



# St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School



## News & Updates

4.10.24

### Gospel Value of the Week

#### **Compassion**

*"Therefore, as God's chosen people, holy & dearly loved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness & patience." Colossians 3:12*

### Gospel Value Awards

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.'

Class	Gospel Value Award
<b>2YO</b>	Matteo
<b>Nursery</b>	Misha
<b>Reception</b>	Ayaz
<b>Year 1</b>	Jacob
<b>Year 2</b>	Abielle
<b>Year 3</b>	Emily
<b>Year 4</b>	Aylin
<b>Year 5</b>	Joshua
<b>Year 6</b>	Elodie

### 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
<b>Reception</b>	96.7%	96.4%
<b>Year 1</b>	94.3%	93.8%
<b>Year 2</b>	97.6%	98.4%
<b>Year 3</b>	96%	95.1%
<b>Year 4</b>	94.8%	97.6%
<b>Year 5</b> ★	99%	98.5%
<b>Year 6</b>	93.2%	95.8%
<b>Total</b>	95.9%	96.5%

### 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
<b>2YO</b>	Liliana
<b>Nursery</b>	Ava
<b>Reception</b>	Sofia
<b>Year 1</b>	Mena
<b>Year 2</b>	Veronika
<b>Year 3</b>	Kyro
<b>Year 4</b>	Tyler
<b>Year 5</b>	Pragathi
<b>Year 6</b>	Ariah

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

## Weekly Safeguarding Focus

<https://stcuthberts.school/safeguarding-information/>

A reminder that safeguarding information is readily accessible via our school website. Information includes guidance, links and contact details for agencies who are able and willing to support in keeping our children and families safe.

### Let us celebrate ...

- ✓ We must thank our children, families, staff and governors for supporting our Book Fair last week. As a school community, we spent over £1000 on books. The Book Fair provided us all with the opportunity to purchase high quality texts and due to its success, Scholastics has gifted school with over £550 to purchase books for school. Our School Council will lead in making our school order – we are excited to see what genres they prioritise.
- ✓ Thank you to our Early Years families who have continued to support our Read with Me sessions this week. Our children are so enthused to share their learning environment and reading experiences with the adults they love. The impact is immeasurable.
- ✓ A huge congratulations to our Cross-Country Team for their highly impressive performance on home soil, at Newsham Park, this week. An extra special mention to Esther (Y6) who ran strategically with the goal of being awarded a medal & what a worthy bronze medallist she is!
- ✓ Our Year 5 & Year 6 boys had a unique sporting experience at the LSSP Quidditch event this afternoon. Mr Brophy couldn't have been more proud of how they applied themselves with confidence and enthusiasm, determined to achieve success. The boys had so much fun!

### Save the Date

Event	Date	Time
Cross Country at Stanley Park	8.10.24	3.15pm-5.30pm
Y6 Stay & Pray for families	9.10.24	2.45pm-3pm
Cross Country at Clarkes Gardens	14.10.24	3.15pm-5.30pm
Read with Me – 2YO & Nursery	16.10.24	11.15am-11.45am
Read with Me - Reception	16.10.24	2.45pm-3.15pm
Flu Vaccinations	21.10.24	All Day
October Half Term	24.10.24	3.15pm collection
Staff Training Day	25.10.24	



**Current balance: £148.94**

To support St Cuthbert's, all you have to do is opt-in through the **Asda** Rewards app, shop and scan in store or shop online at [Asda.com](https://www.asda.com)

You scan and Asda will donate £££s to our school. Please support us - all money raised will contribute towards enhancing provision for our children.

### X

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### Website

Access our school website in order to access key information and updates about our school – [StCuthberts.School](https://stcuthberts.school)

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