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William Penn Bridge Program

YMWIC's 2023 Summer Bridge Program for William Penn School District's incoming 9th grader students has come to an end. Sixty Scholars completed five weeks of College Prep Enrichment Programming facilitated by YMWIC staff and William Penn School District teachers.

The first few weeks were dedicated to Scholars learning about Colleges, Growth Mindset, Goal Setting, and Understanding College Is Accessible to Them. The last few weeks were dedicated to Team Building, Leadership Exploration and Problem Solving. Scholars discovered strategies in which they can improve their intelligence and set goals so they can succeed.

Here are a few quotes from Scholars regarding what they learned this summer:

"I learned to ask for help." Melinda

"I learned about different colleges." Richard

"If I set goals, I can achieve." Hadasah

"You can always change your mindset." Aaron

"When something is difficult, you can still succeed if you try." Quinn

"Making small goals can help you reach your big goal." Ramaj

We would say the Summer Bridge Program was a huge success and enjoyed by the Scholars! Take a look at some of our summer Scholars enjoying their new friends and popsicles on the last day of camp!

