



## Shining a light

Birmingham schoolchildren learned about ways to save energy at home after solar panels were installed at a city adventure centre thanks to a £20,000 donation from a gas and electricity company.

Pupils from Sparkhill, Sparkbrook and Small Heath visited Ackers Adventure activity centre to take part in an interactive en-

ergy-themed play, E.ON's Town of Total Darkness.

The new panels, installed by energy co-operative CORE50 and paid for through E.ON's Sustainable Energy Fund, will help the not-for-profit centre reduce its carbon footprint and lower its energy bills.

The fund was established to support projects that create renewable energy, reduce energy use or increase awareness of energy efficiency.

Billie-Jean Poole, senior community relations officer at E.ON, said: "Understanding how you can save energy is extremely important and our Sustainable Energy Fund is just one of the ways we're helping Birmingham households to reduce their energy consumption."

**Pictured are Sherlock and Dr Watson with Iman Ali, Aarif Ahmed, Savera Jan, Awais Khan, Zanab Razbi and Anis Khan.**

