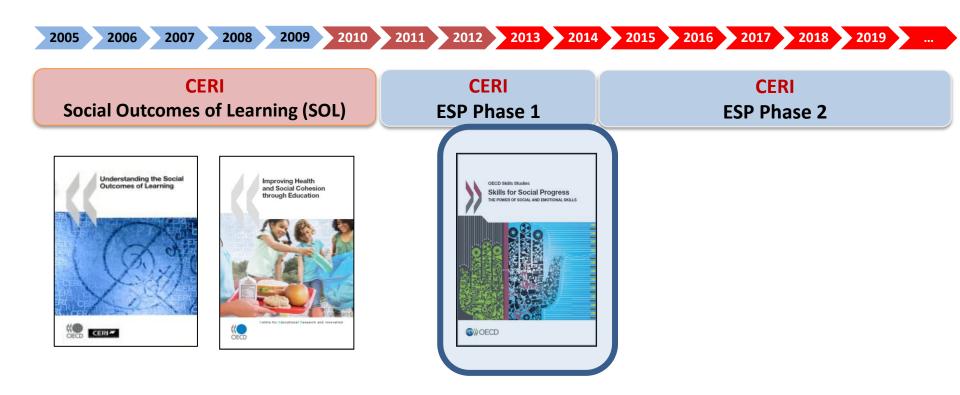
To better understand...

- **1.** Skills that bring wider-benefits
- 2. What works to raise these skills
- 3. Implication for education policies and practices





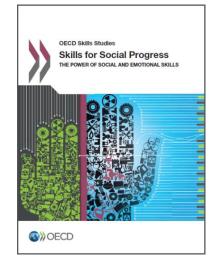
Previous OECD work ...



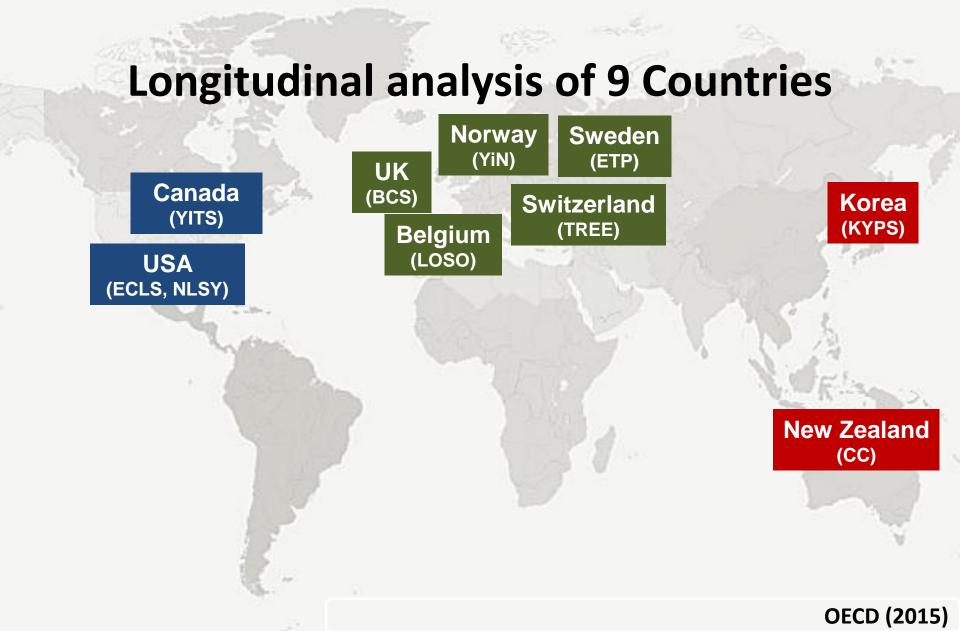


Key messages

- Socio-emotional skills <u>can be powerful</u> drivers of individual's lifetime success & social progress.
- 2. Children <u>can learn</u> some of these skills.
- Although there are instruments to <u>measure</u> social and emotional skills, they need to be better conceptualised and validated.

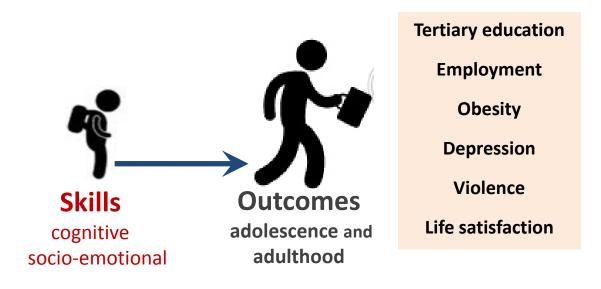








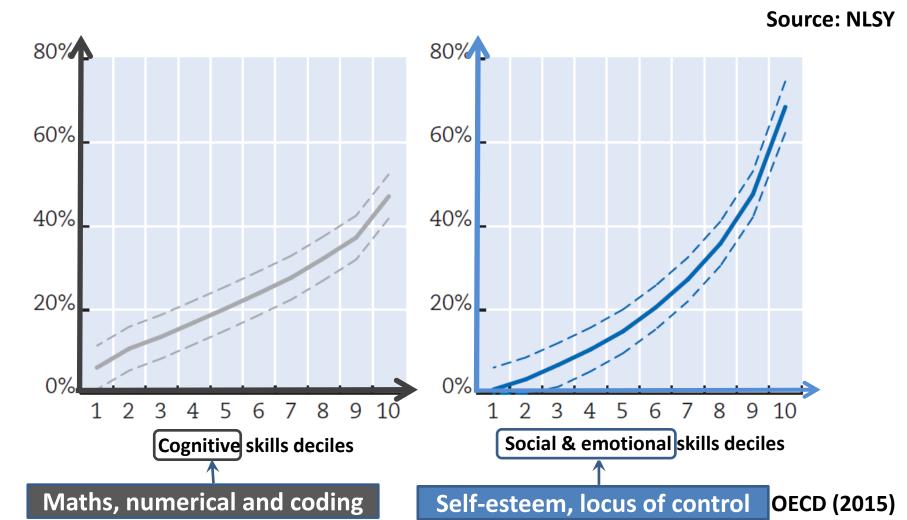
Longitudinal analysis of 9 Countries



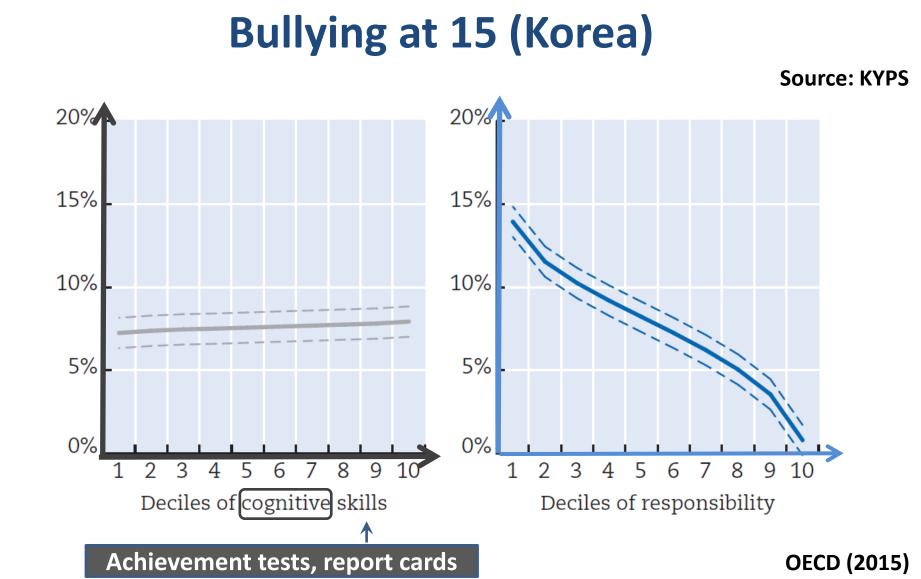
OECD (2015)



College Completion (USA)

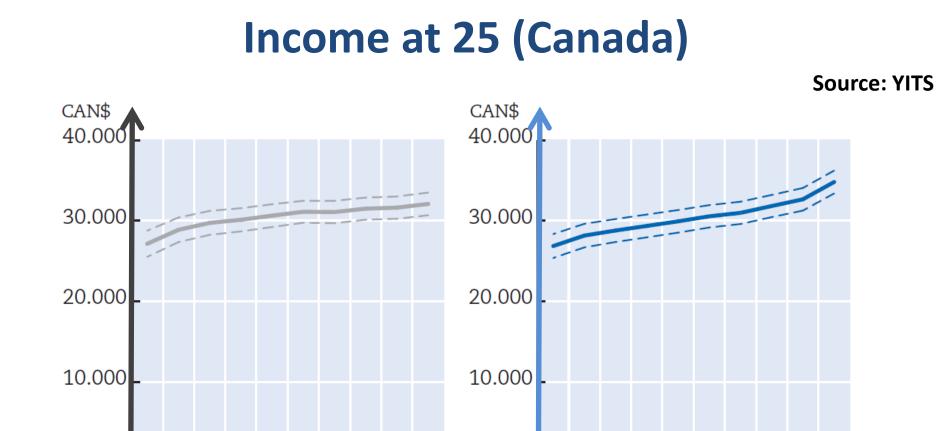








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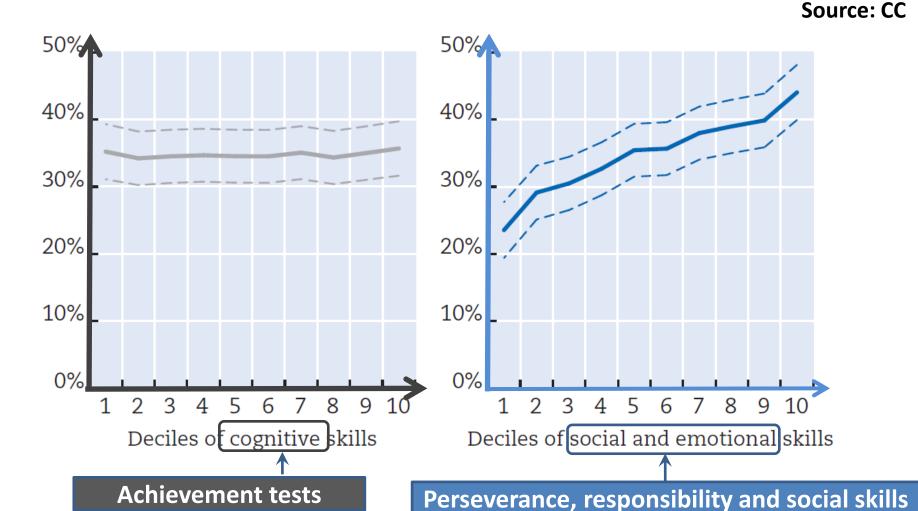
Deciles of cognitive skills

PISA

Deciles of social and emotional skills



Happy at 20 (New Zealand)





Successful Programmes

School-based

• Social and emotional learning (all)

Effect-size

Low-medium

Social and Emotional Learning

Service Learning Programmes



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Community-based

- Mentoring programmes (target)
- Outdoor adventure (all)

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Low Low–medium

Mentoring Programmes

Makinga BIG difference



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Family-based

Enhancing family-child attachments

→Mostly evidence from the US and UK →Mostly short-term evaluations

Effect-size

Low-medium Low-medium

Low Low–medium

high rate of returns

Schoon and Gutman (2013); Kautz et.al, (2014); OECD (2015)



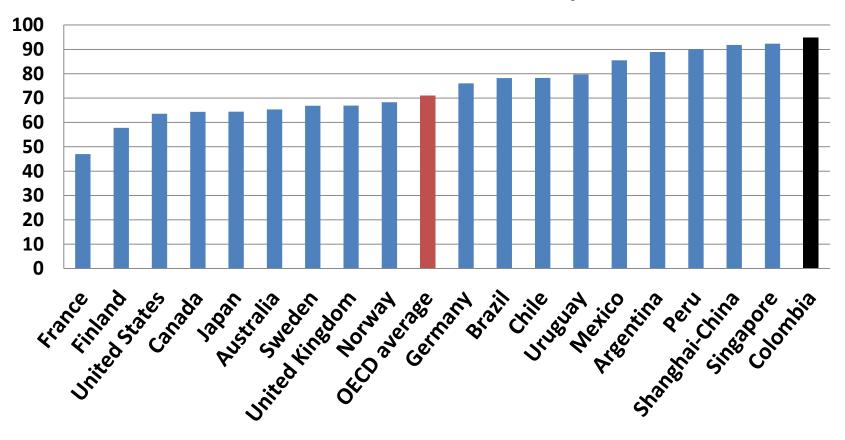
So... do we invest sufficiently in social and emotional skills?



- Ongoing policies and practices <u>recognise</u> the importance of social and emotional skills.
- Many schools <u>have activities</u> intended to directly and/or indirectly improve social and emotional skills.



% Students in Schools that Emphasise Social and Emotional Development



PISA (2012)



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School Report Cards^{2.} Previous study

| ACADEMIC | 1 | 11 | Ш | IV |
|--------------------|-------|------|------|-----|
| DATE | 11/86 | 1/87 | 4/87 | 487 |
| READING | B- | B | B- | C |
| GRADE LEVEL | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| ENGLISH | B | Bt | B | B- |
| SPELLING | B | B | B | в |
| GRADE LEVEL | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| HANDWRITING | B | B | B | B- |
| MATHEMATICS | 8 | Bt | C | C |
| GRADE LEVEL | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| SCIENCE | B | C | 0- | C |
| SOCIAL STUDIES | A | B+ | B | C+ |
| INSTRUMENTAL MUSIC | B | Bt | A- | A |

| CITIZENSHIP | I | Ш | Ш | IV |
|--------------------------------|-------|---|----|----|
| WORK HABITS | | | | |
| SHOWS EFFORT | S | 5 | 15 | S |
| USES TIME EFFECTIVELY | 5 | 5 | S | 5 |
| LISTENS & FOLLOWS DIRECTIONS | 5 | 3 | S | S |
| COMPLETES ASSIGNMENTS | S | 5 | S | 5- |
| WORKS NEATLY AND CAREFULLY | 5 | 5 | 5 | S |
| WORKS INDEPENDENTLY | S | S | S | 5 |
| ABLE TO WORK IN GROUPS | 5 | S | 15 | S |
| PARTICIPATES IN CLASS | S | 5 | S | 5 |
| SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT | EN CO | 1 | | |
| COOPERATES WITH ADULTS | S | 5 | S | S |
| COOPERATES WITH PEERS | 5 | S | 5 | 5 |
| ACCEPTS CONSTRUCTIVE CRITICISM | 5 | 5 | 5 | 5 |
| RESPECTS PROPERTY | 5 | S | ·S | S |
| IS SELF-DISCIPLINED | S | 5 | 5 | S |
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EXPLANATION OF CITIZENSHIP GRADES

S SATISFACTORY

N NEEDS TO IMPROVE

| ATTENDANCE | | . 11 | 111 | IV |
|-------------|---|------|-----|----|
| Times Tardy | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Days Absent | 4 | 0 | 6 | 32 |

| EXPRESSIVE ARTS | П | IV | |
|--------------------|----|----|--|
| ART | A | Bt | |
| PHYSICAL EDUCATION | A- | A | |
| VOCAL MUSIC | B | B- | |

http://steveandcat.net/mrswalker/meet_mrs_walker.htm



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HOWEVER.....

→ <u>Detailed evidence-based guidance</u> is very limited (teachers have limited means to improve practices)

→Existing measures are <u>noisy & biased</u> (hard to measure progress)



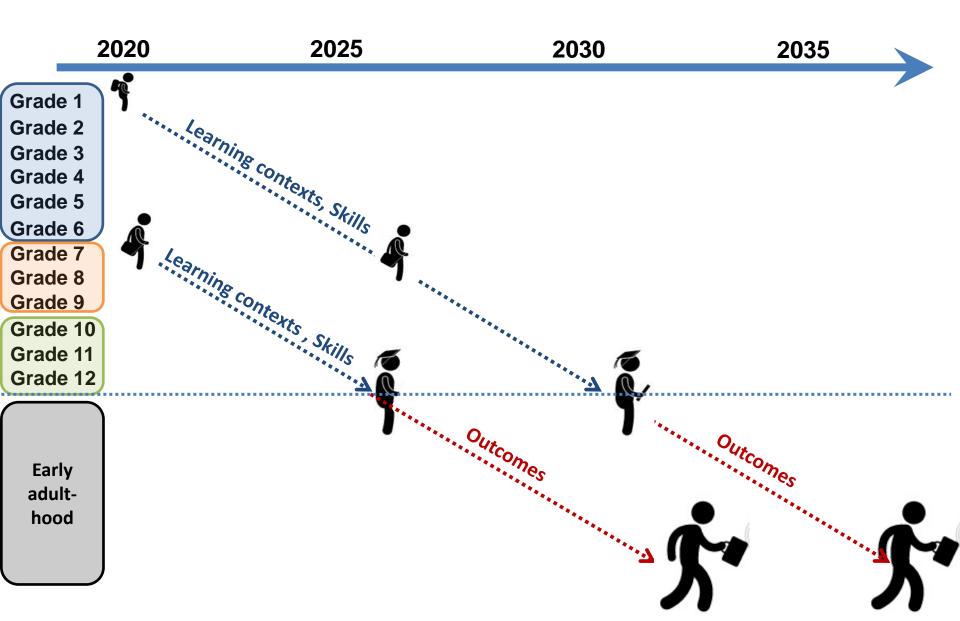
3. Longitudinal Study of Social and Emotional Skills in Cities



- 1. Identify <u>social and emotional skills</u> that matter for children's education, economic and social <u>outcomes</u>
- 2. Understand how <u>learning contexts</u> progressively drive social and emotional development
- 3. Develop <u>measurement tools</u>, <u>analyses</u> and <u>guidelines</u> for policy-makers, educators and researchers



3. Proposed study: Dynamics





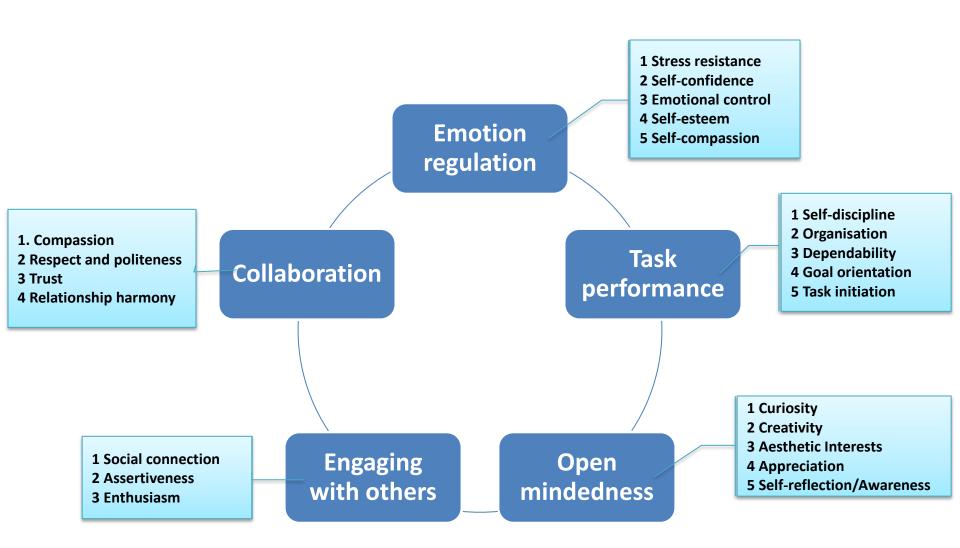
Social and emotional skills

Individual capacities that:

- are manifested in consistent patterns of thoughts, feelings and behaviours,
- can be developed through formal and informal learning experiences, and
- *influence important socioeconomic outcomes throughout individual's life.*

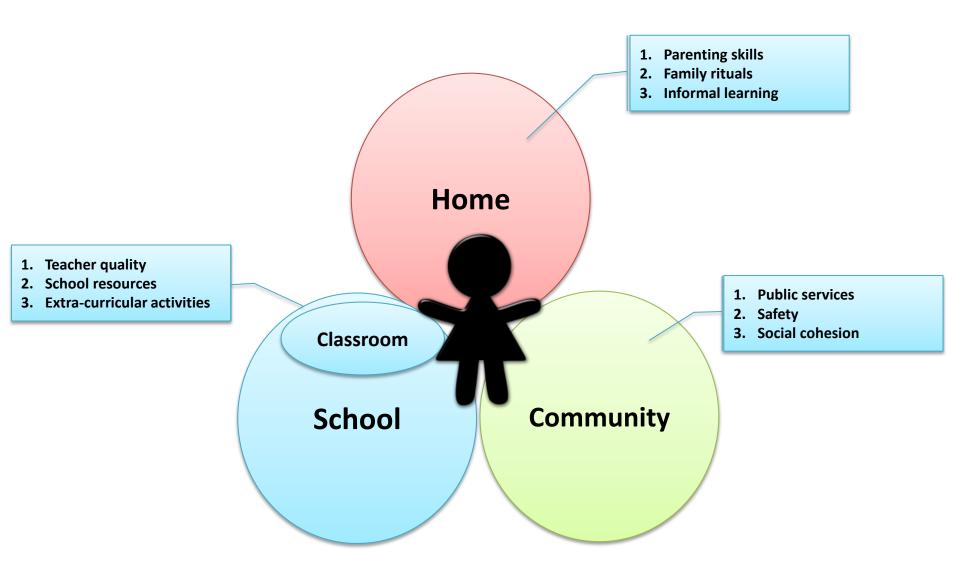


3. Proposed study: Framework of S/E skills





3. Proposed study: Framework of learning contexts

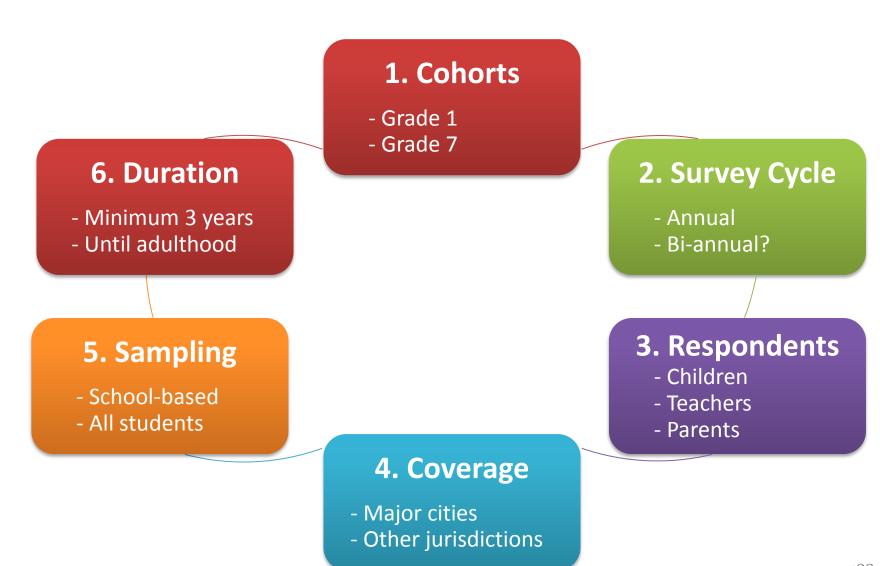




3. Proposed study: Framework of outcomes

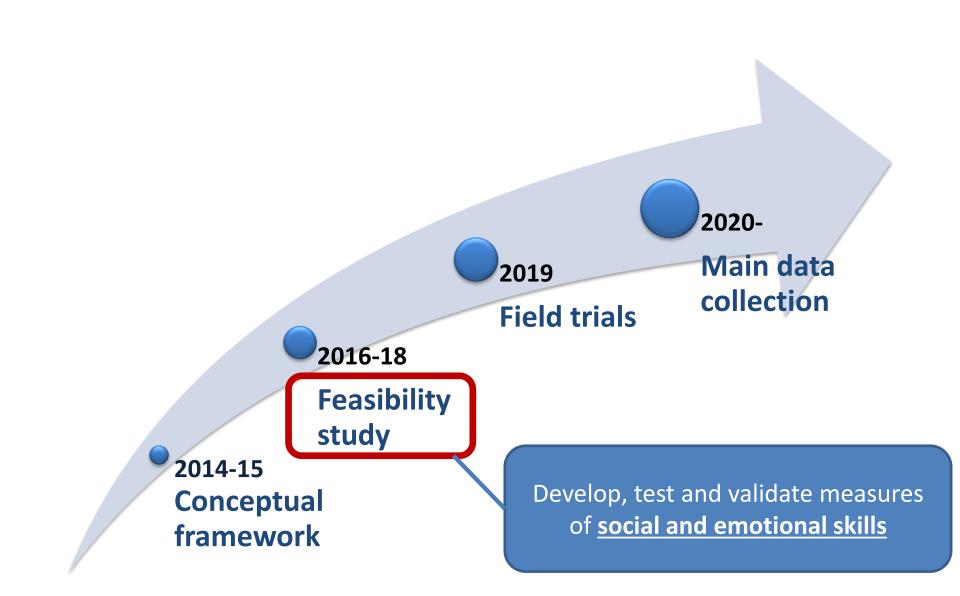








3. Proposed study: Timelines





Thank You

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