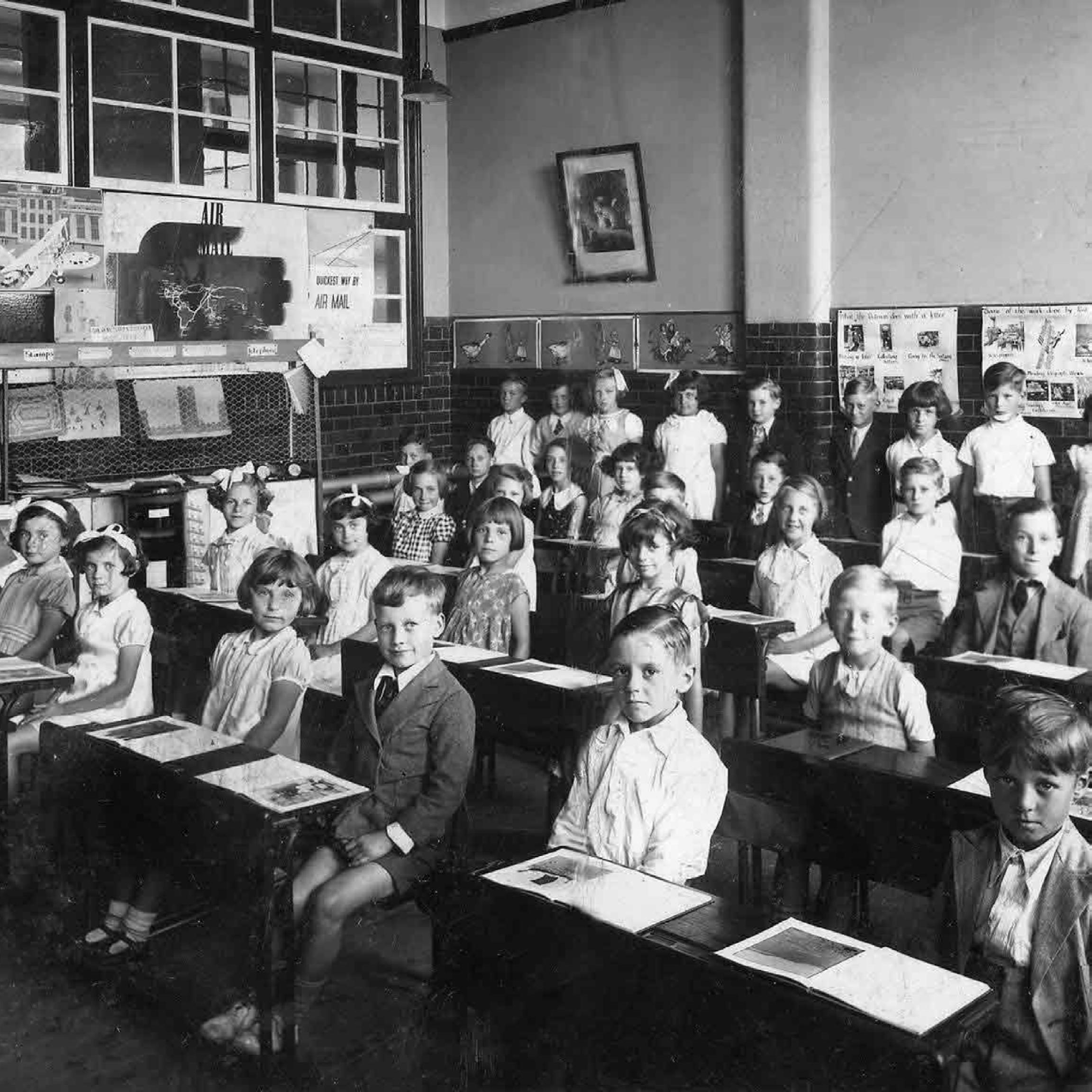


Kinesthetic School by Asher McGlothlin



Kinesthetic learning is a learning style in which learning takes place by the students carrying out physical activities, rather than listening to a lecture or watching demonstrations.

Kinesthetic School embodies the belief that the factory model of education still practiced in many schools today doesn't adequately prepare children for the lives they'll have after school. This method of education was supposedly formed to prepare children for the 'real world' of the time, which was viewed as getting them accustomed to working regular shifts sitting at desks or stations in factories. However, our current model of education doesn't adequately prepare children for today's world with its growing innovation in technology and increasingly complex problems. With rising opportunities in creative fields, our schools should move away from a pedagogy centered on memorization, and towards developing creativity and helping students understand the methods by which they themselves learn. In the past, the popular thinking was that we are all either auditory or visual learners, but recent research by the National Institute of Health suggests that up to 30% of the population are kinesthetic learners. The world is long overdue for an awakening in our approach to education. Kinesthetic school will provide children with an environment that will foster each child's curiosity and sense of self, thus developing their growth into the future leaders whose creative thinking and compassion will solve the problems of tomorrow.





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