

## Summer School Funding

The summer schools programme was set up in response to the impact that the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic had on pupils learning. The aim of the summer schools programme was to provide pupils with academic education and enrichment activities in order to mitigate the impact of lost learning, particularly with regard to reading and mathematics. At Eden School, we aimed to ensure that our summer school programme was used by the students who would benefit most. In addition to providing support with English and maths, the funding was used to improve our summer school programme, which offered an opportunity for pupils to enhance their learning and wellbeing through a range of activities, including team building, sports (Olympic themed) and science.

As a school we were also mindful of the fact that pupils in Year 7 and 8 had not been able to access the school site in the usual way and had not experienced all that Eden had to offer. Therefore, we offered places on the programme to this in addition to new Year 6 pupils. By accessing the summer school, we believed pupils would be better supported to develop their confidence and independence skills, as well as help them to navigate the school site ahead of when the school returned to 'normal' in the next academic year.

School details	
Name of School	Eden
School Type	Special School KS2 – KS4
Total Number of students	48
Students eligible for FSM	39
Number of students who attended Summer School	13
Dates of Summer School	11th-13th August 16th-17th August
Total amount of funding	£7234

## Summary of spending

The funding enabled the school to:

- Provide quality enrichment activities that benefitted pupils' reading, communication and physical skills.
- Provide activities that some pupils' parents might not have been able to offer.
- Ensure the pupils to staff ratio was appropriate for the successful delivery of the programme.
- Provide healthy and nutritious meals to students attending the summer school

### Record of spending to deliver the summer schools programme

Item or project	Cost	Intended impact	Outcome
Teaching Staff	£4805	<p>To ensure the individual needs of pupils were met. To ensure differentiated activities were planned for.</p> <p>To ensure pupils access a range of experiences and were motivated to attend.</p>	<p>All pupils that were due to attend did so.</p> <p>Pupils accessed a range of activities throughout the week and displayed high levels of engagement.</p> <p>Parents and carers responded positively to the Summer School offer.</p> <p>Pupils were able to participate in a range of activities suitable to their social and academic needs.</p> <p>All pupils who participated received a personalised certificate recognising their achievements.</p>
Resources	£2429	<p>To ensure learning is fun and accessible to all.</p> <p>To support the student's progress towards intended learning and social development outcomes.</p>	<p>All pupils were able to access planned activities due to the use of differentiated, tailored resources.</p> <p>Students demonstrated improvements in their fine motor skills and coordination.</p> <p>Pupils displayed increased levels of confidence in their own abilities and were able to mix with other students successfully.</p> <p>Pupils talked positively about school and reported an eagerness for the term ahead.</p> <p>Pupils attendance for Autumn Term 1 2021 has remained high for those who attended summer school.</p>

### Declaration

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