

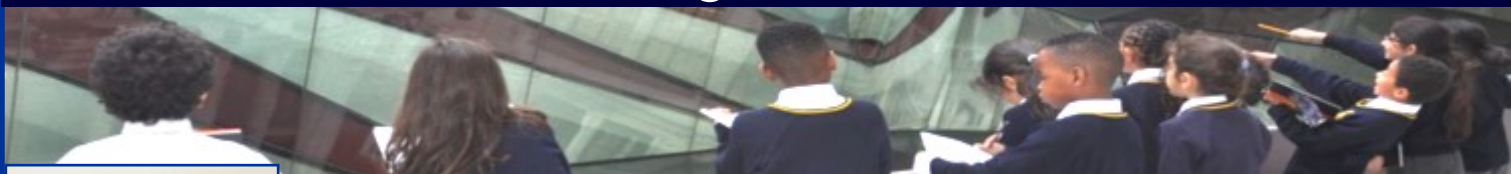
Loving one another. Learning for our future.

'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

30 June 2023



Year 6's Blog

Welcome to our fantastic blog!

In RE we were learning about rules and responsibilities. We talked about the story of the golden calf, it's about Moses leaving the people to talk to God and then the people thought he wasn't going to come back. After that,

Aaron (Moses' brother) took all the people's jewellery, melted it and made a calf idol out of it. Aaron told them to worship and pray to it. Later on, God told Moses the news so he headed back to them and took two stone tablets, threw them at the calf and destroyed it. We also learnt ABOUT THE STORY OF THE People who Hugged Trees. The story is about a girl called Amrita who loved trees, especially one specific one. Then one day the Maharajah sent axemen to chop the trees down to build a stronger fortress, but Amrita told them not to so they went back to tell the Maharajah what happened. So then, the Maharajah came and asked her why she didn't want to cut them and the Maharajah approved of this. After that the trees saved the village from the storm.

In History we are looking at trains. We had a map with different cities on it, then we took an atlas and placed the different cities and tube lines on the map. We also had a sheet of how trains evolved over the years and we summarised it and wrote it on our words our own words.

In Art, Miss Aavan came in and we were focussing on this painting called Surprise! By Henry Rousseau. We focused on a specific technique by putting masking tape diagonally across our page and then painting in a variety of colours. *By Lazo and Dani*



Year 4's Blog

Year 4's unbelievable blog!

In English we have been learning about poetry! We read the poem called The Garden Year. It is about what happens in the months of the year. We

labelled the poem with rhymes, adjectives, alliteration, rhyming schemes, personification and repetition. Then we started making our own poem about the months. We wrote what happens in the month and described it. e.g. April-Easter, egg hunt, different traditions, egg crackin', family, friends, April fools, a bit windy, teeny weeny bit hotter!

In Maths we have been learning about decimals. Currently we are dividing 2-digit numbers by 10! First we completed a sheet but then we used digit flip books to answer Miss Martina's division questions e.g. 3.9 plus 2 tenths equals 4.1. We also did some work in our books like part-hole models and tables.

In Art we made sculptures by Henry Spencer Moore and Sir Anish Kapoor and Augusta Savage. We made our sculptures out of clay. We made them with partners. On a separate lesson we made sketches of different sculptures such as The Spider/ Maman, Travelling Dave and more!

In Geography we have been learning about simple sketch maps. We have been sketching our local area. We used keys and symbols e.g. recreational, residential, houses, transport and cemetery. We are currently sketching a town by the sea side in Croatia. *By Bawan, Lewis and Samuel ☺*

SPECIAL DATES

- **13th July – Sports morning**
- **6th July– Summer fair**
- **14th July - Talent show**
- **Weeks beginning 10th & 17th July- Graduations**



Niddaa YN "We have been learning about Jesus helping people. We also learnt about the people who helped us. I made a picture of a doctor helping."

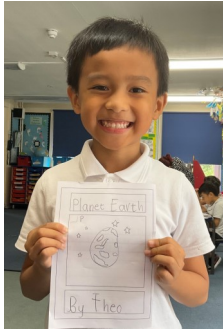


Anatole YR "We learnt about crabs and octopuses. Crabs like to live in warm rocky pools."



St Cuthbert with St Matthias CE School

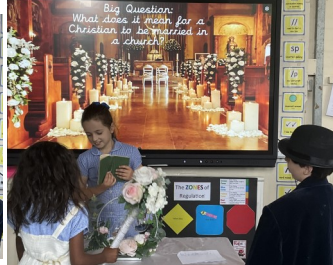
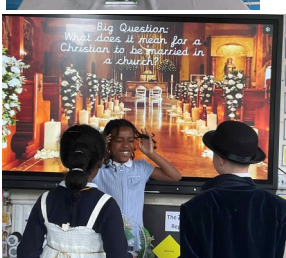
"Create the highest grandest version possible for your life, because you become what you believe." Oprah Winfrey



Theo Y1 "In RE we are learning about the planet Earth. It's a big place with lots of different animals and plants."



Tala Y2 "In RE we performed a Christian wedding. We all got a turn to be brides, grooms, and priests. I was the groom."



Year 5's Blog

Welcome to Year 5's phenomenal blog!

In Maths we are continuing to learn about decimals by extending the topic. We are adding subtracting and complementing to whole numbers (complementing means to make whole numbers by adding just decimals like $0.7 + 0.3 = 1$ whole). We also used an adding and subtracting grid to help us. One thing we learnt is that the decimal dot always has to be lined up together no matter the number.

In English we have started a new topic called Kunsuke's Kingdom. We have read the first three chapters. In the lesson we had to describe the characters' feelings and emotions. We drew the events and next to it we described what the characters emotions might be at that point but to make the challenge more fun and harder we had to use expanded noun phrases.

In RE we have been continuing to learn about our area. In our lesson we researched different religions in different groups. I (Sara) looked into Islam in our area and I (Sumaiya) researched Sikhism. We then presented our finding to the whole class. After that we gave the whole class a pop quiz and they asked us some questions that we tried our best to answer.

In Geography we have been learning about river pollution. We are exploring what causes pollution and the effects it has on the environment.

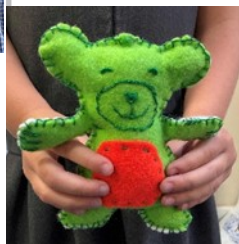
By Sara R & Sumaiya

HEADTEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

With Compassion in Action being our theme for Refugee Week last week, our children have set about ensuring an important word in our school vision, COMPASSION, is truly in action!

With great smiles and sincere willingness to learn new skills, our children, staff members and parents have taken on the wonderful mission of creating teddies for others- for sick or lonely children not too far away. And each day, new Teds are joining the growing Ted collection! A warm and sincere THANK YOU to everyone involved for their time and effort. These adorable cuddly toys will bring so much joy to their future owners.



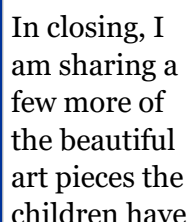
Now with our summer fair and sports morning just around the corner, I would like to remind our families of details:



Summer Fair: Thursday 6th July, 3.00-4.30pm in school.

Sports Morning: Thursday 13th July, 9.30-11.30am in school.

Please see the accompanying flyer for further details and we very much look forward to seeing you at these events.



In closing, I am sharing a few more of the beautiful art pieces the children have been creating with Ms Aavan in our whole school RE art project, 'For the Beauty of the Earth'. We will have all the art pieces on display at our graduations.

We wish you a restful two days ahead!

Kind regards,

Miss Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team



Year 3's Blog

Welcome to year 3's perfect blog!

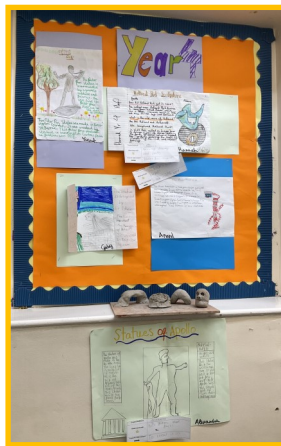
In English we have been learning about Calligram

poems. They are words that are arranged to make a shape in the subject of the poem. We looked at what makes a good Calligram. We are going to create our own one. We gathered ideas for our shape poem. Mine (Martin) is going to be a creepy house poem. Mine (Lyla) is going to be a Squish Mellow poem.

In Maths we continued to learn about fractions. We compared and ordered a non-unit fraction. When we compare fractions, if the denominator is the same, the greater the nominator the greater the fraction. We also looked at the meaning of the word equivalent. We used fraction tiles to find equivalent fractions. E.g. $\frac{1}{3}$ is equivalent to $\frac{2}{6}$, $\frac{3}{9}$ and $\frac{4}{12}$.

In RE we are learning about Who is Jesus?, and his I Am statements. We reflected on Jesus being the true vine.

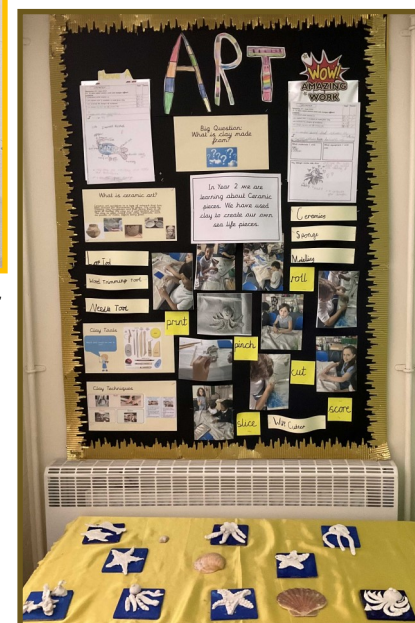
In Geography we explored how humans use the rainforest plants. We made a menu from the plants we can find in the rainforest, such as coconut, peppers, pineapple, rice, sugar, orange, hot chocolate, and tea. We wrote garlic bread for starters, pineapple pizza for main course, and chocolate cake with apple, and coffee and hot chocolate for drink. *By Lyla and Martin*



Reception class made a beautiful display about creatures that live in the sea.



Year 4's Art display about sculpture and facts about famous sculptors and their works.



Year 2's fantastic ceramic sea life pieces made from clay.



Year Reception's incredible stained glass window art of stories from the Bible where Jesus calms the storm and more.



Joana Y1 "We went on a trip to a mosque. We saw the beautiful building. We also saw people praying."



Liam Y2 "We created ceramic pieces from clay. We made starfish, octopus, and sea-shells."

This Week's Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y4	92.9%
YR	92.6%
Y3	90.0%
YN	89.1%
Y2	88.1%
Y1	84.3%
Y5	78.8%
Y6	77.9%
Total	86.8%

Graduations in school hall

YN	Monday 10 th July	9.30am
YR		2pm
Y1	Wednesday 12 th July	9.15am
Y2		2pm
Y3	Monday 17 th July	2pm
Y4	Tuesday 18 th July	2pm
Y5	Wednesday 19 th July	2pm
Y6	Friday 21 st July	2pm

Notice to Parents

Graduations	Weeks beginning 10 th and 17 th July
Sports morning	Thursday 13 th July (9.30-11.30)
Summer Fair	Thursday 6 th July (3.00-4.30pm)
St Cuthbert's Got Talent	Friday 14 th July (EYFS&KS1 9.30am/ KS2 2pm)



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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!

YR	An-Yi	For making fantastic improvement to his behaviour.
YR	Anatole	For his fantastic contribution to our RE lesson.
Y1	Tye Anthony	For his thoughtful contributions during carpet input across all
Y2	Mesbah	For confidently reading in the assembly and in class.
Y3	Martin	For consistent effort with mental Maths and times table practice.
Y4	Haru	For showing commitment in her work.
Y5	Terye	For thoughtful and sensitive contributions to class discussions.
Y6	Lea	For thoughtful contributions about railway art in history.



**HOME LEARNERS OF THE
WEEK**

Congratulations to you all!

YR	Leo	For working hard on his fluency in reading. Leo now reads long texts to the class.
Y1	Kylo	For creating an amazing ice-cream parlour for our stall.
Y2	Talia	For designing lovely lemonade stall.
Y3	Lyla	For completing her fraction homework to a really high standard.
Y4	Nathan	For a very high standard Geography project.
Y5	Sarah H	For creating a fantastic well-researched fact file on the Mathematician of the
Y6	Adeena	For designing a splendid summer fair stall.



**Music Maestro of the
week:**

Sophia (Y5) for getting stuck into music in her first week in our school. Really enthusiastic!

Puzzle time

Word Search

DIRECTIONS: Find and circle the vocabulary words in the grid. Look for them in all directions including backwards and diagonally.



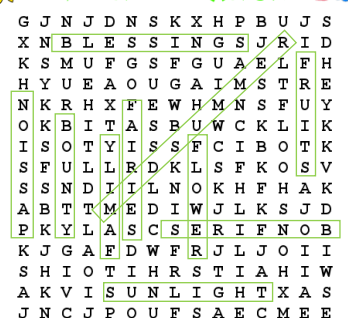
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BUS DRIVER	HAIRDRESSER	SOLDIER
CHEF	JANITOR	TEACHER
COACH	LIBRARIAN	TRASH COLLECTOR
CROSSING GUARD	LIFEGUARD	VETERINARIAN
DENTIST	MAIL CARRIER	WAITER
DOCTOR	MECHANIC	
FARMER	NURSE	
FIREFIGHTER	PLUMBER	

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.



**SUMMER SOLSTICE
WORD SEARCH**



Find each of the words in the puzzle above. Words can be found vertically, horizontally, diagonally and backward.

MIDSUMMER SUNLIGHT FAIRIES
BOUNTY BONFIRES FLOWERS FRUITS
PASSION BLESSINGS FAMILY