



# Summer School 2021

Saint Aidan's Church of England High School. Head: Mr. A.N. Smith

We recognised that children's last year of primary education was disrupted due to Covid-19, so to support the transition process, we held a week long summer school.

The aim of this programme was to deliver a blend of academic education and enrichment activities. We wanted to give our new students the opportunity to familiarise themselves with the school, staff and the style of lessons they would receive in September, whilst meeting their peers and making new friends. There were able to access English, maths, sporting activities, performing arts, technology and languages. Alongside this, we ran two out of school visits. Parents were invited to an assembly on the final day, so that students could showcase what they had done over the week.

The summer school ran for five days from Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> August to Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> August 2021, from 9.30am – 3pm. Lunch, snacks and drinks were provided throughout the day.

## Programme

Day 1	Day 2	Day 3	Day 4	Day 5
Personal Development: Transition to Secondary	English - Castle	English - Castles	Winmarleigh visit: Teambuilding and leadership day.	Challenge morning: Group based activities designed to develop teamwork.
English: Castles theme	Orienteering: Getting to know the school	Drama and Performing Arts		
Hoghton Towers: Visit to inspire writing about castles.	Maths: Practical skills	Maths- Practical skills		
	Enrichment afternoon: Spanish, technology, yoga	Sport afternoon: Fleetwood Town Football club.		Assembly for parents

## Costs

Staff	£7410
Visits	£1934
Transport	£480
Lunch/snacks	£790
Total	£10614

## Attendance

Day 1	39
Day 2	39
Day 3	36
Day 4	33
Day 5	32

## Students and parent evaluation

Microsoft Forms were send out to parents of the students involved. They were asked to rate summer school out of 5 for a variety of statements. Feedback was outstanding.

How well did Summer School meet the objective of supporting your child's transition to secondary school?



4.93 Average Rating