

**DONCASTER  
SUMMER  
STAYCATION**



**Doncaster  
Council**



# **SUMMER STAYCATION 2020**

## **Hill Top Academy**

### **Camp Report**



**Exceed Learning Partnership**

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# THANK YOU



A sincere thank you from all of our team for making this summer one to remember for all the right reasons. Seeing children improving their physical, mental and social skills, but above all seeing them smile again. I will never forget one mum saying 'thank you for giving me my son back'. We have all had a part to play in this from Doncaster Council, the host schools, parents and carers, our team of staff, volunteers and apprentices but most of all, the children.

**Lindsay James, Director**

## PROJECT SUMMARY

### What was Summer Staycation?

The Doncaster Summer Staycation was a Doncaster Council project which saw local organisations deliver FREE activities and sessions, both virtually and face-to-face, for children during the summer holidays.

The project saw Active Fusion deliver summer camps, which were spread across seven different locations in Doncaster, throughout the summer holidays.

Our Summer Sports Camps, which saw 446 children attend, included a variety of sports and physical activity sessions for children to take part in throughout the week.

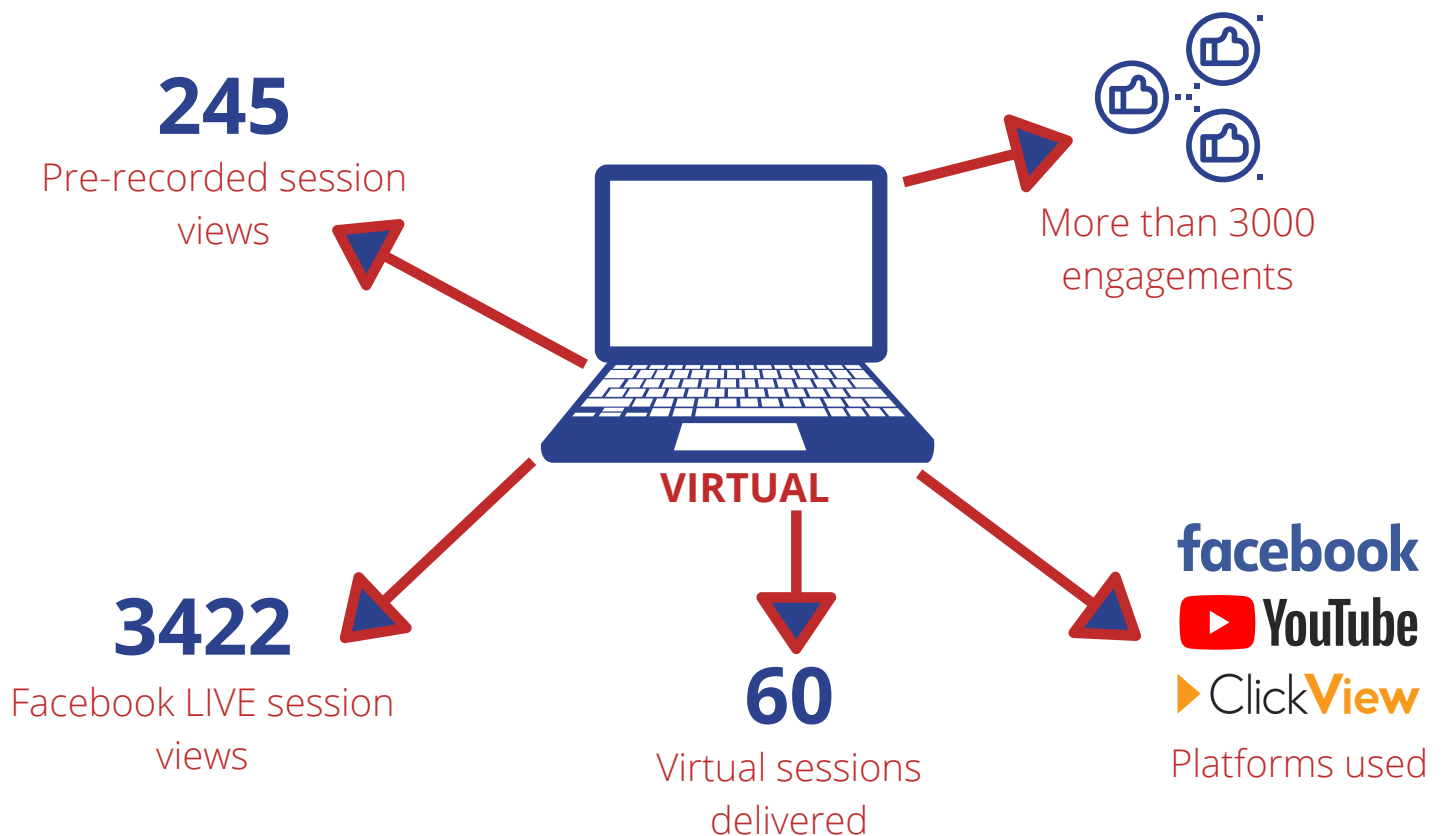
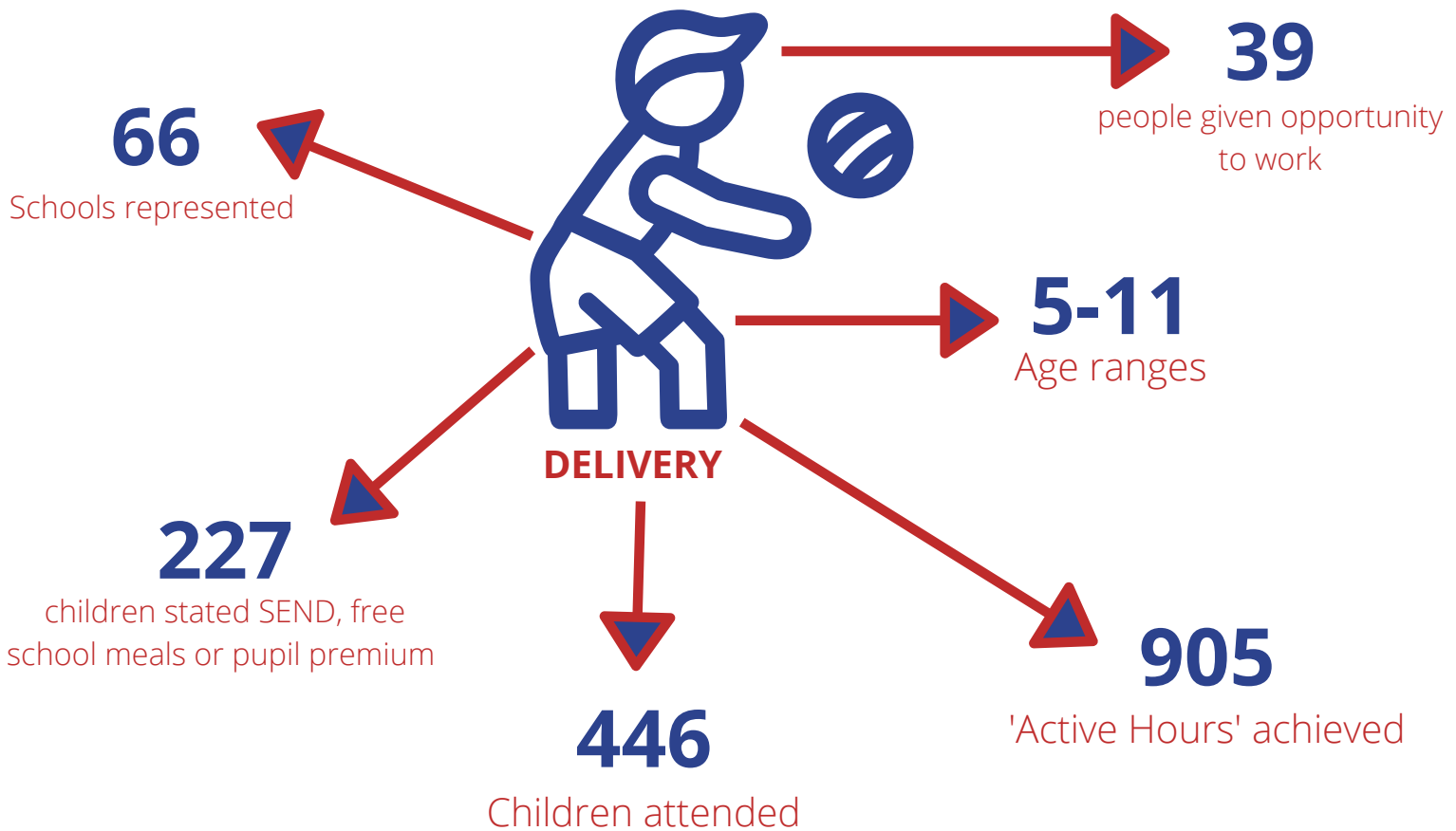
Children were also able to access learning resources and ideas for keeping active at home such as our PE Parent pack.



**"Our Summer Sports Camps saw 446 children attend."**

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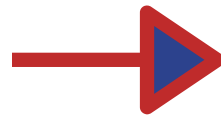
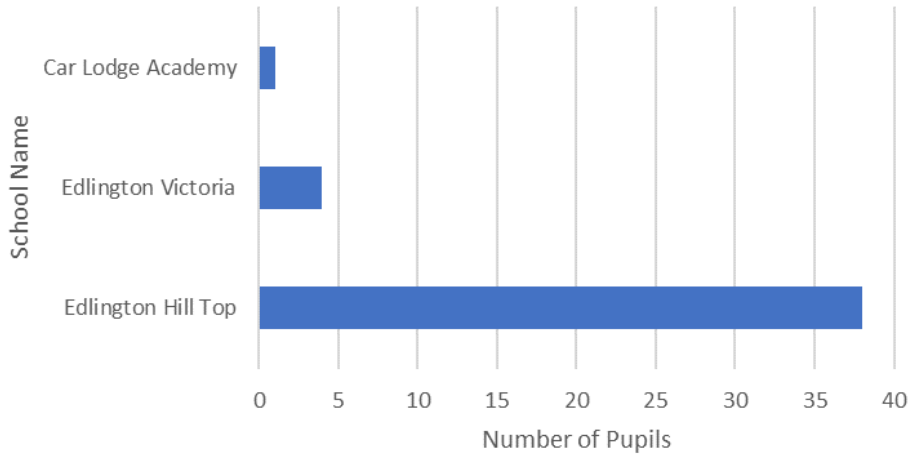
## What was achieved this summer?



# FIGURES FROM HILL TOP CAMP

## What was achieved at Hill Top?

Number of Pupils per Individual Schools

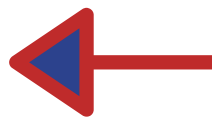


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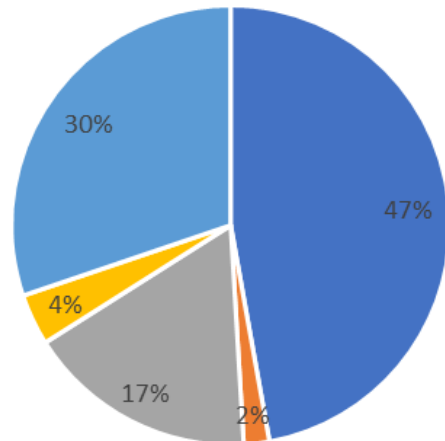
different schools  
represented

Summary of Attendees Disadvantage Status

**63%**



- Free School Meals
- SEND
- Pupil Premium
- Prefer not to say
- None



stated disadvantaged  
status

**56**

hours of physical  
activity

**75**

sessions delivered



**67%**

attendance

**43**

different children

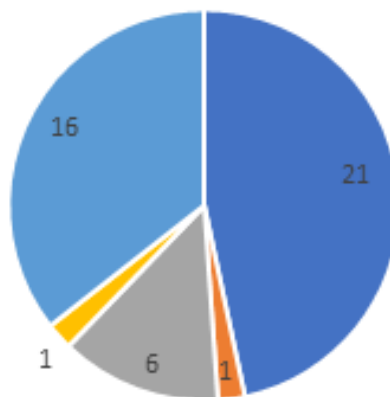
# IMPACT ON YOUR PUPILS

## The Hill Top Effect

**38** of the **43** children who attended go to Hill Top Primary School.

Edlington Hill Top Pupils Disadvantage Status

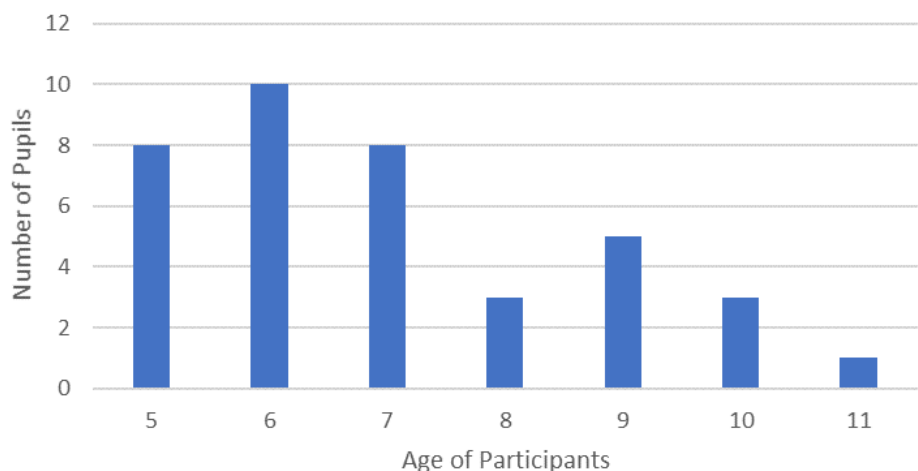
- Free School Meals
- SEND
- Pupil Premium
- Prefer not to say
- None



**28** of the **43** children stated at least one disadvantage status.



Age Breakdown of Edlington Hill Top Pupils



ages of children ranged from **5-11**.



**19** children were male; **19** were female

# PARENT FEEDBACK

## What it meant to your pupil's parents

**100%**

of parents said that the coaches met the needs of their children

**95%**

of parents said that camps made their children more active

**100%**

children enjoyed their time on camp

**100%**

of parents said their children enjoyed socialising with other children

**75%**

of parents said their child's mental health was improved

"My children loved attending camp, which kept them busy and active in the holidays. They all came home in a great mood as they had burnt off all their energy. It was great that they could socialise with other children and make new friends."

"Imogen has been able to play with her friends instead of being bored in the house on her own while I work, it really affected her being stuck in ignored while I'm working it's made us both happier knowing she was being active and socialising and I'm not feeling guilty for having to work."

"Lovely camp. My children had a great time. Would recommend."

"My children loved the summer camp, all came back happy. They loved the games they played and all commented how nice, friendly and funny the coaches were and loved it when they joined in with games. They would all love to go again."



# A PLACE TO HAVE FUN

## Summer Camps proved their worth

With the wellbeing of children being a major focus nationwide at this current time, the team wanted to make sure children were given something to smile about, while remaining active.

Mille, who attended the Hill Top camp with her brother Owen, had the chance to burn off her energy, to the delight of her mum, who commented: "My kids thoroughly enjoyed summer camp.



"They came home every day and told me all about the fun they had. My children are very active. They love all sport and love to be outdoors so this camp was the perfect choice.

"They've attended different camps like this before so I knew they would enjoy it. They came home from camp a lot more relaxed and chilled out. They finally found somewhere where they could burn all of their energy off which was great.

"They are a lot happier within themselves and for them to be able to get out of the house and have fun with other children is really nice to see. It's been great for them to see their friends again and come home with smiles on their faces."

# SUSTAINABILITY

## What next?



Due to the COVID-19, the School Games programme has changed its delivery.

We are offering our support with virtual competitions, daily mile, national incentives and intra-school competitions throughout the academic year.

If you are interested in taking part in any events/competitions or want support in running events, please email your Schools Games Officer Hannah at [hannah@activefusion.org.uk](mailto:hannah@activefusion.org.uk)

We have loved working in your school and having the opportunity to engage with your pupils this summer and we know they have too!

Why don't we make time for a coffee to discuss ways that we could keep the momentum going!



Be the best you can be

## HOSTING A CAMP

As identified from the parents who completed our feedback questionnaire:

**100%** said their children would attend camp again

and

**100%** said they would recommend Active Fusion summer camps

we would like to discuss the possibility of holding future camps at your site.



Please contact [stephen@activefusion.org.uk](mailto:stephen@activefusion.org.uk) if you would like to be a host site again!





**THANK YOU**

**Hill Top Academy**

