

TAKEOVER DAY AT A GLANCE

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Kids in Museums

2015

154

ORGANISATIONS
PARTICIPATED

4442

CHILDREN AND YOUNG
PEOPLE TOOK PART

99

venues took part in the event
for the first time

52

Kids in Museums volunteers assisted

43

organisations took part in
Teen Twitter Takeover

'It's great fun to be able to handle pieces of art and sometimes they open up special objects for us to look inside.'

TAKEOVER DAY PARTICIPANT,
THE WALLACE COLLECTION

'It was an amazing day, and allowed us to overcome some of our fears, such as talking to people we didn't know and giving them detailed tours.'

TAKEOVER DAY PARTICIPANT, STONEHENGE

'I loved spending the morning at the museum especially handling the Saxon artefacts!'

TAKEOVER DAY PARTICIPANT, CORINIUM MUSEUM

'I was shown how to create my very own monoprint by Alesha [@jerwoodgallery](#) [@kidsinmuseums](#) #takeoverday such fun!'

TAKEOVER DAY PARTICIPANT, JERWOOD GALLERY

'It's brilliant for engaging all staff and many volunteers and gives us a great visual story for working with an otherwise "hard to reach group".'

LEARNING AND ACCESS MANAGER,
POOLE MUSEUMS SERVICE

'Fresh ideas injected into the museum programme, widens and diversifies our offer to visitors, gives the young people involved valuable skills and experience.'

COMMUNITIES PROGRAMMES OFFICER,
NOTTINGHAM CASTLE MUSEUM AND GALLERY

'We had triple the amount of visitors to the museum on our Takeover Day compared to the normal Sunday visiting figures.'

Young People's and Secondary Schools'

MANAGER, GEFFRYE MUSEUM

'As a result of Takeover Day we are working to develop child- friendly displays and involve more interactive technology. Alongside this we have increased the number of activities which we hope will encourage children to use their local museum.'

EDUCATION AND OUTREACH OFFICER,
HERNE BAY MUSEUM TRUST

'One student told us that she had the best day of her life, which was lovely to hear.'

EDUCATION VISITS OFFICER, ENGLISH HERITAGE

participants SAID

organisations SAID