

# 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

Welcome to the Year 6 fantastic blog!

In English, we have been writing a script from the perspective of an animal for example a sheep or a donkey in the stable. We are writing this script for the ks1 nativity. The nativity is a play about Jesus's birth. Joseph and Mary, Jesus's parents are following the road to Bethlehem. They had arrived in Bethlehem and knocked on various inns and nobody let them in until they got to the last house, they had lost all hope until the very last man had let them stay in the stable.

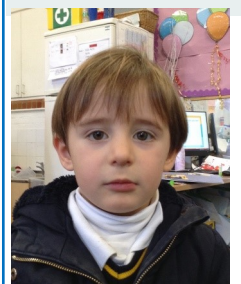
In Maths, we have been adding and subtracting mixed fractions. We have also been creating squares and cubed numbers. We were finding the lowest common multiple of fractions. We made a triangle of odd numbers e.g. we continued  $\begin{matrix} & & 1 \\ & 3 & 5 \\ 7 & 9 & 11 \end{matrix}$  until we had 8 rows. We then added the beginning and end number of each row and divided them by 2.

In RE, we used the school Chromebooks to search up churches in Kensington and Chelsea to find what each church is doing for Christmas. Our schools church St Cuthbert Church is doing High Mass [Nativity]. They are also doing the Feast of Christ. Not only our church but other churches e.g. Westminster Abbey, they are doing Advent Liturgy 27/11/22 Candle Lighting 2/12/22 Christmas Meditation 3/12/22 Carol Lessons 6/12/22 Also the St Luke's Church they are doing Christmas carols 30/11/22 Advent carol service 1/12/22 Crib Service 5/12/22 Midnight Mass [Nativity].

During History, We have been learning about the roles of women in before and after the war. We looked at propaganda posters and the jobs women did. We learnt that women who built tanks and other stuff for military got paid less than men who cleaned toilets. We then made our own propaganda posters. We then made a thoughtful selection of relevant historical information by learning about the importance and significance of the role during WWII. *By Kassem and Simeon*

## SPECIAL DATES

- **Reception's Open after-noon – 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec 1.15-2.15**
- **Christmas Jumper Day – 8<sup>th</sup> Dec**
- **Christingle – 9<sup>th</sup> Dec**



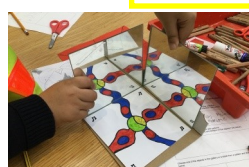
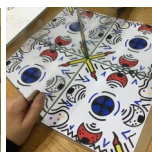
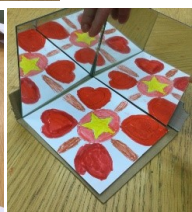
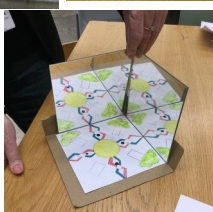
**Victor YN** "We are learning about months of our birthday. Mine is in August. We also painted our portraits."



**Joana Y1** "In Maths we have been subtracting by crossing out and partitioning numbers and then we wrote what is left."

## Good Samaritans

This week our Good Samaritans are Fatma from Y2 for helping tidy up without being asked, and Omar from Y4 for tidying up tirelessly after his class.



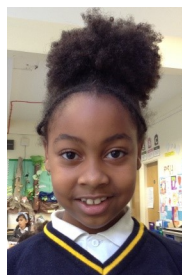
**Year 4's trip to the V&A where they visited fascinating objects and learnt useful techniques to become creative.**



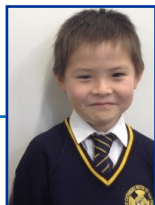
St Cuthbert with St Matthias CE School



*“Don't let the sun go down without saying thank you to someone, and without admitting to yourself that absolutely no one gets this far alone.” Stephen King*



**Lyla Y3** “In History we are learning about the Bronze Age. People used bronze tools which is a mixture of copper and tin. They used the tools for hunting and digging.”



## Year 4's Blog

Welcome to our incredible blog!

In English we identified features of non-chronological texts. We wrote a mind map on non-chronological reports. We then identified features such as information boxes, clear title, conjunctions and introductory paragraph in a text about Sagrada Familia. The Sagrada Familia is a huge beautiful unfinished building in Barcelona, Spain.

In Maths we have been learning how to find perimeter of rectilinear shapes. Rectilinear shapes have straight sides and right angles. To find the perimeter of a shape we need to add up all the sides. We created our own rectilinear shapes from the alphabet. We chose E, T, H and L. We then found out the perimeter of the shapes. We also converted measurements from km to m and m to cm. E.g.  $0.5\text{km}=500\text{m}$  and  $0.5\text{m}=50\text{cm}$ .

In History we are learning the Anglo-Saxon's clothing. We explored the materials they used, which came from plants and animal products such as leather and wool. We also looked at in detail what the women and the men used to wear. Women wore brooches and bright coloured fabrics. Men wore capes, brooches and strappy leather shoes. Rich people had swords, helmets and colourful clothes. But the poor people wore plain white clothes and no shoes. We then drew a piece clothing or a jewellery. We also wrote a letter imagining that we were in the Anglo-Saxon's times and what we experienced such as what we wore and ate.

In RE we are exploring the word peace. We looked at two kinds of peace, which are inner peace and external peace. Inner peace means being calm and being free of anxiety. External peace happen when there is no war and violence in the world. We then wrote short messages to children living or coming from areas of conflict.

Finally we went on a trip to the V&A Museum. We saw calligraphy, plates and ceramic tiles. We then made our own repeated patterns using mirrors. After we walked back to school. *By Anand and Nathan*

## HEADTEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

Inspired by Sant'Egidio charity, our St Cuthbert pupils have been industriously beaver away at home over the past ten days, and what an amazing, colourful selection of kindness advent calendars we have seen coming into school this week! Thank you to all the children for working so hard and creatively on this task. Sant'Egidio charity supports homeless members of the Earls Court community by serving dinners in our St Cuthbert church each month, and they use our school kitchen to prepare these meals.

These magnificent advent calendars are on show along our school corridor for a short time before heading back home to begin their duties next Thursday, 1st December.

I am thinking that with all these inspirational acts of kindness being completed in December month, Earls Court will be a happier corner of the world thanks to the great efforts of the pupils -thank you everyone! Knowing that many parents will not be able to see these on site, I thought it a good idea to share a photo display in the newsletter today. Here they are, the 2022 St Cuthbert acts of kindness advent calendars.



And now, as we head into our weekend, I am sending very best wishes for a restful two days.

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team





**Tala Y2** "We did research about our school saints St Cuthbert and St Matthias. St Cuthbert was an Anglo Saxon saint. St Matthias was an apostle of Jesus."



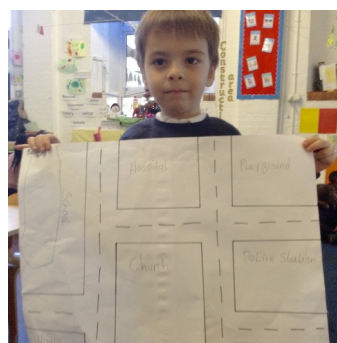
**Sizar Y1** "In English we wrote instructions on how to make a paper snowflake. After we made our own snow flakes."



**Lias Y3** "In RE we are writing a letter to St Cuthbert. It's about the exciting news and about the treats we are preparing for a big celebration in our school."



**Nursery's superb collection of self portraits made by the children.**



**Denis YR** "We made maps and then we built a school, a shop and a church."

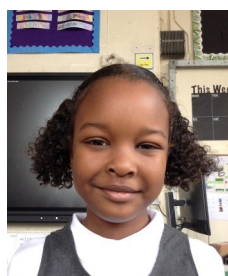


**Year 2's informative collection of research papers on our school saints, St Cuthbert and St Matthias.**



#### This Week's Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y3	99.2%
Y6	97.5%
Y5	97.0%
Y2	96.8%
Y4	94.6%
YR	93.3%
YN	83.4%
Y1	83.3%
Total	92.9%



**Wisaf Y2** "In English we wrote poems about what things we don't like inspired by Dr Seuss's poem called Green Eggs and Ham."

#### Notice to Parents

We would like to inform that Pupil and parent/ carer information Privacy Notice is now on our school website under Policies and Documents page.







# 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	Victor	For always being so positive and helpful.
Y2	Sonia	For always working hard and consistently engaging in class discussions.
Y3	Neimah	For recalling facts about the Bronze Age correctly.
Y4	Gabriel	For answering a very tricky question during our class trip.
Y5	Ali	For trying hard to engage in class discussions.
Y6	Jennifer	For being an active and thoughtful learner.



## HOME LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

### Congratulations to you all!

YR	Charsey	For creating a beautiful advent calendar.
Y2	Christina, Chichi, Tala, Ezare	For creating a fantastic Advent calendar full of kind gestures.
Y3	Ayo	For writing full sentences in Grammar.
Y4	Mark	For creating a very decorative advent calendar.
Y5	Sarah	For creating a great advent calendar.
Y6	Mojtaba	For giving his best with challenging Maths questions.

### 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.

### Well Done

*Adan* for getting the right answer for last week's puzzle.

### Second hand Uniform Sale

Second hand uniform is available to buy. Please pay via Pay360. 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.

### Puzzle time



## Feeling Grateful Word Search

What are YOU thankful for on Thanksgiving Day and all the other days of the year? Here are a few ideas to get you started.

ANIMALS  
BED  
BIRTHDAY  
BOOKS  
CARS  
CHALLENGES  
DAD  
EARTH  
FAMILY  
FLOWERS  
GRANDPARENTS  
HEALTH  
HEARING  
HEART  
HOME  
ICE CREAM  
JOKES  
LAUGHTER  
LUNGS  
MOM  
MOON  
MUSIC  
NATURE  
OXYGEN  
POPCORN



RAIN  
READING  
SCHOOL  
SHOES  
SIGHT  
SMELL  
STARS  
SUNSHINE  
TASTE  
TEACHER  
TOUCH  
VACATION

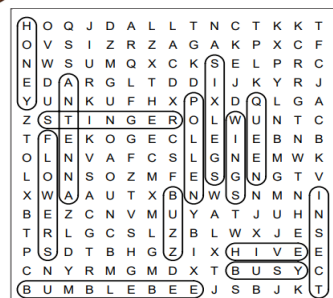


There will be exciting prizes, for the right answer to this week's puzzle handed in on Thursday. Please write your name and answer on a separate piece of paper. Good luck!

### Answer to last week's puzzle Honey Bee Word Search



DIRECTIONS: Find and circle the vocabulary words colors in the grid. Look for them vertically and horizontally.



ANTENNA  
BUMBLEBEE  
BUSY  
BUZZ  
FLOWERS  
HIVE

HONEY  
INSECT  
POLLEN  
QUEEN  
SIX LEGS  
STINGER

WINGS

