**4. What do you think should be done to tackle youth crime in the UK?**

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Cash for youth offending teams has been slashed despite a violent crime epidemic and ministers repeatedly promising new money for prevention.

The Government has handed Youth Justice Boards a “desperately disappointing” £71.6m - exactly the same as last year, meaning the settlement represents a real-terms cut.

It comes as a spike in knife and gun crime has seen London’s murder rate overtake New York’s.

On Saturday, a 28-year-old woman became the capital’s 44th victim of knife crime while there have been 66 murders so far in 2018.

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**3. Complete the check your understanding questions on page 99.**