How Sports and Coaching Influence Social Emotional Learning in Young People

Sports provide a place for young people to grow, learn, and enhance their physical skills, but, with the help of good coaches, they will learn more than how to throw a pitch or perfect a layup.

On this episode of Critical Window, a podcast by the Alliance for Excellent Education (All4Ed), Jennifer Brown Lerner, deputy director for Aspen Institute Sports & Society Program, explores how sports and coaching influence the social, emotional, and academic development of students, and what educators and coaches can learn from one another.

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Are high schools preparing students adequately for the additional education they will need after graduating to compete for good-paying jobs?

In July, our #OurChallengeOurHope campaign is examining high school reform strategies that lead to success in postsecondary education for ALL students—the high performers and the students in need of additional support.

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This digest highlights many approaches of bringing deeper learning
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