



# St Cuthbert's Catholic Primary School

## News & Updates

16.5.25



### Gospel Value of the Week

#### Reassurance

*'For God gave us a spirit not of fear but of power and love and self-control.'*

**2 Timothy 1:17**

### 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 children through our Celebration of the Word 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
2YO	Matteo
Nursery	Misha
Reception	Clara
Year 1	Leo
Year 2	Ivan
Year 3	Kyro
Year 4	Peter
Year 5	Joharbir
Year 6	Poppy

### 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	97%	92%
Year 1	97%	93.6%
Year 2	100%	96.7%
Year 3	98%	95.4%
Year 4	95.5%	95.3%
Year 5 ★	97.5%	97.5%
Year 6	99.7%	97.6%
Total	97.8%	95%

### 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	Liliana
Nursery	Hadeel
Reception	Alisa
Year 1	Noah
Year 2	Daniel
Year 3	Beatriz
Year 4	Sophia
Year 5	Destiny
Year 6	Blake

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

## Let us celebrate...

- ✓ Well done Year 6! A wonderful week whereby our Year 6 children have been shining brightly. They have taken their week of SATs in their stride and I couldn't have been more proud of how settled, focused and well prepared they have been. A heart-felt thank you to the Year 6 team who have instilled self-belief in our children. They clearly have the ability to tackle challenges whilst knowing that they are more than capable of achieving success.
- ✓ We are delighted to share with you that our new school minibus was delivered this week. This will enable us to further enhance the high quality educational and enrichment opportunities that our children have made available to them.
- ✓ Well done to our Y3 and Y4 children who have represented St. Cuthbert's at a sporting festival this week. They demonstrated good sportsmanship and excellent teamwork while exploring a variety of different sports challenges. We are so proud of you!

### Walk to School Week

To celebrate Walk to School Week, we are having a Whole School Walk to school from Newsham Park.

Children are invited to walk alongside their parent or carer to school with their teachers.

**Date: Tuesday 20th May**

**Time: 8:45am**

**Location: Newsham Park Cafe, Gardener's Drive, L67UN (opposite the Lake)**

For children who are unable to walk to school accompanied by parents or carers, Breakfast Club will be available in school as normal and there will also be members of staff onsite for children who are unable to walk to school with parents or carers.

### May Half Term

School will close for Half Term on  
Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 3.15pm

The final half term of the school year will commence  
on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June – learning will start at 8.45am

### Half Term – Dates for your Diary

Event	Date	Time
Walk to School Week	19.5.25	Mon-Fri
Penathlon New Age Kurling	19.5.25	10.30am-2.30pm
Y1 Stay & Pray	21.5.25	2.45pm-3pm
Kensington Palace Visit	22.5.25	All day
Y6 Sports Challenge	23.5.25	9am-3pm
<b>Half Term</b>		

Permission will be requested from parents & carers, by the member of staff organising an event, if your child is being requested to attend.

### PTA Events

Summer Fayre Preparation

Event	Date	Contribution
Own Clothes Day	23.5.25	Bottle Donations
Own Clothes Day	13.6.25	Hamper Donations
Own Clothes Day	20.6.25	Hamper Donations
Frozen Friday	27.6.25	50p
Frozen Friday	4.7.25	50p
Summer Fayre	16.7.25	NA

### X

Follow us on X to see photographs, celebrations and key announcements - @StCuthbertsPri

### Website

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

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