

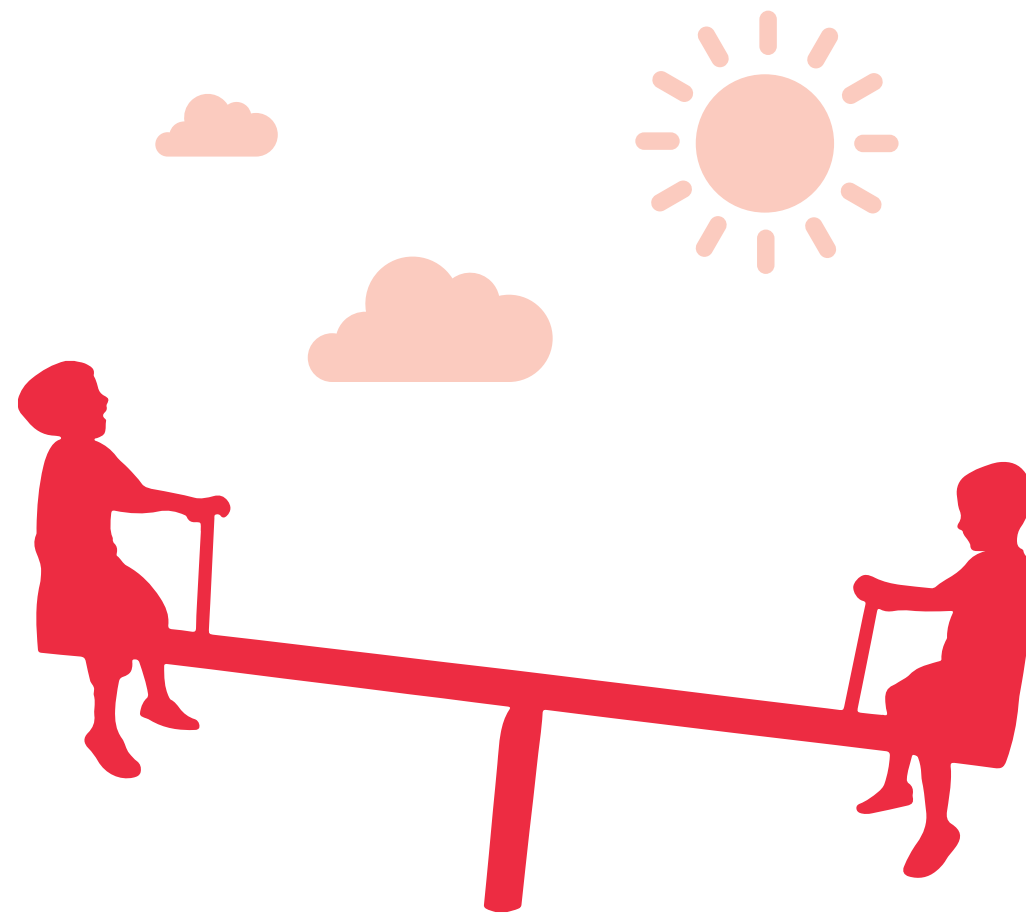
Play Must Stay

Our survey of over 1100 parents on Mumsnet found:



Over half

(53%) said their child would be **more active** if they had **more access to local play facilities**



61%

of those with access to a local, easily accessible and safe **playground** said that it makes their child **play outside more**



9 in 10

of those without access to a local playground said that **having access** would make their child **play outside more**

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Our survey of over 1100 parents on Mumsnet found:



43%

expressed concern about the **amount of time** their child spends on screens



Almost half
(48%)

said they find it difficult to persuade their child to **leave their screen**



60%

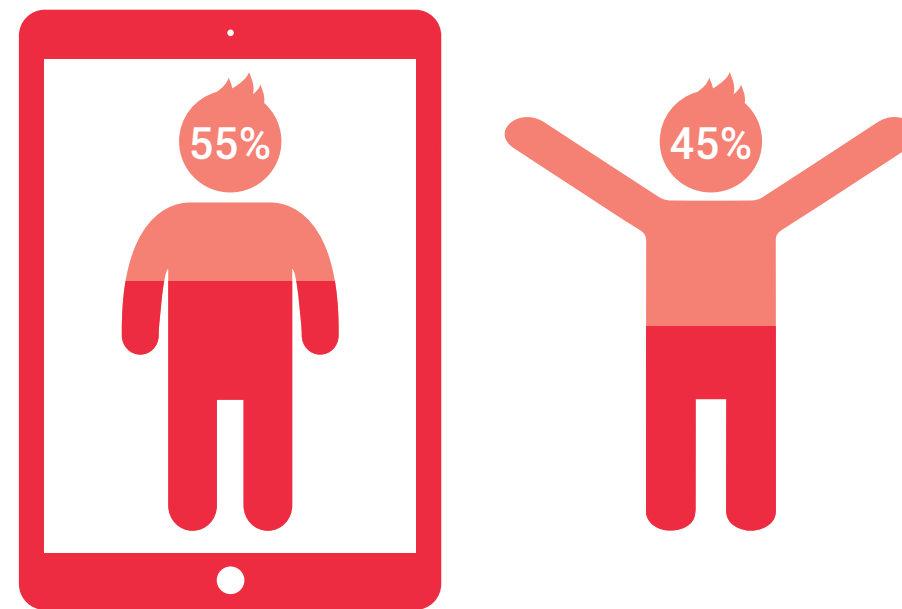
of parents with a child aged 10-12 find it difficult to persuade their child to **leave their screen**

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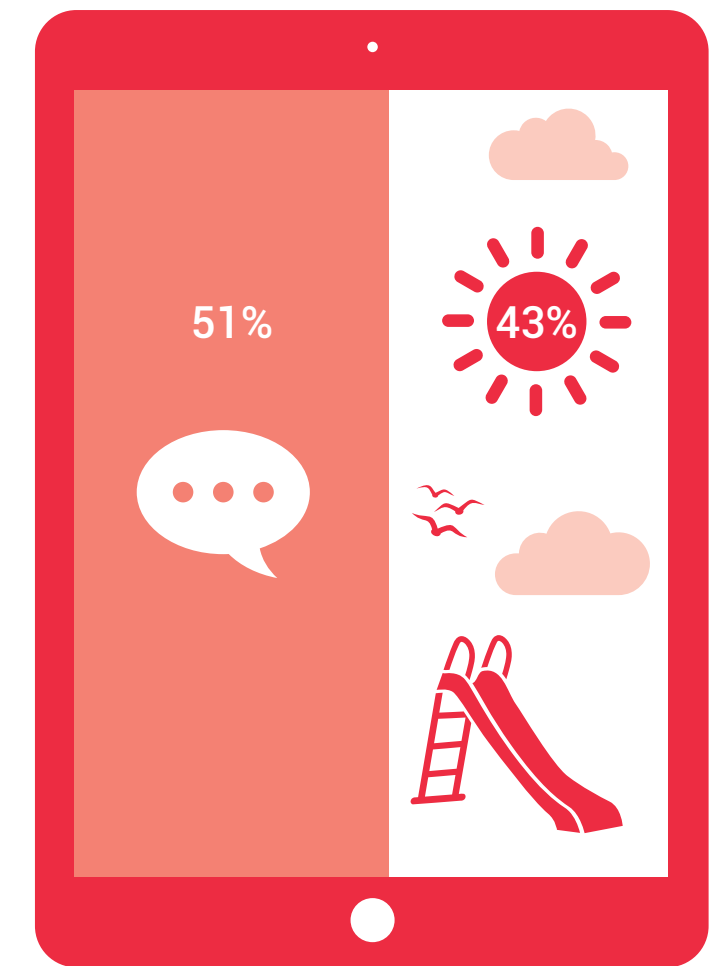
Our survey of over 1100 parents on Mumsnet found:



Significantly more **parents of boys** are **concerned** about the amount of time that their child spends on screens



Parents of boys are significantly more likely to say their **child prefers screen time over other activities**

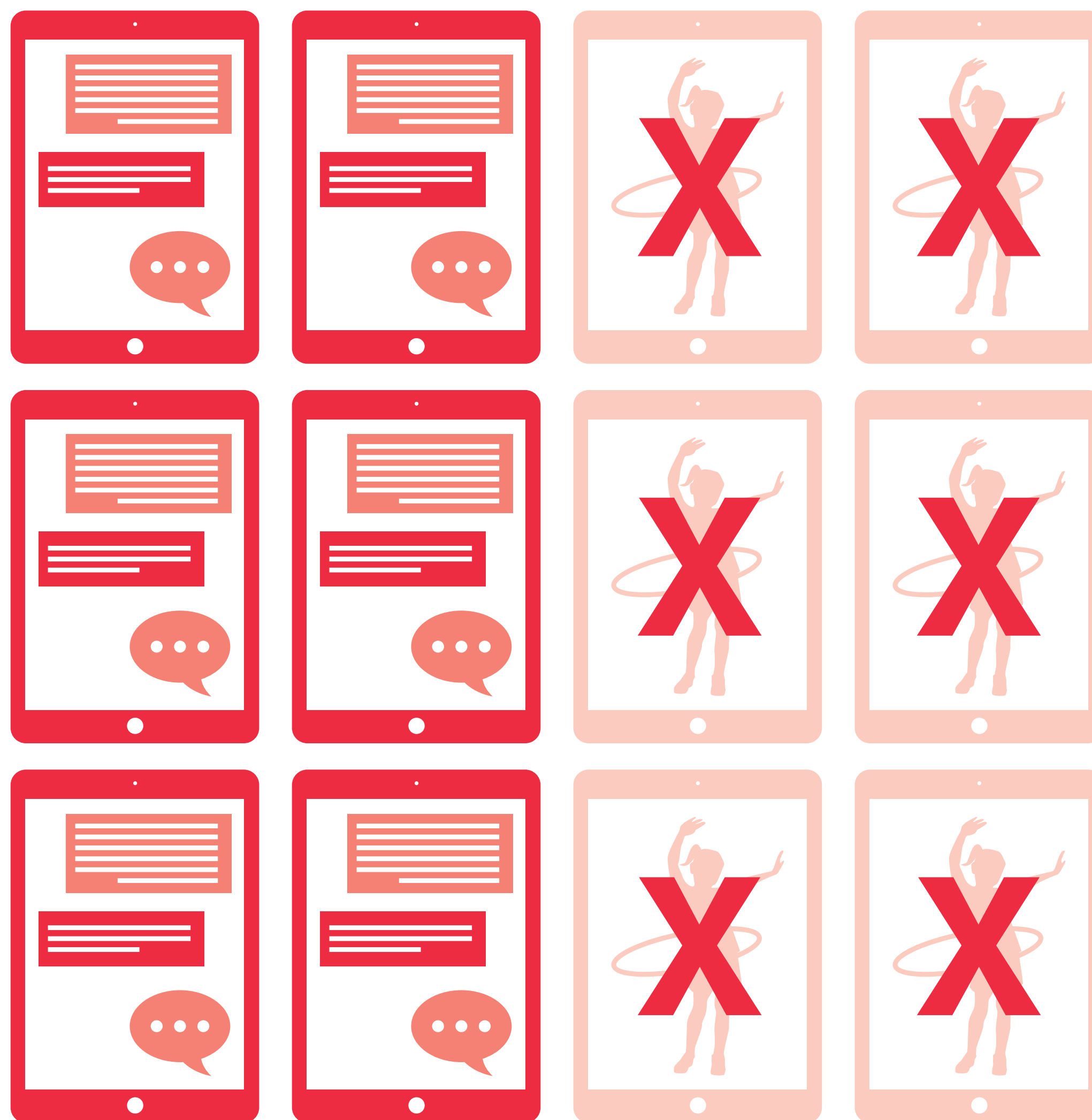


Parents of boys said they found it **difficult to persuade** their child to **leave their screen** at a higher rate than parents of girls



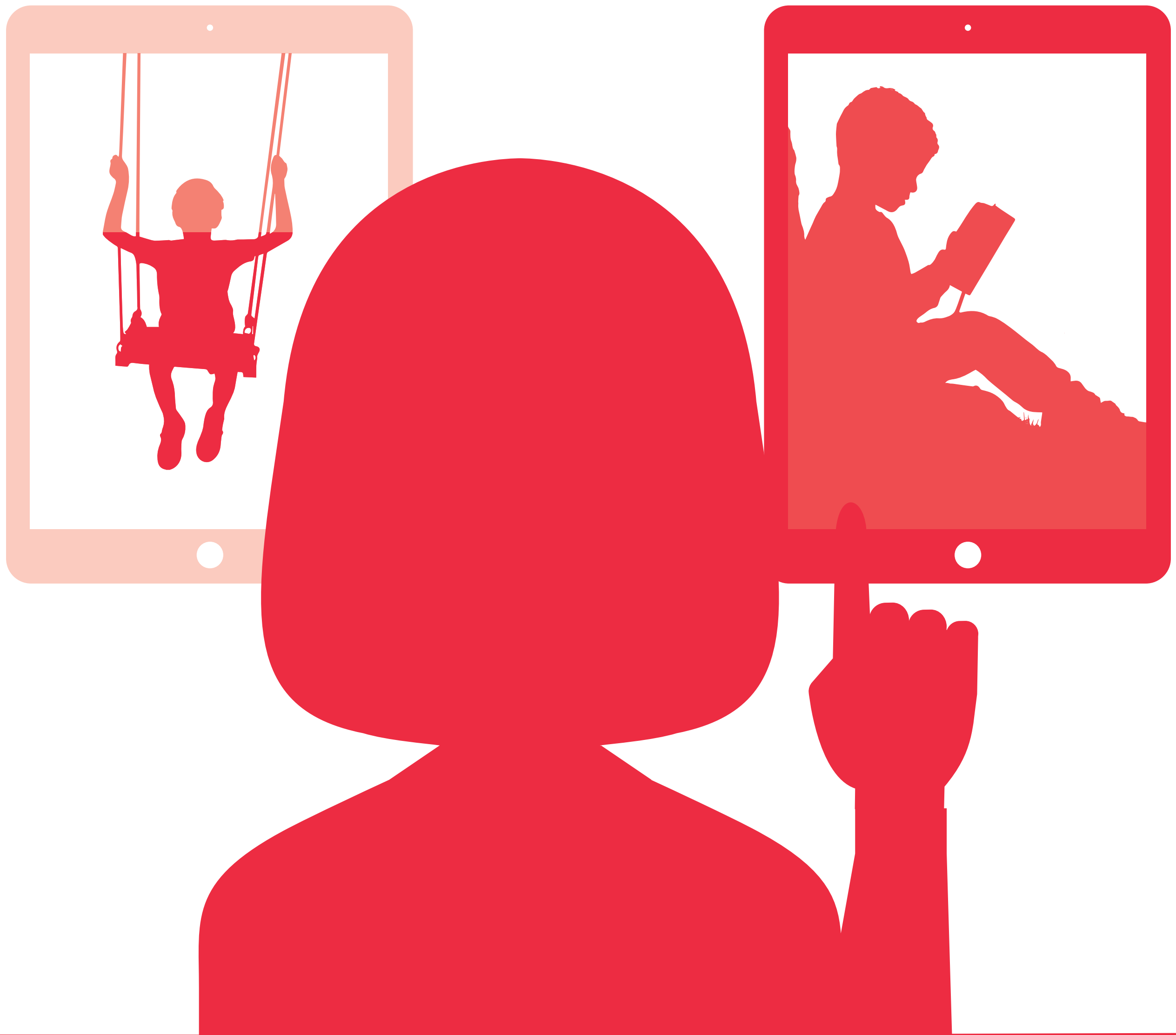
57%

of those with a child aged 10-12
**expressed concern about the amount
of time their child spends on screens**



Around **half**

(49%) of parents agreed that
their child **prefers screen time**
over **other activities**



Parents with **children aged 8 and 12** were significantly **more likely** than parents with younger children to say their child **prefers screen time over other activities**



7 in 10

parents with a child aged under 4 said
their child preferred spending time
outdoors to time on screens.

However, **less than a quarter**
of parents with a child aged 10-12
agreed with this statement.

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Results based on 2019 survey with over 1100 Mumsnet parents