

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 5's Blog

Welcome to Year 5's mind blowing blog!

In English we used our imagination to design our 13 storey treehouse. We wrote down descriptions using powerful adjectives and adverbs. We then picked a room in the tree house and wrote why we chose it. E.g. I wrote that my (Sara) room in the 13 story tree house has a comfortable room where you diddle doddle and the robot makes you the finest food like caviar. And mine (Sarah) room has a magnificent bed and when you want to get out of your bed you can take the never ending slide. Some of us did illustrations of our rooms with different parts of the treehouse labelled.

In Maths we were learning about Roman numerals to 1000. It goes like this I =1, V= 5, X= 10, L=50 C=100, D=500 and M=1,000. And after that we solved challenge questions. We used place value charts to help us TTH TH H T O and bar charts as well.

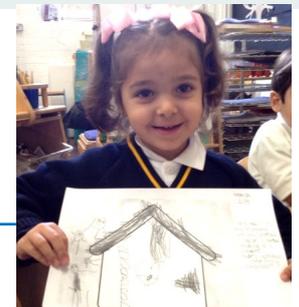
In science we are learning about space. We researched the Earth and space in books. We then wrote 3 facts we found from each book. We also shared our favourite fact with our learning peer such as, the moon is completely silent and the sun is actually a star.

In DT we are investigating moving toys. We then looked at different moving toys like merry go round, and drew some in our books. Then we labeled parts of the toys. After we wrote what we would like to make. And started to draft our final design.

In RE we are looking at the miracles of Jesus. The first miracle was in a wedding in Cana. Where Jesus turned water into wine. We talked about what the miracle teaches us about God. We looked at the theological definition of the word miracle. *By Sara and Sarah*

SPECIAL DATES

- **30th Sept - Macmillan Coffee Morning - 8:15am- 8:40am at school playground**
- **6th Oct - Harvest Festival - 2:00pm 3:00pm at St Cuthbert Church**
- **24th – 28th Oct - Half Term**



Maria YN "I drew my house with stairs in it. It also has a surprise, my two brothers and mum and dad."



Yafet YR "We made healthy pizzas. We put cheese, tomato sauce and pepper on top. It was scrumptious."



Year 4's Blog

Welcome to our fantastic blog!

In English we were recapping the Hare and the Tortoise story. We put the right punctuation on the dialogues. We also used powerful adjectives to make dialogue more exciting. We used words like shouted, replied, laughed, boasted and blasted instead of boring words like said. E.g. "Why don't we have a race?" suggested the Tortoise.

In Maths we are rounding up to the nearest 100. We used the 10s column to determine which way to go. We also did representing numbers in numerals and words. E.g. XXIX is 29 which we rounded up to 30. We then did some word and table problems of rounding up to the nearest hundred.

In Science we are exploring the five kingdoms of living things. They are plants, animals, fungi, protest and monera. We then sorted different living things into; is it a mammal?, does it have legs?, does it have a backbone? , does it live in water?, is it a crustacean? We also answered some questions on different skeletons. Some livings have an exoskeletons, which are skeletons on the outer body. Some examples, calms, ticks, spiders, scorpions and mites. We found out some facts about arachnids. Did you know they work together and like to go fishing. And ants can be spiders in disguise.

In RE we are learning about how Moses followed God's calling for his life. We found out that Moses's mum put baby Moses in a basket and let him float away on the river Nile. At the time Egyptians killed new born baby boys from the Israelite families, where they were enslaved. God called Moses to save his people from slavery in Egypt. We also learnt about what a vocation is. It's a dedication of life to serve God. E.g. a priest, a monk. *By Anand and Gabriel*



St Cuthbert with St Matthias CE School

HEADTEACHER'S LETTER

Dear St Cuthbert children and parents,

A huge thank you to those parents who attended class meetings over the past two weeks to meet class teachers and receive an update on routines for their year group. We look forward to working with you through the year to enable great learning for our pupils!

For those unable to attend these meetings, we hope that you will find useful information on your child's year group class page, on our school website.

With, at times, fairly lengthy letters from me in newsletters, I thought that this week it might make a pleasant change to let some photographs do the talking, giving you a chance to peep inside some of our classrooms. So here are some examples of Earth Hour learning in Y2, Y3, Y4 and Y5; the Y2 and Y5 book corner displays; Reception's 'All About Me' topic display; creatures on the Y3 DT display, and the class Y1 RE display.

Now, just before we head into our weekend, let's hear about the week from two of our Y2 pupils....

What have you enjoyed learning about this week?

Sonia: "English! Thinking about a magic place that doesn't exist..."

Soriyah: "Learning new words in Spanish!"

With best wishes for a restful weekend,

Gill Putterill and the St Cuthbert Teaching Team

"Imagination is more important than knowledge. For knowledge is limited to all we now know and understand, while imagination embraces the entire world, and all there ever will be to know and understand." Albert Einstein



Aziza Y3 *"In English I chose a creepy boarding school setting for my opening sentence of I'll Take you to Mrs Cole story. I chose it so I can use scary words like gargoyles, miserable, creepy."*



Alex Y1 *"In RE we are learning about creation. It means making, God made all of the world."*

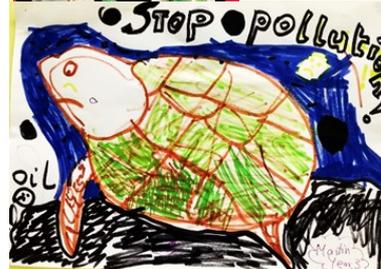
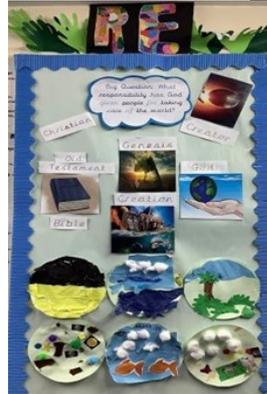


Good Samaritans

This week our Good Samaritans are, Bowan from Year 4 for constantly helping our new students, and Reception for showing kindness to each other and their teachers.



Neimah Y3 *"In Science we are learning about healthy eating and food categories like protein, fat and sugar, carbohydrates and dairy. We also sorted animal according to their diet. Lions are Carnivores, giraffes herbivores and humans are omnivores."*



Year 6's Blog



Welcome to Year 6s fantastic blog!

In English we have been reading a book named War Horse by Michael Morpurgo. We then concentrated on an extract and evaluated the language impact. We answered questions from the book. Perspective questions on how Joey the horse felt after he got separated from his mother in the auction ring. How did Joey find out Captain Nicholls was no longer with him. We then picked out key events in a narrative and rewrote a scene changing viewpoints of the narrative. Finally we wrote a narrative in the perspective of a German soldier. We wrote, "Today is my first battle. I hope this will only be a skirmish; I really want to make it home..."

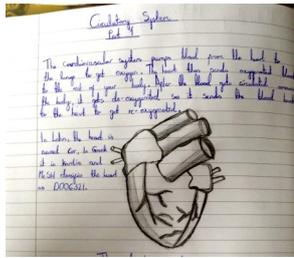
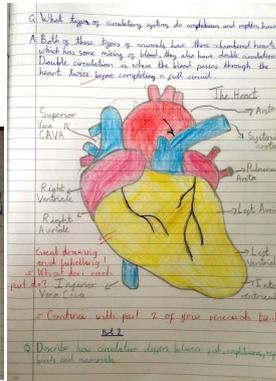
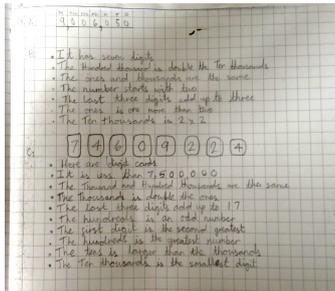
In maths we continue to learn about place values of each digit in a number. We also looked at portioning numbers up to ten million, which is a seven digit number. We then completed a task where we described and wrote digital numbers in words. EG: 9,060,050 is nine million sixty thousand and fifty is a seven digit number.

In Science we are learning about the circulatory system and the digestive system. The circulatory system pumps blood from the heart to the lungs to transport oxygen. The blood gets circulated more around the body and brings back the de-oxygenated blood back to the heart to get re-oxygenated. The heart pumps about 5 Litres or eight pints of blood. Around 115 thousand times a day continuously.

In PE we were playing French and English. The aim of the game is to take a ball and hit it to take a player out. You have to hit the player on the legs. It's a game like dodgeball, but there are two teams, and three dividing lines. Put an equal amount of the objects behind both baselines. Each team needs to aim to steal as many of the objects as possible, without getting caught. To steal an object the player must successfully make it to the other team's baseline without being tagged. Once they are there they can steal 1 object and release 1 captive teammate (if there are any). If the player is tagged while on the other teams half of the playing field, they are caught and must wait at the oppositions baseline until they are rescued.

Yesterday on our religious trip to St Cuthbert Church we were greeted by father James and he led us to the baptismal font. The baptismal font is where babies or adults get baptized. The water in the font contains salt and oil which the bishop blesses and makes. Rite of passage is a ceremony or ritual performed when entering a group. We also learnt that after you get baptized they make a cross on your head with the Chrism oil.

Thank you for reading our blog! By Simeon and Mark



Rheem Y1 "In English we retold *The Hungry Caterpillar Story*. We also stuck pictures to match with sentences from the story.



Sonia Y2 "In science we are learning living and never living things. Living things are plants, people and animals. Never living things are cars and buildings."

Wisaf Y2 "In Maths we are learning about place value in tens and ones. We also filled a number square up to 100."



Year 2 children went around the school on a hunt for vowels. Looks like they found a few!

This Week's Attendance

Class	Attendance
Y4	98.2%
Y6	97.2%
Y3	92.3%
Y5	91.7%
YR	90.6%
YN	90.0%
Y1	88.2%
Y2	86.2%
Total	92.6%





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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 Nathaniel For being a courteous friend to everyone in reception.
- Y1 Sizar For showing lots of enthusiasm when counting backwards.
- Y2 Wisaf For always being excited to take part in English lessons.
- Y3 Malak For excellent knowledge about nouns.
- Y4 Hannah For showing perseverance in maths when rounding up numbers.
- Y5 Terye For persevering in maths with numbers to 10,000! Also being a super help to his classmates and teachers.



**HOME LEARNERS OF THE
WEEK**

Congratulations to you all!

- YR Sophia For showing perseverance in home work club and trying so hard to count numbers to 20.
- Y1 Sofia For being a keen reader and reading everyday.
- Y2 Ezare For putting her best effort into her homework.
- Y3 Lias For reading daily and writing comments in his reading record.
- Y4 Lewis For creating an amazing comic strip about a fable.

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.

Second hand Uniform Sale

Second hand uniform will be available to buy from Monday 12th September. Please 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.

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!**

Puzzle time



Play a Tune



O	X	B	E	N	O	H	P	O	X	A	S
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K	C	J	Q	K	F	R	C	L	A	L	L
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Y	R	U	O	M	R	P	I	J	L	T	R
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| ACCORDION | HARMONICA | TRIANGLE |
| BANJO | HARP | TRUMPET |
| CELLO | MARIMBA | TUBA |
| CLARINET | ORGAN | XYLOPHONE |
| DRUM | PIANO | |
| FLUTE | RECORDER | |
| GUITAR | SAXOPHONE | |



Answer to last week's puzzle

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

C	N	I	K	P	M	U	A	B	B	N	O	M	E	L	X	B	K		
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| GOOSEBERRY | PIZZA |
| KEY LIME | POT |
| LEMON | PUMPKIN |
| MACADAMIA | QUICHE |
| MINCEMEAT | RHUBARB |
| MUD | SHOOFLY |
| QUALLIBERRY | STRAWBERRY |
| PEACH | SUGAR |
| PECAN | SWEET POTATO |

