Exhibition Prep

After completing their I am/ I am not poster from the week before, the YAW students began to prepare for their final exhibition! The students worked diligently to present their artwork to their friends and family. By dividing into four groups, writers, curators, artists, and speakers, the students learned how formal exhibitions are put together and how much work goes into showcasing and interpreting collections of art. Throughout the day the students alternated relaxing and having fun with friends and working hard at creating a meaningful exhibition. Finally, the students ended their week by playing in the water at Love Park.
Exhibition Week

The student’s works finally came together for their showcase! The students’ families and friends came together to hear speeches from the students, look at the special Selfie Waterfall, and to see the amazing creations the kids made over the summer. The students shared their final thoughts with the group and played games for the last time. This final week of YAW brought the students together and uplifted them to think about the larger meaning of their summer. Through the final exhibition, reflection, and friendship the YAW students said goodbye to the AAI YAW camp and welcomed the experiences they had along the way!