



REACH is a program of Educational Service District 112

WE DID SOME AMAZING THINGS DURING OUR FOUR-WEEK SUMMER PROGRAM!

WEEK 1: The first week we learned about film animation from visiting artist, Chloe Hights, from Arts in Education of the Gorge (AIEG). We created our own digital stories, from start to finish, and then watched everyone's films. It was awesome! To finish off the week, we visited the Dallesport Elementary program and watched a performance by Okaidja Afroso from Fort Vancouver Regional Library (FVRL). We had a blast dancing along to his drumming!

WEEK 2: The week started with a trip to OMSI in Portland, OR where we got to learn about science and did lots of hands-on science experiments and activities. We also visited the Riverview Community Bank in White Salmon, WA to learn about how a bank operates, and discussed the importance of saving for the future. After that, Kazuyo Ito from FVRL taught us about traditional Japanese 'en Taiko' drumming and we all got to practice on the drums too! We ended the week at the Waterfront Park in Hood River, OR with Cascadia Adventure Education School and did lots of fun activities including kayaking, paddle boarding, and watched a kiteboarding demonstration.

WEEK 3: We took a field trip to a local farm and garden so we could learn where our food comes from. We brought fresh fruits and vegetables back with us, and Debi Budnick from Skyline Hospital taught us about nutrition and we cooked some delicious treats including berry ice-pops, spinach smoothies, kale chips and garlic pesto. We all even tried a new vegetable – eggplant! We finished off the week by making traditional Native American teas and lip balm and baking muffins with Megan Winn from the Klickitat County Health Department.

WEEK 4: We learned about the history of henna from Roving Horse Henna with FVRL and we all got beautiful henna designs on our hands! We learned about nutrition, how to juice fruits and vegetables, and baked organic cherry tarts – they were delicious! On our last day, we took a field trip to the Waterfront Park in Hood River, OR Cascadia Adventure Education School where we learned about water safety and played water sports. The trip was a great way to end the week, and an awesome way to finish our summer program!



REACH PROGRAM FALL KICK-OFF EVENT | PLEASE RSVP TO 360-952-3424

Saturday, September 9, 2017 at Horsethief State Park (in the Columbia River Gorge) with Cascadia Adventure Education School from 3:00 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

It will be a time of celebration and family fun with food, activities for the family and educational opportunities for all!

This kickoff event is for students enrolling in the REACH program and their families. Enrollment forms requested prior to, or day of, the event.













Enroll for Fall!

Send enrollment form to Alissa Jolly (Program Secretary) at the ESD 112

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Welcome!

Welcome to Heather Lopez, our new Regional Program Coordinator!