



Summer Break Newsletter 2023



This newsletter contains exciting events in Nottingham for local children and lots of activities to try at home. Why not give one of them a go!

Events:

Ready, Set, Read!: Summer Reading Challenge

Date: 8th July - September

Location: Nottingham Libraries

Read 6 books and collect stickers as you go. If you finish all 6 books, you will receive a certificate and an invite to the library's medal ceremony!

To collect a stamp/online code simply take part and bring your stickers to your CU coordinator. You'll receive 1 stamp/code per book read!

Visit Nottingham Castle

Location: Nottingham Castle, NG1 6EL

Time: 10am-5pm

Visit the castle grounds and galleries. Write a diary entry reflecting on your day and visit. £12 per Adult, Kids Go Free – 15 years & under (3 per adult). Pay once, visit all year round.

To collect a stamp/online code simply bring your work diary entry to your CU coordinator to receive a stamp/code.

Nottingham Beach

Date: 25th July - 3rd September

Location: Nottingham Market Square

Time: 10am - 9pm

Create some sand art! Watch this handy [video](#) to learn the key steps then try to make your own at the beach!

To collect a stamp/online code simply take a picture of your work and show it to your CU coordinator to receive a stamp/code.

Check out the Children's University activities below:

Get outside!

Create a circuit course! Circuit training is when different exercises are performed one after the other. Make a diagram of the exercises you choose.

Get creative!

Have a look in the mirror. Using paints, crayons or markers create an artistic interpretation of your face. This is called a self-portrait. Write a paragraph underneath your work about what makes you special.

Get writing!

Think of a place you have visited, or want to visit. Design a tour guide for the destination. Your guide can include places to visits, things to do and local information. Make it as colourful as you can!

Get scientific!

Have you heard the expression 'busy as a bee'? Research bees and make a poster telling people all the things that keep bees so busy and make them so important for the environment.

Get designing!

Make a model of a building you like. It could be a famous building like the Eiffel Tower or a building in your town. Make it out materials in your home like recycling or Lego!

To collect a stamp/online code for each activity, simply email **contactus@childrensuniversity.co.uk** with evidence- this could be a photograph, video, a worksheet or writing about what you did! All activities require adult supervision.

You have the power to influence the number of CU activities on offer locally!
If you have any ideas of places you would like to be able to collect stamps from, please share this QR code or link with them:



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