



St Cuthbert's R.C. First School Newsletter

In God's family, we love, we grow, we learn

Date: 11th September 2018

Head Teacher: Mrs Clare McGregor

Diary Dates

Thursday 13.09.18	Story&Song sessions start 2:15-2:45pm
Monday 17.09.18	Reception reading meeting for parents 2:30pm
Tuesday 25.09.18	Vision screening for Reception children
Wednesday 26.09.18	Class 3 storytelling workshop all day in school
Thursday 27.09.18	Year 4 & Reception friendship liturgy 9:10am Y4's meet up with other First Schools for Kielder prep.
Monday 01.10.18	Macmillan coffee morning 9-10am

Attendance Facts

- Children with 90% attendance (over the school year) are in school 171 out of 190 days.
- As few as 19 missed days over the school year reduces your child's chances of success.
- SATS (Year 2 & 6) and GCSE results could drop by one grade.

Help your child become a...



PLEASE DO NOT TAKE HOLIDAYS IN TERM TIME



Look out for the next edition of 'The Wednesday Word' It includes fun activities linked to Sunday's Gospel and we hope it's an opportunity for you all to spend a special weekly, 5 minutes Family Time together.



Our statement to live by this week is:
We are all special

Welcome back

We are all very impressed at how well the children have settled back in to school. We look forward to continuing our strong relations with all of you to make sure your child/ren make the best progress they can across the curriculum!

Attendance winners

Well done to all of our attendance winners from last term who had 100% from Easter until July;

Libby, Gracie, Jake, Ryan, Mark, Maja



– Fantastic!

Well done to **Miley** who had 100% for the whole year 2017-18 and received a goody bag– Amazing!

Elections 2018-2019

At the start of every school year each class holds elections for the positions of Spiritual and School Councillors. Part of this process is to teach the children about democracy and having their say in a vote. We are pleased to inform you of their decisions...

	<u>Spiritual Councillors</u>	<u>School Councillors</u>
Reception	Clara	Jesse & Isla
Year 1	Liam	Louisa & Lewis
Year 2	Abbie-Jay	Paige & Seace
Year 3	Dylan	Amelia & Arthur
Year 4	Cassie	Mark & Mabel

We then have the difficult decision of voting for Head Boy & Head Girl... This is certainly not easy! Again this year Mrs Thorpe asked the children who wanted to be considered to write a letter explaining why they would be good – these were excellent and made our decision even harder... I am pleased to announce that the Head Boy & Head Girl for 2018-19 are:

Lillia Laidlaw & Leo Gray

Congratulations to you both we know you will take your responsibility seriously and continue to be excellent role models to the rest of the children in St Cuthbert's.



We now hold the GOLD school games award!

A big THANKYOU to Miss Morton, all the staff, coaches & pupils who have helped us achieve this!

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