

*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

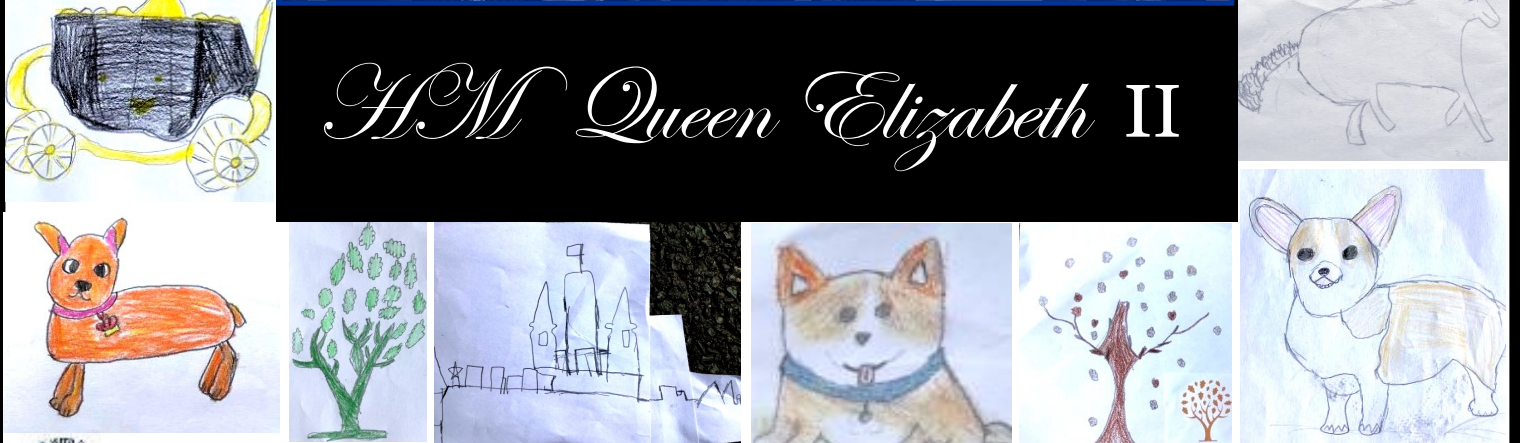
16 September 2022



*In memory of*



*HM Queen Elizabeth II*



 St Cuthbert with St Matthias CE School



*"Each day is a new beginning. I know that the only way to live my life is to try to do what is right, to take a long view, to give of my best in all that the day brings, and to put my trust in God." Queen Elizabeth II*

## SPECIAL DATES

- **19<sup>th</sup> Sept- Bank Holiday in honour of Queen Elizabeth II- school closed**
- **20<sup>th</sup>– 26<sup>th</sup> Sept Class meetings**
- **30<sup>th</sup> Sept - Macmillan Coffee Morning - 8:15am-8:40am at school playground**
- **6<sup>th</sup> Oct —Harvest Festival - 2:00pm 3:00pm at St Cuthbert Church**



Andalus YR "I drew my house with my Mum, Dad and two sisters in it."



## Year 5's Blog

Welcome to our FANTASTIC Year 5's blog!

In English we wrote a letter to our teachers, (Ms McCusker and Ms Joyce) with information about us, e.g.: favourite colour, siblings, where we are from, etc. We also asked our own questions, such as what their favourite colour and food are. We are waiting for a response.

In reading wheel, this week we have been reading different reading tasks with our teachers or independently. Some pupils were reading different books with our teachers, some of us answered a reading comprehension questions, and some even did silent reading.

DT

We are learning about moving toys and mechanisms. We will be planning and designing our moving toy. The materials and items we will use are: Cardboard, scissors, glue, kebab sticks, and coloured card.

In Science we are learning about space and the solar system. We answered some questions like which planet is closest to the Sun? It is Mercury. Which planet has the highest maximum temperature? It is Venus at 75C. We also wrote some facts about the solar system, like: it takes 1 year to orbit around the sun and planet earth is 4.5 billions years old.

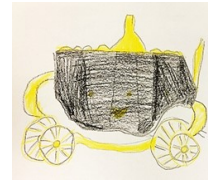
In loving memory of HM, Queen Elizabeth II.

By Giya and Ethan

## HEADTEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

In this period of national mourning, you will notice that our newsletter has a slightly different format today. Thank you to Fr James and our Y5 class for leading our worship this morning, as we took time to thoughtfully reflect on the life of Queen Elizabeth II and learnt about the meaning behind the ceremonies we are seeing and hearing about currently.



As we close another week of learning, and prepare ourselves for a historic weekend ahead of us, I thought it would be inspiring to take a moment to reflect on a quote from HM Queen Elizabeth:

***"We all need to get the balance right between action and reflection. With so many distractions, it is easy to forget to pause and take stock."***

In remembering the life of our Queen - recalling her dedication to the values in our school vision, and her commitment to thinking of others, hopefully the coming bank holiday will enable us to find a moment to pause and take stock – to be thankful for the kind, courageous, thoughtful, compassionate and friendly actions others show to us, and to commit ourselves to do the same towards others.

What a wonderful legacy from HM Queen Elizabeth II that would be! In recalling her actions to others in her life, we are inspired to do the same in ours.

I would like to wish you a safe and restful weekend. We look forward to seeing you back in school on Tuesday 20th September.

Miss Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team

## Year 4's Blog

Welcome to Year 4's amazing blog!

In English we continue to read more fables. We read the Fox and the Crow. The fox was trying trick the crow by complimenting on his voice. When the crow sang he dropped his cheese. We discussed the moral of the story, which is never to listen to false compliments.

In Maths we learnt to read and write numbers up to thousand. We also did a recall from last year's questions about 100s, 10s and 1s. We also rounded up numbers to the nearest 10.

In science we continue to learn about living things. We did a mind map on what living things do. For e.g. eating, breathing, growing and movement. Their life processes are; movement, reproduction, sensitivity, nutrition, excretion, respiration and growth. We then grouped living things into two categories, which are vertebrates and invertebrates. Vertebrates are; mammals, fish, birds and amphibians. Invertebrates are reptiles, spiders and worms.

In RE we continued to learn about Abraham, we watched a video about Abraham and the covenant God made with Abraham. Which was a promise to Abraham and Sarah that they would have a child called Isaac in their old age. Then after we had questions about what surprises you most about this part of the story? And what can a believer learn from both Abraham and Sarah? By Hannah and Alexandra





## Year 6's Blog

Welcome to y6's SPECTACULAR blog

In English we read a book called 'Warhorse'. The story is about a horse taken away from his mother at a young age and growing up with an aggressive owner. But then he met his kind hearted son and became more than a friend but a brother. But sadly WW1 came along and the Nazis invaded. Also we did comprehensions and SPAG.

In maths we were preparing for SATS and did multiple tests such as arithmetic and reasoning and problem solving.

In DT we are learning about chairs, we had different designs of chairs to stick in our books and we annotated them. We had to answer questions such as what materials are used to build a chair? How has the chair been made? And what do the different parts do? And many more.

In RE we are learning about The Journey of Life and Death. We collected ideas about different words and how they link to the subject. Later we wrote questions about those different words such as who engraves the letters on a gravestone

In Science we learned about animals including humans, we identified the names and the main parts of the human circulatory system. Fun Fact the human body produces about 5 gallons of blood

We all miss the Queen, She will stay forever in our hearts.

Rest in Peace!

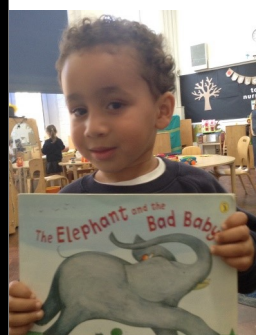
By Aiden and Dani. Have a Tremendous weekend!

## Reception's fantastic Reading corner.



**Our worship focussed on the parable of the lost sheep.**

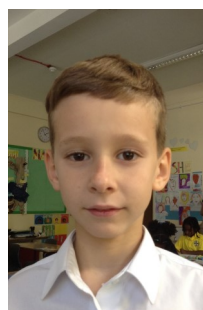
**Hyacinth bulbs coming along nicely in Nursery in their RE corner.**



**Kian YN** "We read a book called the Elephant and the Bad Baby. The baby is a super duper bad baby because he doesn't say please or thank you."



**Mia Y1** "We read the caterpillar story book. He ate lots of food and became a butterfly."



**Martin Y3** "In English we read a book called 'I will take you to Mrs Cole'. We then wrote descriptions of the characters. Mrs Cole sounds scary but she is nice."



**Ezare Y2** "We did number bonds up to 20. We also did place value and put the missing number in the box. 53 has 5 tens and 3 ones."



**Malak Y3** "In Maths we have been looking at 2 and 3 digit numbers. We used place value. We also matched word numbers and numbers."

## Class Meeting

September 2022

Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Y1
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	Y2
Monday 26 <sup>th</sup>	Y5

**Nursery class will invite parents in for a morning visit later in the term.**

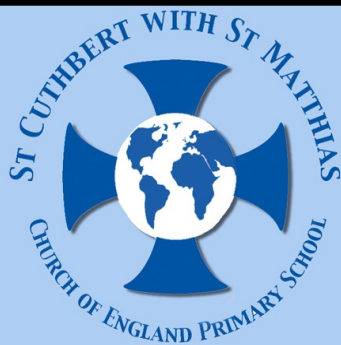


**Chichi Y2** "In Maths we have been describing the Gruffalo character. E.g. the Gruffalo has a sharp teeth and creepy yellow eyes."

## Second hand Uniform Sale

Second hand uniform is available to pay via Pay 360, You will need to provide proof of purchase (email confirmation) to the office on Wednesday afternoons. Please be aware that we can only sell items that have kindly been donated to us. So stock might be limited. Thank you.





**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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**STAR LEARNERS OF THE  
WEEK**

**Congratulations to you all!**

YN Levi	For coming calmly into Nursery each morning and for putting his shoes on by himself.
YR Eva	For independently forming the letters on her name using dots.
Y1 Kylo	For persevering with your learning in Maths.
Y2 Mesbah	For courageous behaviour and showing good manners in the classroom.
Y3 Neimah	For concentrating really hard on every single task.
Y4 Alexandria	For excellent participation in Science.
Y5 Lyamar	For great focus and hard work in all lessons.
Y6 Anna	For growing in confidence especially when taking part in class discussions. Well

**DOUBLE PARKING**

Please can parents respect our request not to double-park at drop-off and pick-up times. This creates danger for our pupils and blocks exits and entrances for residents. If this issue persists, the residents will take action by asking the council to block the road.

**Puzzle time**

**DIRECTIONS:**  
Find and circle the different kinds of pie in the grid. Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.

**Easy as Pie**  
Word Search



APPLE  
BANANA  
BLACKBERRY  
BLUEBERRY  
BUTTERMILK  
CHEESE  
CHERRY  
CHICKEN  
CHOCOLATE  
COCONUT  
CREAM  
CUSTARD  
GOOSEBERRY  
KEY LIME  
LEMON  
MACADAMIA  
MINCEMEAT  
MUD  
OLALLIEBERRY  
PEACH  
PECAN

PIZZA  
POT  
PUMPKIN  
QUICHE  
RHUBARB  
SHOOFLY  
STRAWBERRY  
SUGAR  
SWEET POTATO



**HOME LEARNERS OF THE  
WEEK**

**Congratulations to you all!**

YR Denis	For fantastic summer 'All About Me' box project.
Y1 Younes	For completing your homework meticulously and to high standard.
Y2 Sonia	For doing exceptionally well in her reading
Y3 Ayo	For writing detailed comments on his reading record.
Y4 Adan	For completing his homework to a high standard.
Y5 Sara R	For completing her Science research thoroughly and
Y6 Judah	For a detailed and descriptive account on his summer

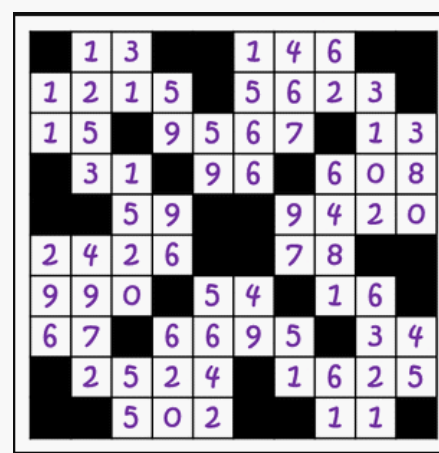


**Good Samaritans**

This week our Good Samaritans are Anna from Y6 and Nahom from Y5 for helping adults to clear up without being asked.



**Answer to last week's puzzle  
Cross Number #1**



**ACROSS**

- 22 - 9
- 159 - 13
- 465 + 750
- 2329 + 3294
- 25 - 10
- 18833 - 9266
- 20 - 7
- 15 + 16
- 17 - 120 - 24
- 952 - 344
- 99 - 40
- 445 + 8975

**DOWN**

- 710 + 543
- 46 - 15
- 297 + 1269
- 235 + 232
- 83 - 21
- 15 - 4
- 29 + 30
- 5457 - 2355
- 24 + 35
- 560 - 180
- 381 + 1139
- 12346 - 5865
- 27 + 69
- 183 - 86
- 338 - 42
- 280 + 4692
- 10786 - 5144
- 27 + 22
- 12200 - 5879
- 31 - 687 - 67
- 62 - 11
- 21 + 24
- 61 - 6
- 17 + 44