## **School Visit Fun for Leeds Students**



We've had the pleasure of welcoming two school groups to MathsCity over the last week and it's been wonderful to see their joy for learning and watch their confidence in maths grow as they worked together to solve our puzzles!

Year 8 pupils from Roundhay School visited on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> October and loved getting hands-on with our maths exhibits, including finding the fish in the Penrose Fish tiled pattern, discovering a parabolic curve in spinning liquid, and solving shape puzzles in our Genius Squares game.

The children were enthusiastic mathematicians and got so much out of a fun and visual maths experience outside the classroom.







We were also joined by pupils from The Grammar School at Leeds this week as year 9 visited MathsCity for interactive discovery and learning. They really wowed us with their impressive teamwork as the whole class created a giant wooden dome they could climb inside! Take a look at their video on Twitter see them in action.

Mr Brotherton, Head of Mathematics at The Grammar School at Leeds, said: "We had the most brilliant time – as one girl put it, 'It was amazing and I've asked my parents to take me

back there'. The exhibits at MathsCity are wide-ranging and they are accessible for everyone, irrespective of their mathematical ability.

"The pupils were fully engaged and shared in a brilliant activity: Leonardo's Dome. Set up by the very helpful staff, the pupils very rapidly built up the dome. It was mesmerising to see it progress and they loved climbing inside it at the end! I thoroughly recommend MathsCity to anyone who likes to solve puzzles and problems, irrespective of their age."

All the exhibits have an associated set of activities and follow-on resources for schools to use in the classroom after their visit, which are available on the <u>MathsCity resources page</u>.

Whether you're looking for a visit to bring STEM subjects to life or an opportunity for young mathematicians to test their skills, MathsCity is a great space for interactive school trips and group visits.

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