



Ark Elvin Academy

Ark Elvin Summer Camp 2021

From 16th August for two weeks we hosted between 80 and 100 Year 7 – Year 10 pupils a day at our first ever Summer Camp.

Our activities:

- Every day pupils read together from the brilliant collection ‘The Book of Hopes.’
- Pupils spent every Monday, Tuesday and Thursday taking part in activities in school, ranging from boxing to creative writing, cooking and mural painting.
- On Wednesday 18th August we took 100 pupils to London Zoo where we had a great day spotting all sorts of amazing animals.
- On Wednesday 25th August we went swimming at the Olympic Pool – our pupils braved the ‘Aqua Splash’ assault course, and some took to the canal in the swan pedal boats.
- On Friday 20th August we had fun learning to write songs with the Ark Music team and on Friday 27th August we had a very special day with the Literacy Trust – pupils learned how to craft stories, make comics, write jokes and poems and be creative with language and welcomed a range of special guests.

We had a great two weeks! The summer camp formed part of the national Covid-19 recovery scheme and was funded by the Department for Education.

Details of the funding claim are summarised below:

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| Trips and Events | £15962 |
| Staffing | £31609 |
| Catering | £5625 |
| Activities and Resources | £2875 |
| Total Claim | £56633 |

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