



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

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International Food Day



SPECIAL DATES

- **Book Fair 24th-28th June**
- **Sports morning July 4th, 10.00 - 1.00 at Holland Park**
- **Performing Arts Week 8th - 12th July**

Year 5's Blog



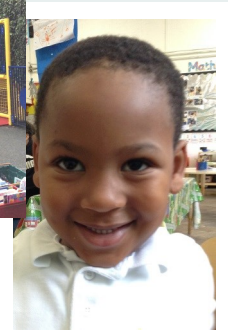
In English, we have been reading a book called Floodland. It is about a girl called Zoe who lived in Norwich. She lost her parents when they had to make a decision on who would get on the boat out of her and them, since the boat could only carry two more people. She persuaded her parents to get on the boat and she told them that she would get on the other one. However, when she ran to the other boat it was already full and setting out for sea. That was how she lost her parents when she was a little girl. She grew up in Norwich for a few years by herself and then things got worse. Buildings were falling down and people were losing their temper. One evening she found a boat called Lyca; it was very old and had many holes in it. She fixed it up and one day set off for sea like her parents did. After days of rowing, she finally found land. When she arrived at the island, a boy called Dooby came with two other boys called - Spat & Munchkin they asked weird things like; "Are you a pig?". But little did Zoe know things were about to get worst. She found out that the island was called Eel's island and that Dooby and the others are part of a tribe called the Eels

After our teacher read us the 5th chapter, we had to right a persuasive text about how Dooby (the island leader) became the in charge.

In Maths, we designed a mini 3D go kart track on squared paper. We then labelled different key parts like the pit stop, the finish and start line and barriers. The next day we went outside to measure the length of our go kart track with meter sticks. We didn't measure turns because they were very difficult to measure. We created scales which clarified how many squares equalled one metre.

Refugee Week

In refugee week, Miss Puttrill gave each class a country to focus on. Year 5's country was Afghanistan; we learnt about the country and made a wonderful fact file about it. What kept us busy was the calico sewing. How we did it : first we looked up pictures of different designs then drew on scrap paper our own ideas. After, we drew it again on calico and finally started stitching it. But of course, no one has finished yet! *By Gigi and Mohamed*



James YN, "We are learning about Beegu. He was lost because he didn't listen to his mum. In the end he was found and got a present. Then his spaceship came and picked him up."



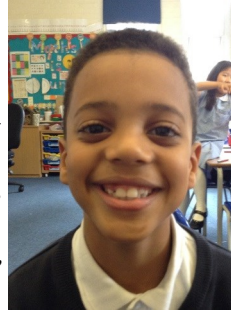
Adan YR, "We went to the London Zoo. We saw flamingos, monkeys, giraffes, and penguins. Miss's animal are giraffes."

PTA Announcement

Come join us for coffee mornings which take place between 9-10 am, every fortnight on Thursdays and are held in St Matthias House. Next meeting is on 11th July at 9am.



Leah Y3, *"In Maths we are leaning about time. We are learning to add time and solving time word problem."*



Judah Y2, *"In Myanmar there are lots of hot air flying around. There are also lots of Buddhist Temples. In Myanmar the lion represents the throne. We are drawing line art lions."*



Year 4's Blog

In maths last week, we have been doing Bar graphs. For example we did how many pizzas were sold on Friday? The most popular was Margherita because it had 80 pizzas sold and the least popular was 5 pizzas only. This week, we have been learning about Geometry it is a sort of shape and an Angles. We used a ruler called protractor it looks like a rainbow shaped ruler.

In English, we have been learning about Sudan. Sudan is a country which has cows with very bulky horns! They had a different country flag however they changed it in the 19th century. Most children in Sudan do not go to school. We also made cows out of clay, we had so much fun!

In Humanities, we have been learning about Ancient Greece. The ones from Sparta had strong army! Many Myths were from Ancient Greece such as Pandora's Box and Hercules. In Ancient Greece only free men were Citizens. Women and Children and slaves were not Citizens. Women didn't have much freedom in Ancient Greece. In large homes men had their own dining rooms, they also had drinking parties. A woman could not leave home without permission of her husband.

In Science, we have been testing different materials to see if it works in a circuit most of them were metal. We made a table ,on one side it said materials that are electrical insulators which means that it doesn't work and on the other side it said materials that are electrical conductor which means that it works.

Last week in R.E, we have been learning about the River Ganges. We had to write a diary entry about us being there, we had to write how we felt on the way, what did you smell and what did you see? *By Crina and Lanxin*

HEAD TEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,
It's been another grey and drizzly week here in Earls Court, and having said farewell to our Y6 travellers early on Monday morning, we set about our regular routines. But by lunch time, with little sign of radiant blue skies, we were beginning to wonder where our warm summer sunshine could be. However, very soon all became clear. That evening, the photographs popped into my email inbox, and our question was answered. The proof was in my inbox: blue sky, bright sunshine and our Y6 travellers all in Barcelona!

But the cloudy skies and drizzle have not dampened our spirits (too much) this week, despite us knowing that the summer sunshine and gorgeous blue sky has been residing in Spain. On the contrary, if it was going to reside anywhere else other than over Earl's Court, what better place to be than with our Y6 team! And as they head home today, I would like to take this opportunity to thank the teaching team that has accompanied the children. You have made this wonderful experience possible for Y6 children and we are very appreciative. We wish you all a happy weekend of sound sleep.

But our week in St Cuthbert School has been equally exciting: Y3 visited the New West End Synagogue; reception class took a trip to the London Zoo; the beautiful mini-beast ceramics made by Y2 were delivered to our school, fresh from the off-site kiln where they have been fired; and all classes have been deeply involved in compiling country fact-files and creating their Refugee Week art pieces. On a walk-about during the week, I spotted clay Sudanese cows in Y4, colourful Afghan tapestries in Y5, beautiful 3d Eritrean story-boards in Y3, a magnificent Myanmar poster made by Y1 and Y2 children on display in Y2, decorative sandals in reception class and of course, Beegu in nursery!


Well done to all our artists and research academics for such dedicated learning. We are already looking forward to seeing the final



products in assembly next week.

And so with a hopefully deeper understanding of our world, and a deeper empathy for others this end of our Refugee Week, we look forward to a relaxing weekend, and will be very happy to have our Y6 team back with us on Monday morning.

All best wishes,

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team  @SCwSMPrimary



"Courage is knowing what not to fear."
Plato



Ibrahim Y3,
"This week we are learning about Eritrea. Its capital city is Asmara. It's a very beautiful and quiet city."



Last week Year 3 children visited an amazing synagogue in Bayswater.



Year 2's magnificent display of facts and drawings on Myanmar.

Adeena Y2, *"In Topic we are learning about dolphins. We are making fact files about dolphins. They are carnivores and very intelligent."*



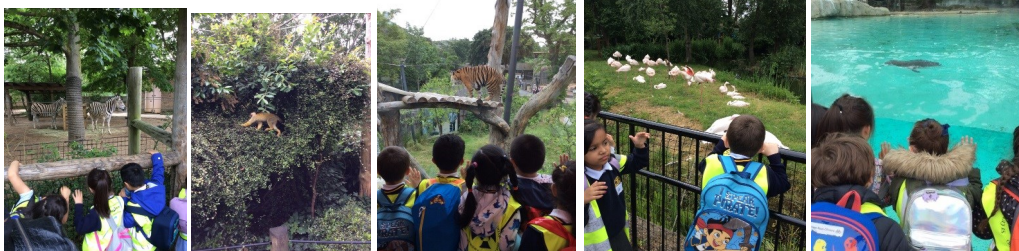
Year 6 in Barcelona



Aisha Y1, *"We are learning about a refugee girl called Ivine. She left Syria because of the war. With her mum she travelled on a boat. She was very sad. We wrote the story in our books."*



Reception class are going on safari in the fantastic Jeep they built.



Reception class's adventurous trip to the London Zoo.



Mrs Amin, one of our parents shared her experience as a refugee with nursery class. The children made a great art work of Beegu and wrote an invitation for him to come and stay in nursery.



STAR LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

Congratulations to all of you!



N	Camden	For excellent phonics work.
R	Ashley	For asking interesting questions and having excellent behaviour.
1	Lillymae	For trying hard to participate in class discussions.
2	Khaija	For an amazing attitude to her learning.
3	Mohamad	For excellent behaviour during circle time and speaking in full sentences.
4	Max	For settling in really well and becoming a part of the class.
5	Ellias	For exemplary behaviour at all points of school day.
6	Jad	For continuing with his excellent conduct through the





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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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Monday	3:30-4:30 Athletics Club KS1 & KS2 3:30-4:30 Junk Modelling KS1 & KS2 3:30-4:45 Non-contact Boxing KS1 & KS2
Tuesday	3: 30 -4:30 Gardening Club Rec, KS1 & KS2 3:30 -4:30 Lego Construction Club Nursery & Rec 3:30-4:30 M.E.N.D Year 1-4
Wednesday	3:15-4:15 Baby Yoga Nursery /Rec 3:30-4:30 Football Club KS1 & KS2 3:30-5:30 Cooking Club KS1
Thursday	3:30 -4:30 Homework Club 3:30-5:30 Cooking Club KS2
Friday	3:30-4:45 Art Club KS1 & KS2 2:45-4:45 Swimming Club



Puzzle Time

**Math Crossword
Puzzle**



Fill in the blanks of each crossword puzzle to make the division equations true.

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This Week's Attendance

Class	Attend
Y1	99.5%
Y6	97.9%
Y4	96.0%
YR	95.5%
Y5	95.2%
YN	90.7%
Y3	90.7%
Y2	86.7
Total	94.4%

**POLITE REMINDER
Parking**

Please may we remind parents not to double park opposite our school gate. Double parking here is causing a risk to the safety of our children.

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 the last puzzle

Third Grade Spelling Crossword Puzzle

- Across**
- to go see someone
 - a round shape, like a ring
 - having no doubt at all
 - mad, upset
 - the opposite of loose
 - the opposite of hard
 - to become more mature or old
 - to write again
 - to provide aid, to give someone a hand
 - a cutting tool, also an eating utensil
 - a yellow fruit
 - afraid
 - to feel, to put your hand on something
 - in one side and out the other
 - a huge number
 - an imaginary vision you have while sleeping
 - to have fun or take pleasure from
 - prepared



Down

- to send away
- a piece of cloth that warms the neck and shoulders
- all by herself or himself
- a lot
- an area bigger than a city but smaller than a country
- to get rid of, to place somewhere else
- past tense of return
- buddies, pals
- past tense of write
- a group of officials who enforce laws and investigate crimes
- something that is hidden or kept away from others
- concern about what could happen, worry
- a buttery snack that people often eat in movie theatres
- past tense of leave
- a round container for holding something, such as water
- another time, once more
- a hand tool for pounding things, such as nails
- past tense of correct
- to put things in something, such as a suitcase or a truck