



SUMMER SCHOOL

2021

Timetable

- The timetable focused on Maths, English topped up with a number of practical and creative subjects.

Students participated in Maths, English and PE every day, throughout the week they participated in:

- Science (practical)
- Art
- Music
- French
- Drama
- Each day followed the same structure of 6 sessions of 45 mins with 2 breaks and a 30 min lunch. On Friday we collapsed the sessions and had extended sessions based around the theme of Shakespeare.

This provision was supported by 13 of the teaching staff and 12 support staff/ TA's

Attendance

- This fluctuated throughout the week, depending on prior commitments and holidays:

Monday - 122

Tuesday - 113

Wednesday - 111

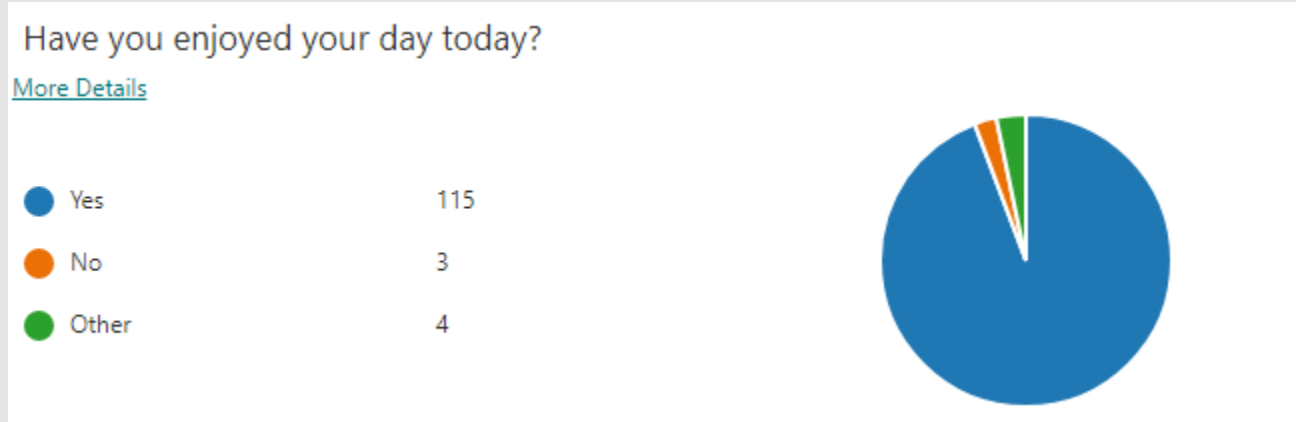
Thursday - 106

Friday – 99

Numbers during signing up were always highest on a Monday and lowest on a Friday. Some students who hadn't signed up for the rest of the week, enjoyed the week so much, they attended multiple days.

Feedback from students was overwhelmingly positive

This is from the 1st day



This is feedback at the end of the week



One of the main objectives was to support transition, ensuring by the end of the week students felt prepared for secondary school.

Has today helped you with your nerves/worries?(Please say why)

[More Details](#)

Yes	60
No	20
Other	41



Has attending summer school helped you with your nerves / worries?

[More Details](#)

Yes	82
If no, why?	9
Other	13



Another important focus was to ensure students developed new relationships in their Houses.

4. Have you made a new friend today?

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[Insights](#)

● Yes	81
● No	32
● Other	9



4. Have you spoken / worked with anybody new this week?

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● Yes	93
● No	5
● Other	0



Parents feedback

- Thank you for a great start to the Summer School, Harry has come home smiling which is a good sign. I just wanted to confirm that Harry won't unfortunately be attending Tuesday and Wednesday as he has a 2 day tennis tournament at the Shrewsbury Club, but he will be back in on Thursday and Friday.
- Many thanks again for a great start to the week,

- I just wanted to say thank you for the fantastic Summer School you have run this week. Harry has really enjoyed it as it has been the perfect mix of orientation to his new school and a fun, inspiring introduction to secondary school life. I know this doesn't just happen without a great deal of hard work and dedication and I just wanted to say how much we appreciate that. Harry is now more than ready for the start of Year 7 and I am sure he will enjoy the rest of his holiday more now that he knows he has so much to look forward to.

- Thank you very much for a fab week! Sam has enjoyed getting to know the staff, making new friends, and taking part in the variety of activities that have been on offer. It's been a great boost to their transition.
- Thank you for all your efforts and wishing you an enjoyable summer holiday

- We wanted to thank all of the staff at Priory for arranging the Summer School week. Our son, Gabriel, has absolutely loved every minute of it, and cannot wait to begin at Priory in September. He's come back every day, massively enthused, excited and happy.
- You must have all put in so much work during what should be your summer break, and we really appreciate it. It's given Gabe the best possible start to the school, and we're fully confident he will manage the transition well.
- It's also confirmed with us that we all made the right decision to apply to Priory, and we're very excited about Gabe's future at the school.
- Thank you very much, and please pass on our thanks to all the other members of staff. We hope you have a wonderful (remaining!) summer break.

- And a huge thank you to you and all the staff for taking time out of your holiday to make this happen - Lucy has had a brilliant few days and the whole week has helped so much to prepare her for September, the apprehension has gone and she can now look forward knowing a little what to expect!

- Thanks so much for organising this week. Maisy has had a great time and will now be looking forward to September. You too can now enjoy your summer break!

- My son, Dylan Pollard has had an amazing week. All thanks to your staff who have made the week fun and informative.

- My son and his friend have really enjoyed the summer school, returning home each day happy and suitably tired, they are looking forward to September.
- It's been fantastic for them to meet new friends, some staff, practice the route and get to know the school.
- It has turned what could be a daunting transition into a really exciting one,
- Thankyou to all involved, we're really grateful,

- I just want to say a big thank you to you and all the teachers and staff who have been supporting the Summer School.
- Stefan had an amazing time, he was looking forward to attending each day and was so enthusiastic.
- It really helps with their transition for September, getting to know their way around the school as well.

- Our daughter Grace Jackson had a marvellous time at summer school. Didn't stop talking about it when she got home. Not only thoroughly enjoyed the whole week of activities and lessons, but she made new friends and the whole experience has boosted her confidence. She is so looking forward to starting at Priory in September!
- Please thank all the staff, both teachers and support, for their evident hard work in organising and delivering such a positive and successful week.

- Thank you for providing the children with this opportunity. As the week progressed my son became more and more settled and really enjoyed his last day yesterday (I was the mum who called Tuesday while Laura was in M&S). Thank you for listening and making changes as the week progressed to ensure a really positive experience.

- I just wanted to say what a fantastic time my daughter (Alice Parke) had at summer school. Alice and her friends all said it was brilliant and they couldn't wait to go back each day so thank you very much to everyone concerned for making it so enjoyable!
- I hope you had a wonderful summer holidays!

- Sorry to have not replied sooner- I wanted to mail to say many thanks to you and your colleagues for organising and providing the summer school week.
- Bryn enjoyed the week and tells me he now feels familiar with Priory and knows what to expect. This is a massive milestone for him and I am sure will make his transition much easier; priceless for him (and for me as a parent!)
- He and I were somewhat surprised that the week followed a “formal” lesson timetable, but I do recognise the benefits of this in the long term for him, and appreciate the logistics of staffing and structures that may have been behind it.
- I hope you and all involved are now enjoying a happy summer holidays and stay well and safe.
- Thanks again for giving up some of your well deserved holiday period after such an exceptionally tough year, to help my son.

Finances

Places offered/ delivered

	Pupils not eligible for Pupil Premium who were invited	Pupils eligible for Pupil Premium who were invited
Year 6 – places offered	143	25
Year 6 – places delivered	104	18

Daily attendance

Day	Students
Day 1	122
Day 2	113
Day 3	111
Day 4	106
Day 5	99
Total	551

Funding

Income		
Funding Claimed	£24,126	
Expenditure		
Teaching Salaries		£14,914
Support Staff Salaries		£5,673
Resources		£2,870
Books		£524
FSM/Catering/Cleaning		£145
Total Expenditure		£24,126