



St. Cuthbert with  
St. Matthias C of E Primary School

**"good"**

Ofsted inspection October 2016

**"outstanding"**

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## Year 5's Blog

Our trip to Kensington Palace

On Tuesday, we went to Kensington Palace to learn all about Queen Victoria when she was little. We were shown the significant rooms of the palace, like the room where the meeting of the Privy Council was held, the room where Queen Victoria was born and we even got the privilege to see Queen Victoria's bedroom. When we went to Queen Victoria's bedroom, we met Queen Victoria (the actress was pretending to be Queen Victoria). She was doing one of her favourite things - writing in her diary. We all pretended it was 20th June, 1837, the day that Queen Victoria found out she was the Queen at the age of 18 because her uncle George had died. Her coronation happened one year later. We asked the fake Queen Victoria some 'open' questions to get more information about Queen Victoria's personal life. We are looking forward to getting back to the classroom to write our own diary entries about that famous day in Queen Victoria's life.

In Topic, we are learning about 'Crime and Punishment'. We did a timeline on the different punishments such as: Roman punishments, Anglo-Saxon punishments also the Tudors - just to name a few.

In Maths, we learnt about Roman numerals and we learnt how to translate them from Roman numerals to Arabic numbers and the other way around (Arabic numbers are the numbers we use today). For example: 1937 in Roman numerals is MCMXXXVII. We translated the dates of the reigns of different kings and queens, as well as other important people in history. *By Omar N and Anaheed*

## SPECIAL DATES

### • Harvest Festival

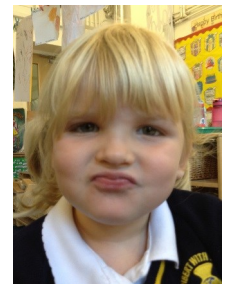
**-Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> Oct at 2pm in church**

### • Half term

**-22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> October**

### • Individual and sibling photos

**-29th October**



**Summer YN,** "We are learning all about ourselves and our families by using a family tree."



## Year 4's Blog

In English we have been learning about an introduction, then a build-up conflict/ climax and then resolution; you can add a twist to the story. The introduction is when you are showing the main thing about the story or main character. The build-up is when you're going to the bad story so like someone lost his toy and he tried to find it but he couldn't. The resolution is the part where the person finds his toy.

In Maths we have been learning about rounding numbers. If you round 2528 to the nearest 1000 the answer will be 3000. We have been learning number lines to 10,000. We had to make one around the class. *By Hussein*

In R.E we have been learning about the story of Ruth and her mother in law who is called Naomi. We were talking about how Ruth left her family to live with Naomi. Naomi wanted to leave the city because Naomi's husband and two sons had died. They didn't have any food, water, bed, blankets, pillows, just some stones to sit on. Ruth went to a place and went to a man to get hired for a job. He said "I'm not in charge, Boaz is in charge". Ruth begged and then the man let her work but she had to work away from the men. Then the man told Boaz about Ruth and he said Ruth won't leave behind a single grain when harvesting. So then Boaz hired her for a job and they had some food and water. When Ruth came back she saved some food for Naomi when harvest had finished. Naomi asked Ruth to marry Boaz. *By Sabeer*

## Parent Class Meeting

Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018

9.10-10.00

We would like Mums, Dads and Carers to join us in nursery. This is an opportunity to gain an understanding of the EYs curriculum, routines and answer any questions you may have.

The children will be taking part in PE at this time.

We look forward to seeing you then.

The Nursery Team





## PTA Announcement

**Come join us for coffee mornings which take place between 9-10am, fortnightly on Thursdays and are held in St Matthias House. Next meeting is on October 11<sup>th</sup> at 9 am.**

*"Friends and good manners will carry you where money won't go."* Margaret Walker



**Sarah, H Y1,** *"In English we read a book called 'Brown Bear what do you see'."*



**Rhys Y3,** *"In English we have been learning how to write instructions. We use imperative verbs, which means bossy words."*

**Adeena Y2,**

*"In English we are learning about pets. We looked at books about pets by Emily Gravett. One is called Dogs and the other one is Mathilda's cat. We learnt that we have to look after our pets."*



### Notice

All scooters must be pad-locked at the scooter park. This will help them stay safe and will keep the entrance looking neat.

## St Cuthbert's Breakfast Club



Breakfast is the most important meal of the day so come and join us for breakfast at our school. The breakfast club has a variety of hot and cold breakfast. Children can play games, puzzles and read books afterwards.

Monday to Friday,

Time: 7:30-8:45, Cost: £1.75 per day

Time: 7:45-8:45, Cost: £1.50 per day

No need to book in advance. Just come in on the day and pay on line.

For more information speak to our receptionists.

## HEAD TEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

How lucky our Y4 children have been this week: they created a gigantic number line all the way around their classroom during their maths lesson on Wednesday, and had a chance to meet visiting elders from our community yesterday morning to share some story-telling moments! Thank you to Mr Crowley for creating such exciting maths learning opportunities and a BIG thank you to our visiting elders for coming all the way to St Cuthbert School for a story-telling experience. We look forward to seeing the stories develop as they become written narratives in the coming weeks...

A peep into other learning zones midweek revealed some additional dedicated learning. A tiptoe through the hall allowed me to enjoy some musical moments with our nursery children as they were developing their percussion playing skills, and just next door (in Y2), heads were down as the children challenged themselves to some dedicated maths problem-solving! A week for me would not be complete without



a memorable quote from one of our St Cuthbert children, and sure enough as I welcomed children at the gate on Wednesday morning, I was met by a reception pupil jumping up and down, desperate to share with me her exciting news!

"We're going on a trip!" she exclaimed, over-joyed and bubbling with excitement.

"Ooh, that sounds so exciting!" I replied. "Where are you going?"

"To see a tree!" she answered grinning from ear to ear and bouncing up and down.

"That is great!" I thought, "Our children are excited to go on a trip to see a tree! Miss Palmer has been hugely successful in motivating her class to develop a love of nature!"



And if you would like to see some incredible trees too, we have a corridor full of wonderful Harvest Tree projects- a trip to admire these would allow you some delightful moments one morning or afternoon next week!

I also hope that over the coming weekend you may even have a chance to go exploring among some real autumnal trees...

With best wishes,

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Team

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## Year 6's Blog

In English we have been learning about the Arrival. We had one more chapter left before finishing and starting another exciting story. The man sent a letter to his wife containing millions of pounds. With Miss Putterill we did a second draft and did green pen work. The next book is called ANNA FRANK. A German Jewish girl who hid from the Nazis and lived in Holland.

In Maths we divided numbers. MR D taught us an easy way to do it. By next week we will have learnt how to do it. The class was split in half and we went with our teaching assistant. On Monday we did long multiplication. We learnt a new and easier way.

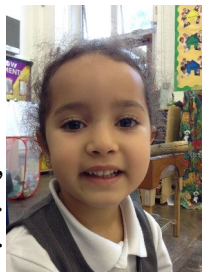
In History we learnt about the Anderson air raid shelter and we made a model. Most people did not have gardens so they used underground shelters and slept with mattresses. That was not fun. *By Janna*



**Our colourful displays of tree projects and RE corners from each class.**

**Sarah YR,**

*"We learnt about positional language. Eg. The teddy is behind the orange."*



## First Aid



In PHSE, we have been learning about how to use a First Aid kit.

We acted out some things like what we have to do if someone got hurt. We also acted out calling 999. We looked at some injuries that might occur.

In the drama, someone got injured and a different person went to help them. If the injured person was badly injured, then they had to call 999. It is useful to learn First Aid because you could help someone and keep them healthy and safe. *By Kate Y6*



**Tallulah Y3,** "In Maths we have been learning how to spot a missing number in addition and number patterns."

**Judah Y2,** "In Topic we learnt about the great fire of London, and we made a replica of houses from 1666."



## Notice

Please remember to bring your pennies for our harvest collection in to school. The jugs in some classes are filling rapidly-thank you! We are collecting for families living in refugee camps in the Middle East through Embrace the Middle East charity.

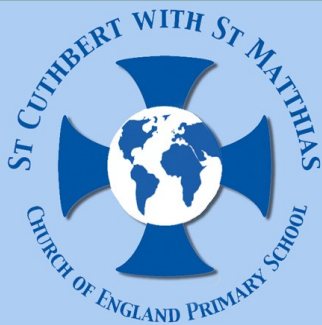


## STAR LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

**Congratulations to all of you!**



<b>N</b>	Casalina	For settling well into Nursery and being polite.
<b>R</b>	Adan	For being really brave when coming to school all week.
<b>1</b>	Mohammed	For writing and creating characters for his own book.
<b>2</b>	Adeena	For writing an excellent recount in Science about healthy eating.
<b>3</b>	Mustafa	For fantastic behaviour and for using his 4Cs
<b>4</b>	Sham	For a big improvement in communicating with adults.
<b>5</b>	Patricia	For having a brilliant start to St Cuthbert's and trying really hard with her English.
<b>6</b>	Naofel	For perseverance and effort in writing, mastering personification.



**ST CUTHBERT  
WITH ST MATTHIAS  
CHURCH OF  
ENGLAND  
PRIMARY SCHOOL**

Originally founded as a choir school for St Matthias Church, our school has a rich heritage of education within the context of a Christian framework.

Our school can look back at over a century of providing an excellent education for the children of our community. We have the highest expectations of each one of our children and we work to ensure that every child leaves our school having gained all the important skills and knowledge that will help them become successful in their future life.

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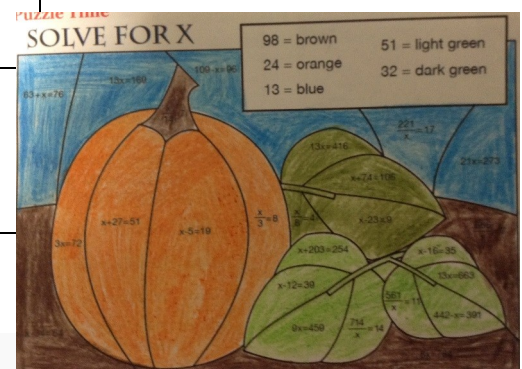
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## After School Club Calendar

<b>Monday</b>	3:30-4:30 Athletics Club KS1 & KS2 3:30-4:30 Junk Modelling KS1 &
<b>Tuesday</b>	3:30 -4:30 Gardening Club Rec, KS1 & KS2 3:30 -4:30 Lego Construction Club
<b>Wednesday</b>	3:30-4:30 Homework Club 3:30-4:30 Football Club KS1 & KS2
<b>Thursday</b>	3:30 -4:30 Homework Club 3:30-5:30 Cooking Club KS2 3:30-4:30 Street Dance KS1
<b>Friday</b>	3:30-4:45 Art Club KS1 & KS2 2:45-4:45 Swimming Club KS1 & KS2

## This Week's Attendance

Class	Attend
Y6	98.6%
Y3	96.9%
Y5	95.0%
Y1	94.8%
YN	94.0%
YR	93.0%
Y2	92.9%
Y4	92.4%
Total	94.9%



## Math Puzzle Boxes

Each puzzle contains the numbers 1-9. Each column and each row add up to the number given outside the boxes. Put the correct number in each box to complete the addition equations without repeating any numbers.

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## NOTICE TO PAR- ENTS Parking

Please may we remind parents not to double park opposite our school gate. Double parking here is causing a risk to the safety of our children.

There will be **exciting prizes**, for the right answer this week's puzzle handed in on **Thursday**. Please write your name and answer on a separate piece of paper.  
**Good luck!**