



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

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Year 6's Blog

Refugee Week

This week in Year 6 it was Refugee Week. We were finishing writing our SATs last week, so we couldn't celebrate, but, as a link, we have been studying the Middle Eastern country: Iran, specifically looking at Islamic art that is mostly seen in mosques. These are a few facts about this historical country. Iran went through a revolution in 1979. It has a population of 82.011735 million. It was known as Persia before 1935, after which it was officially named Iran. Individually, we designed our very own paper plates using our knowledge of Islamic art. We also learnt that many mosques harboured Jews, protecting them from the Nazis during World War 2. This fascinating topic has definitely extended our understanding of being a refugee in a very vast country.

Whole Foods Trip

As you all probably know, Year 6 went to Barcelona 2 weeks ago and left three students behind in London. Most of the time spent by these three students in the school was playing Monopoly and writing (to get to a high level). Ms Putterill, Ms Butters and Mr Mark felt sorry for us, so they decided to take us on an outing to the wonderful Whole Foods Market to eat some delicious food. The façade (exterior) was a mixture of stone and marble. After looking around the market



we headed upstairs to the restaurant, which was very crowded. *By Edi and Dylan*

SPECIAL DATES TO NOTE

- **Summer Fair**
Saturday- June 30
12-4 pm
- **Sports day-**
Thursday July 5
morning at Holland
Park
- **Summer**
music concerts:
-Tuesday 17th July,
10am- EYFS, KS1
parents
-Wednesday 18th
July, 10am- KS2
parents

Healthy Eating Workshop



We have had some very positive feedback from parents who attended the 'Healthy Eating' workshop. They have already started to make changes by swapping sugary unhealthy cereals and spreads for healthy foods such as porridge. Many parents asked for more ideas for healthy recipes and alternative snacks. 'Change 4 Life' is a good resource. The app will give you more information about the choices you make when shopping.



Lemara YN, "We matched number and object in Maths."

ST CUTHBERT
WITH ST MATTHIAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

SUMMER FAIR!

30TH JUNE 2018
12 - 4 PM

WARWICK ROAD, EARLS COURT SQUARE

GAMES & PRIZES – BOUNCY CASTLE – FRESH BBQ – Halal options!
FACE PAINTING – HENNA – HUGE RAFFLE

Sponsored by:
Co-op food, Waitrose, Tesco, Nandos, Star Kebab and Kung-Fu




Our Chris and Ms Julie working hard at setting up for the summer fair.



This week's Queen and King of Year 3 are **Jood** and **Ryan** for always doing the right thing by following the 4C code.



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 July 5th at 9 am.

“Love is a fruit in season at all times, and within reach of every hand.”

Mother Teresa



Ibrahim Y2, *“In English we have been writing poems about monsters. We have been describing them as giants, gruesome, mighty, horrifying and terrifying.”*



Yasmin YR, *“We learnt about sea creatures and different zones of the ocean. They are the sunshine zone, the light zone, the midnight zone and the twilight zone. The blob fish lives in the midnight zone, it has its own light because it’s so dark.”*



Christelle Y1, *“In Science we have been learning about the weather. We are keeping a chart to register when the day is sunny, rainy, snowy and cloudy. Today it’s sunny 30° c and omm of rain.”*

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Year 5’s Blog

This week in Maths Year 5 have been learning about long division. Here are some questions:

98 divided by 7, 105 divided by 8, 123 divided by 9. Darren taught us how to do long division and how we can do bus method to help us do division. In English we have been reading a book called ‘There’s a boy in the girl’s bathroom’. We have been talking about Carla the school counsellor. Carla had a meeting and the parents don’t agree having the school counsellor. The parents think the children should have computers instead.

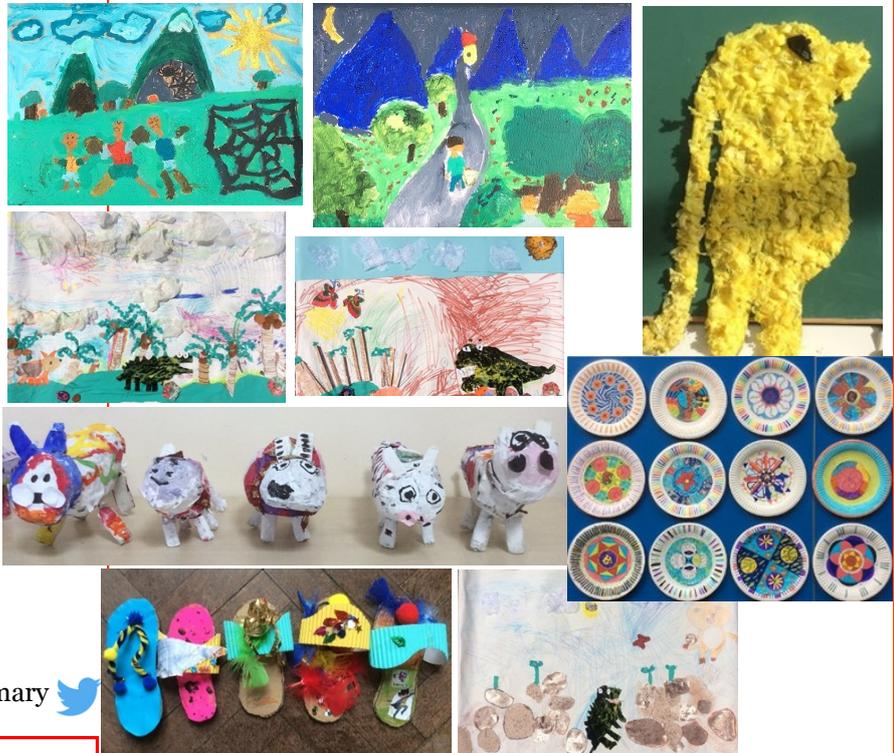
In RE we have been working on the Sikh religion. We have been describing our own Sikh temple. We have been learning about different materials. Darren mixed water and salt and he put it next to the window sill and the water evaporated but the salt was still there. In Arts and Crafts and Refugee Week we have been focussing on Afghanistan art so we made carpets. *By Ethan and Zahra*

HEAD TEACHER’S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

We have been chatting a great deal about ladybirds in recent weeks, but this week there is some equally exciting news to report: Jo (our gardener) discovered a tiny 6mm bee, possibly Britain’s smallest bee - a Scissor Bee, on a Hebe flower on our school garden on Tuesday! Our mini-beast discoveries are proving to be fascinating topics for discussion this summer term...

Last week we promised to showcase some of the beautiful art from Refugee Week and so here they are - some of the beautiful designs that were created: Y6 decorative Islamic art plates - after their study of some typical Iranian geometric art; Y4 decorative Myanmar cows; Y1 Bangladeshi folk tale scrolls, after a focus on ‘The Fox and the Crocodile’ folk tale; Y2 Eritrean fable paintings recounting ‘Even the Flies and the Spiders’; YR sandals from the story ‘Four Feet Two Sandals’ and much loved Beegu (Nursery), after their focus on the charming Beegu story! Well done to all the children for their creative artistic designs and artwork.



Tomorrow, between 12noon and 4pm, we will be holding our summer fair and our parents and teachers have been spending many minutes lately planning exciting activities and games for our children to enjoy: hair braiding; T-shirt design; skittles; dig for treasure; nail and face painting, balloon sculpturing - to name a few! Thankfully, I have spotted bright sunshine on the weather page for tomorrow, which will enable us all to enjoy a truly happy occasion. I would like to thank those staff members, PTA members and parents who have so generously offered their time to make this an enjoyable afternoon for our school community. We look forward to seeing you all in our playground tomorrow!

And now in order that we can showcase our beautiful artwork, I will shorten my text this week and wish you a warm and relaxed weekend!

Best wishes,

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team



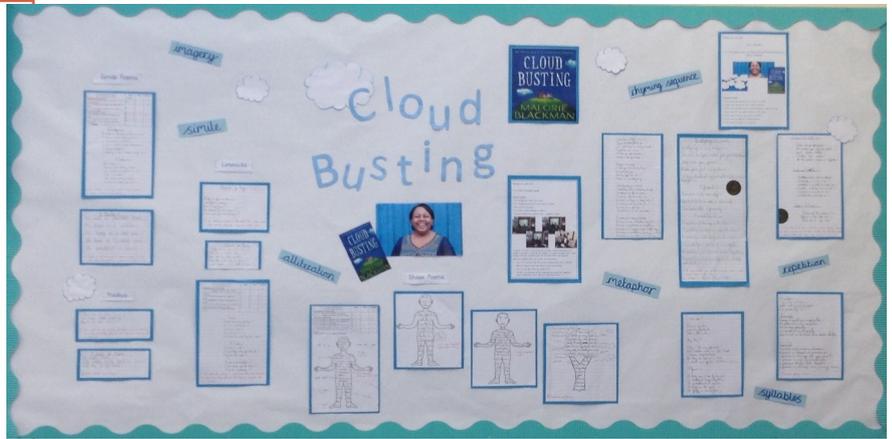
Year 4's blog

This week in Maths we have been learning about negative numbers. We learnt that -1 is more

than -10 because it is closer to 0. In our success criteria we had to achieve the following points: To count backwards through zero to include negative numbers, to interpret a number line including negative numbers, to use a reasoning to count back in a sequence of negative numbers. The purple extension was to solve negative number word problems. Many of us achieved our success criteria.

This week we have been using the prefixes *in* and *im* to change the meaning of words and to make our understanding very good. We had to tick off our success criteria and complete the following points: to use further prefixes, to define the word 'prefix', to locate the meaning of words using a dictionary and our purple extension was to distinguish between words which require either *in* or *im* adding to make their opposites. We all managed to tick off not one but all of the points and Miss Kennedy was very proud. We are now experts in using the dictionary!

In Topic we have been learning all about the ancient Greek gods' and goddesses' family tree! We had to use the information provided to piece together an entire family tree of this ancient family. We learnt about the gods' and goddesses' relationships with each other, and what their roles were. For example, Zeus is often depicted with a lightning bolt because he could throw a lightning bolt towards anyone who was misbehaving! *By Inaya, Amina and Wilson*



Year 4's beautiful display about a book called 'Cloud Busting'.



Amalia Y3, "In Maths we have been learning about fractions

and what a nominator and a denominator is."

Rosie Y1, "In

Maths we have been learning to divide in half. It means we divide a number into two equal numbers."



Aya Y2, "In Maths we learnt about rounding up. We round down to the nearest 10 if the number is

less than 5, and up if the number is more than 5."

Tristan Y3, "In

English we have been writing school reports on 'horrid Henry'. I wrote that he doesn't listen. In Science he mixed chemicals which is a very dangerous thing to do."



Earls Court Farmers' Market



Earls Court Farmers' Market open on Sundays at our St Cuthbert's with St Matthias School.

Every Sunday 10am-2pm

The freshest, most seasonal produce direct from the farm, fishing boat, bakery or dairy. Every Sunday come and shop, meet your friends and neighbours. The farmers market is the friendliest place to shop, try something different, talk to our farmers and fishermen, see what they recommend for dinner! Bring the whole family.

Kids love farmers' markets too.



STAR LEARNERS OF THE WEEK



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R	Nourulhuda	For always being considerate, helping your friends and tidying up.
1	Dani	For always being kind and helping others in the playground.
2	Ryan	For completing excellent story about Refugee Week.
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4	Dion	For being an excellent role model in class.
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6	Leila	For excellent focus on details and perseverance while working on her Islamic art project this week.

