

Loving one another. Learning for our future.

'Our school community is inspired by the parable of the Good Samaritan from the Bible (Luke 10:25-37), where we are encouraged to love one another with courage and compassion. Through friendship, kindness and thoughtfulness, we will nurture each other to learn and flourish as individuals.'

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Living our Vision

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Year 6's Blog

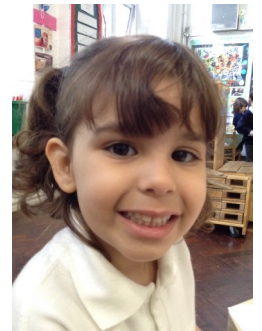
In this week of Year 6 learning, we have been doing some art. We have been creating textiles. Textiles are pieces of art made by fabric, paints and other resources. On Tuesday we made our own textiles focusing on the story of the Sword in the stone. We each made different scenes in the book from the king dying to Arthur being crowned king.

Over the past couple weeks half of the year 6 class have been doing the urban wise project. In the first week we discussed the problems on our local streets and what we can do to fix them. In the second week we went on a small trip to the cemetery and the train station to tally how many things we found on the floor. This list consists of leaves, cigarettes, masks, plastic wrappers and dog mess. Since the shocking amount of cigarettes and masks most of the group created masks and cigarette bins to lower the litter rate. We sketched our designs onto paper and soon created a prototype to go with the materials we had available. This week is presentation week to show off our designs and to tell how the models we produced would benefit the local environment

Since we have been practising cricket, we decided to test out our skills by going to Holland Park. Cricket is a game where there are two bats men and a single bowler. The rest of the players are fielding. In order to get the batsmen out you can catch the ball or hit the wicket with the ball. We luckily spent our Thursday afternoon doing this fun activity. *By Tristan and Ty*

SPECIAL DATES

- **31st May – 4th June**
– Half term break
- **New term begins**
on Monday 7th
June



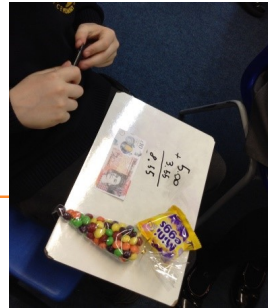
Nathalia YN "I made my face for the creation poster because I like God."



Year 3's Blog

In Science we learnt about light and shadows we wrote an investigation, we also learnt about the sun. We also did a fun activity in which we had to draw round our shadows with chalk. It took us some time, but we managed to do it. Unfortunately it was a failure because the sun wasn't out for midday and afternoon. But we did morning.

In maths we are doing time on a clock and on Thursday we did a money shop and it was terrific!!! We all felt over the moon, and we also were able to eat the sweets at home when we went home. *By Sara and Giya*



Aisha YR "In Maths we have been counting keys on a key chain. I can count up to 20."

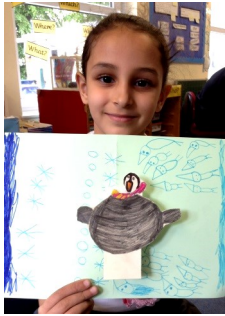
Good Samaritan

Our Good Samaritan this week Nabila Y4 for scarifying her free time to sort out books and papers.



St Cuthbert with St Matthias CE School

"Think left and think right and think low and think high. Oh, the thinks you can think up if only you try!" Dr Seuss



Iman Y1 "We made our own moving pictures. Mine was about Geronimo. I drew the little Penguin and moved it across the page."

Hanna Y2

"In Science we have been experimenting with different materials. White tac is the scratchiest, the metal wire bend-ed the most and the plastic straw can twist the most."



Year 4's Blog

Hello. Welcome to our blog. Read all the fun things we have been learning about.

Literacy

In English, we have been learning about poems. We did poems about nature seasons. We painted pictures about summer, winter, spring and autumn. Most of our class mates painted the autumn season. Some of the poems we read were: Autumn fires, Coloring in, Maggie and Milly and Molly and May.

Maths

We have been doing fraction of quantities. We did multiplication and division of fractions. We were given questions of the missing numbers. We did reasoning and problem solving. We answered different questions of the 4 operations with 4,3, 2 & 1 digit numbers, e.g. $1225 + 3442 = 4667$, $354 - 237 = 117$, $278 \times 32 = 8896$, $269 / 4 = 67.25$.

Geography

We learnt how to use an eight points compass. The points on the compass are N, NE, E, SE, S, SW, W and NW. We then looked at maps and some treasure hunts around the school. Some of us hid the treasure- pen lead, and a piece of a whacky track and some of us tried to find the treasure. The rest of us stayed in the class and made our own maps. We also played a game called Battleship, which is a 4 grid reference game.



Circle Time

We continue to talk about addiction to alcohol, cigarettes and drugs. People get addicted to alcohol and drugs by peer pressure at a young age. We also looked at the dangers of drinking and driving, and why its bad to drink during pregnancy. ☺ By Adeena and Serena



HEADTEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

Being our final day before half term, and knowing how we are longing for some summer sunshine, I thought I would share a half term weather forecast from one of pupils in reception class: bright sunshine, a few white fluffy clouds, and much blue sky. And just to cross-check my facts, I took a peep at the BBC version...identical! So now we have it from both the BBC and Jasmine: a magnificent and sunny half term with a few summer clouds decorating much blue sky. Perfect weather for relaxing. Or perhaps for helping Y1 children with their urgent search....



It seems, from a visit to Y1 classroom yesterday, that Gruffalo's Child is missing and Y1 children, desperate for some help with their search, have not only displayed informative Missing Gruffalo posters around their classroom, but also very detailed drawings of this missing creature.

Should you have some spare minutes next week, I am sure they would be most appreciative of some help, and to help with your search, here is the information:

"The Gruffalo child is a Gruffalo. She is lost and we have to find her. She looks like a child and she has shining whiskers and sharp claws. If you find her call Y1. She was last seen on May the 5th leaving the dark rocky cave. Her appearance looks like a Gruffalo. She has light glissing eyes that glow in the dark."

If you find her call 0099079. We will pay you 7000 00001.'

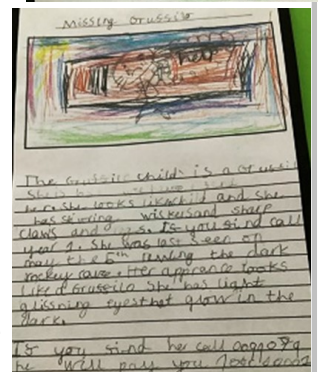
If Y1 pupils are thinking in Pound Sterling (£), this could be quite a helpful amount of extra pocket money.

So all is looking good for our half term with pleasant sunshine - and an exciting mission!

We wish you the very best of luck!

We look forward to seeing our pupils back in school on Monday 7th June.

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team



PLEASE NOTE:

Please notify school immediately via info@scwsm.rbkc.sch.uk or on **020 7370 9113** should your child develop symptoms of COVID-19 within 48 hours of school closing **and then tests positive.**



Year 5's Blog

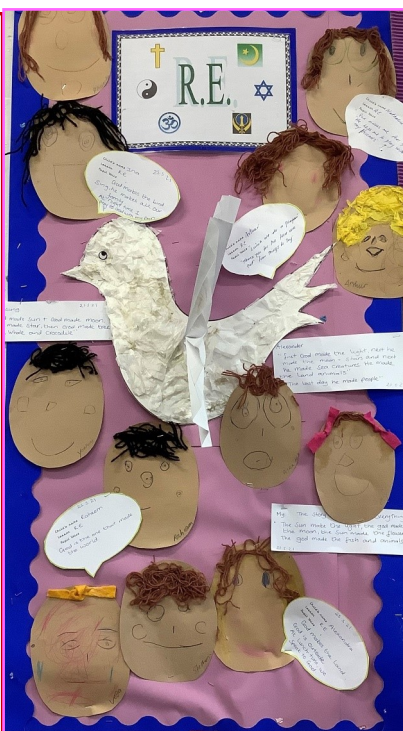
In Science this week we have been learning about gestation periods (how long animal or human is in the womb) and life expectancy (how long an animal is expected to live). With this information we have made a bar/line graph to show this data. Did you

know a parrot's gestation is three weeks and its life expectancy is up to 70 years? Also a whale's gestation is fifty three weeks and its life expectancy is up to 80 years.

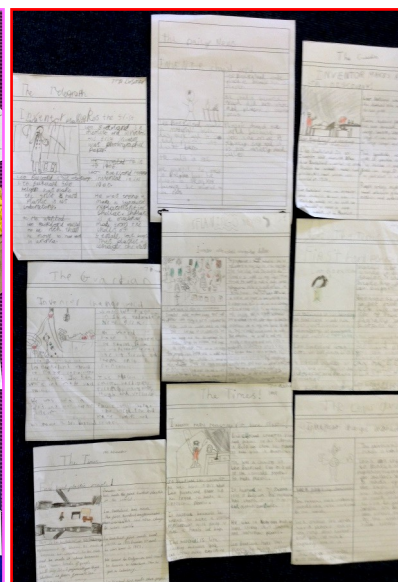
We then did a Big Write in the topic about animals including humans about the 7 stages of human development, which includes Fertilization, Prenatal, Infancy, childhood, Adolescence, Adulthood and Elderly. We expanded on what happens in each stage of human development. For example in Infancy the baby has just come out of its mother's womb, which means the baby is unable to feed, bathe, and dress itself. The baby is completely reliant on its parents up to the age of three.

In R.E we have been learning about the Sikh religion. We looked at how Sikhs keep and protect the Guru Granth Sahib. They go to a holy place of worship called Gurdwara, they take off their shoes and never turn their back towards the Guru Granth Sahib because that would be disrespectful to god. We also answered questions about Guru Nanak entering the mecca where he learnt that god is everywhere. In the lesson we have designed our own Rumala in our books. A Rumala is a small carpet with different Sikh symbols and a variety of colours on them. We also reflected upon the teachings that sustain, inspire and influence us. For example the teachings of our parents inspire us to always do the right thing.

In DT we have been learning about maps and compasses. Our task was to go around the school and take different photos of rooms and the playgrounds of our school. We then had to go into groups of five to design our whole entire room from a bird's eye view. We used the photos we took on the iPad to help us draw our school from a birds eye view. *By Mustafa and Mason*



Nursery's beautiful display of RE where children wrote what God meant for them after a lesson on the story of Pentecost.



Year 2's impressive collection of Newspaper reports about an inventor called Leo Baekeland.



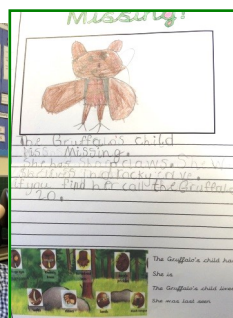
Splendid Spanish learning display all about 'La Casa'.



Anand Y2 "In English we wrote Newspaper reports about an inventor called Leo Baekeland. He invented hard plastic by accident while experimenting."



Amaya Y1 "In English we made a poster to help find the missing Gruffalo."



This Week's Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y2	99.2%
Y4	98.6%
Y3	98.2%
YR	97.9%
YN	97.4%
Y6	97.2%
Y5	91.9%
Y1	87.7%
Total	95.4%

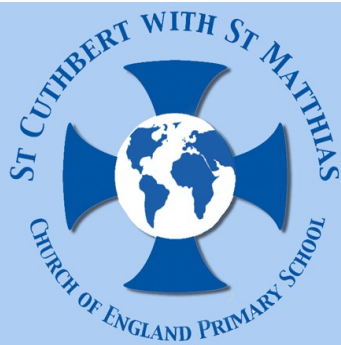
Useful Information to Parents

The NSPCC website is full of useful information on how to keep children safe online.

NSPCC

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/online-safety/>





**ST CUTHBERT
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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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**STAR LEARNERS OF
THE WEEK**

Congratulations to you all!

YN Ella	For always making beautiful things (like your garden of Eden flower) and for being a superstar at tidy up time!
YR Sonia	For using her phonic knowledge in her writing.
Y1 Lolowa	For amazing improvement in her phonics screening.
Y2 Year 2	For trying really hard this week in the assessments.
Y3 Ehlan	For great comparisons in RE.
Y4 Hareem, Anna and Dani	For amazing assessment results.
Y5 Lacy	For making an effort to come to school and being a star pupil.
Y6 Ehsan and Crina	For wonderful effort in their recent test.



**PRESENTATION AND
HANDWRITING HOT-
SHOTS OF THE WEEK**

Congratulations to you all!

YR Tala	For writing a neat sentence in her writing book.
Y1 Petar	For always trying hard.
Y2 Year 2	For trying hard!
Y3 Sarah	For always trying her best with cursive script.
Y4 Serena	For using a beautiful cursive script.
Y5 Hadi	For using punctuation in his writing.
Y6 Year 6	For making grade and (functional) torches.

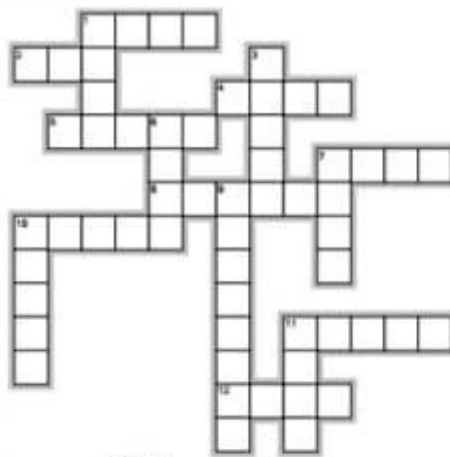
Polite Reminder

Can parents please remember to book for Play Centre at least one day in advance or contact the school to check availability if it's an emergency. Thank you.

Puzzle time



Silence, Please!



Read each clue. Write the missing silent letter in the blank in each clue. Then write the entire word in the puzzle.

Across

1. I ate only one ha_f of my apple.
2. I will invite t_o friends to my party.
4. A stop si_n is red.
5. I like to _rite letters to my uncle.
7. I cut my _nee when I fell on the ground.
8. If you lis_en carefully, you can hear the rain.
10. I like to draw on the board with colored cha_k.
11. How far up the tree can you clim_?
12. The young lam_ stayed close to the rest of the sheep.

Down

1. We will to the park in one _our.
3. We need to turn ri_ _t at the corner.
6. I want to ta_k to you after school.
7. I am glad that I _now you!
9. The sidewa_k was covered with snow.
10. Cou_d you come over to my house today?
11. I will wash my brush and com_.

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

Answer to last week's puzzle.

STARS AND CONSTELLATIONS

ARJUX	CANCER	HADAR	PRODIGA CENTAURI
DEBARAN	CANOPUS	HERCULES	REGULUS
PHA CENTAURI	CAPPELLA	HYDRA	SAGITTARIUS
TAIR	CAPRICORNUS	LANAE	SCORPIUS
IDROMEDA	CASSIOPEIA	LEO	SIRIUS
ITARES	CEPHEUS	LIBRA	SPICA
JARJUS	CORONA BOREALIS	ORION	TAURUS
ICTURUS	CYGNUS	PERSEUS	URSA MAJOR
IES	EPHILON ERIDANI	PISCES	URSA MINOR
URNARDS STAR	EPHILON INDI	POLLUX	VEGA
ITELGEUSE	GEMINI	PROCYON	VIRGO

