

Dear Parent/ Carer,

### **SPArk Virtual Summer Programme**

We are writing to let you know about the KS2 SPArk Virtual Summer Programme. The Virtual Summer Programme has a range of activities and competitions across the whole curriculum to keep your child learning over the summer break.

As an Ark school, we are part of a network of 38 schools. We have worked together to bring engaging and interesting resources together in one place. In the Summer Programme, pupils can learn new skills and try new things, from learning coding or touch typing to baking cupcakes, maths and poetry competitions to a virtual music festival, there are plenty of challenges to ignite your child's learning throughout the summer.

All the challenges can be completed at any time, in any order so your child can choose the things that most appeal to them. The activities are a mixture of online activities and others that can be completed within the home. They can be done independently or with others, and you can even get involved too.

### **Accessing the Virtual Summer Programme**

Pupils can access the Virtual Summer Programme by going to Ark's learning platform, SPArk, (<https://arkschools.sharepoint.com/sites/Summerprogramme/>). When they access the platform on a school Chromebook, they will automatically be logged in. To log in from another device they will need to enter their school username and password, this is the same username and password that they use to access all school computers and platforms.

I hope you can use this information to help your child make the most of the opportunities available to them over the summer.

With kind regards,



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