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KATE: Hi, and welcome to Newsreel. I'm Kate Holland.

Coming up:

- **Do you spend too much money shopping online?**
HELENA: You can sometimes find yourself adding too many things to the cart.
- **Plus the UK teenage tennis player who has won the US Open.**

But first.

Pupils with Special Needs

A new report says that schools in the UK aren't getting enough money to support pupils with special educational needs.

Children with special needs have learning problems or disabilities that make it harder for them to learn than most children.

The report by The National Association of Head Teachers says the lack of money means thousands of young people aren't getting the education they deserve.

I spoke to Gawain Little who is a Primary school teacher from Norwich.

GAWAIN: Quite often we will have students who are entitled to, or who need one-to-one or one-to-two support in the classroom. But that support isn't available because there isn't enough funding.

Spending Too Much Money Online

KATE: Now, have you ever spent more than you meant to shopping online?

A lot of online advertising is aimed at children and you can buy what you want with the click of a mouse.

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And experts say addiction to shopping – not being able to stop yourself buying things – can start at an early age.

Pamela Roberts is a psychotherapist who helps people when their shopping habits get out of control.

PAMELA: *Shopping can be a soothing of something. So rather than processing stuff that's going on – it could be a break-up of a relationship, or an annoying family member there's an instant gratification. You can just immediately feel better by a quick old shop. But of course, the issue is still there, it's not actually dealt with, and so then the shopping is needed again and it sets up a circular process.*

KATE: And what's your advice to stop people becoming addicted to shopping?

PAMELA: *We need to develop a savings account so that we build up the money. And then when you buy something it has a whole different value because you've worked for it.*

KATE: I've also been talking to 15-year-old Helena about her online spending habits.

HELENA: *You can sometimes find yourself adding too many things to the cart, when if you were in a real shop you might not even think to buy that many things.*

You've got adverts for clothes on Instagram and Tik Tok and Snap Chat. So, I think they're very good at aiming at the youth and going to places where they know people will click on it and be curious.

KATE: So if you see something you like, that's popped up on your social media feed – how easy is it to buy?

HELENA: *Sometimes you can just press one button and you'll instantly be able to pay for it. You don't even need to set up your card or anything because you've already got your card on your phone. So that can be really dangerous.*

KATE: Ben in Edinburgh, told me he thinks that the pandemic has made the problem worse.

BEN: *Throughout this pandemic, I find that through targeted advertisements and promotions online that it's definitely become a lot easier to spend your money. I find that myself and friends now are easily falling into the trap of just spending extra money where we don't need to.*

KATE: Thanks Ben, Helena and Pamela.

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UK Teenager Wins US Open in Tennis

TENNIS PLAYER: *It inspires me a lot – to play more, to be more enthusiastic about how I play, how I can progress*

KATE: That's a young tennis player at Emma Raducanu's tennis club in Bromley talking to the BBC. She's been inspired by Emma's win at the US Open.

Raducanu who is only 18-years old is the first person ever to win a Grand Slam after going through qualifying.

She didn't lose a set in the whole of the US Open championship.

KATE: Speak to you all soon! Goodbye!

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