



St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School

News & Updates

28.3.24



Easter – Rejoice & Remember

Christ has died. Christ is risen. Christ will come again.

Let us celebrate...

- ✓ A week of celebrating the most important time of the liturgical year that has been marked with Year 4, 5 & 6 leading us beautifully through the Stations of the Cross culminating in a tender re-enactment of the Passion Play by Year 3.
- ✓ It gave me such pride to have the opportunity to celebrate the 55 children who have achieved 100% attendance this term in addition to the 109 children who have been punctual each day they have attended.
- ✓ The spectacular Easter bonnet creations which our children paraded with pride not to mention pizzazz.
- ✓ Thank you to all of our families for supporting our Easter Bingo. Our PTA have our children at the heart of all of their fundraising events and must be thanked for the significant contribution they have made to our summer term trips which has reduced the cost significantly for all children.

Gospel Value Awards

After the Easter Holidays we will be introducing our weekly Gospel Value Awards which will be presented each week to children who demonstrate the values which Jesus teaches us through the Gospels.

At Cuthbert's, we focus each week on a Gospel Value which are fundamental values for our school and guide us in our Christian lives. These Gospel Values are based on what Jesus said, did and told us to do. They are at the root of Catholic social teaching and so, are at the heart of our school and everything we do. These values are shared with our children through Collective Worship and are reinforced through our teaching. By demonstrating and recognising these values in our daily lives, we can fulfil our school mission statement, 'as missionaries of our faith.'

Attendance

Our whole school attendance target is **97%**. We monitor attendance daily and are working together as a whole school community to ensure that we are aiming for our children to attend school **100%** of the time.

Attendance matters because our children matter to us.

	Weekly Attendance	Year to date
Reception	82.5%	90.2%
Year 1	96.6%	95.8%
Year 2	91.5%	91.9%
Year 3	95.8%	95%
Year 4	97.1%	96.4%
Year 5	97.9%	96.3%
Year 6	91.7%	94.7%
Total	93.3%	94.3%

Stars of the Week

I am proud to share with you our Stars of the Week. These children have been specially chosen for impressing their class teachers, inspiring their friends and by living out our School Motto.

Class	Star of the Week
2YO	Zahra
Nursery (am)	Misha
Nursery (pm)	Amara
Reception	Eva
Year 1	Matilda
Year 2	Ella
Year 3	Arden
Year 4	Destiny
Year 5	Heidi
Year 6	Jack

In love with Christ: Be the best I can. Be kind to one another. Amen

Save the Date

School Events

Event	Date	Time
PTA Coffee Morning	17.4.24	9am-10am
2YO & Nursery - Read with Me	17.4.24	11.15am-11.45am
Reception - Read with Me	17.4.24	2.45pm-3.15pm

Summer Uniform

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Early Years Summer Uniform	Y1 – Y6 Summer Girls Uniform	Y1 – Y6 Summer Boys Uniform
<ul style="list-style-type: none">- White polo shirt- Black shorts- Royal blue sweatshirt top with Foundation logo- Black school shoes or ALL black training shoes (with Velcro)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Royal blue gingham summer dress- Royal blue jumper or cardigan with school logo- Black school shoes or ALL black training shoes	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- Black shorts (optional) or black trousers- Royal blue jumper with school logo- White polo shirt- Black school shoes or ALL black training shoes

After Easter, the children are invited to wear their summer uniform. This is optional and is certainly not an expectation. We want our children to feel as comfortable as possible in school and the summer uniform is often preference, of both children and parents, as the weather improves.

Good Luck Mrs Lunt

After the Easter Holidays, Mrs Lunt will commence her maternity allowing her to prepare for the arrival of her second bundle of joy. Her baby is blessed to have such a loving family waiting for its arrival and so too will the little one be a blessing to them all.

We send Mrs Lunt, her husband and daughter all of our love, prayers and well wishes and look forward to celebrating the birth of their son or daughter with them.

Easter Wishes

May the risen Christ fill your hearts with joy, bring you new hope, and bless you with peace.

Wishing all of our children and families a happy Easter. xx

Staff Training Days

For your information and for family planning purposes, please see below the dates for the two remaining Staff Training Days.

Training Day 4: Thursday 2nd May 2024

Training Day 5: Monday 22nd July 2024

Please note – the choice for having a Training Day on Thursday 2nd May is due to our school being selected by LCC to be used as a polling station for the Local Elections. Safety for our school community is always a priority.

Twitter

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Website

Access our school website in order to access key information and updates about our school – StCuthberts.School

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