



**St Cuthbert Mayne**  
Catholic Junior School



Welcome to Year 5 Meet the Teacher  
with Miss Reed & Mrs Toms

# Staff teaching our class:



5 Mandela:  
Miss Reed

5 Einstein:  
Mrs Toms

Coach Emma (PE)

Mrs Foster (Music)

Mrs Wiles/Mrs Sattolo (Spanish)

Theo (Boxing)

Mrs Wheeler & Mrs Reynolds (Forest school)

# PE:



- 5M - PE & boxing on a Friday afternoon
- 5E - PE on a Monday afternoon & boxing on a Friday afternoon

- PE kits to be in school at all times
- Tracksuit will be needed soon for outdoor PE
- Please name all kit including trainers
- Sent home in half terms to be washed

After school clubs - Children can bring their own kit so PE kits can remain in school

# Swimming:

- 10 weeks of swimming lessons commencing Friday 15<sup>th</sup> September at Everyone Active.
- 5M: 10:00 – 10:30
- 5E: 10:30 – 11:00
- Swimming kit with:
  - Costume
  - Hat
  - Goggles
  - Towel

Year 5	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
RE	Ourselves - Created in the image of God Judaism Life Choices - Marriage, commitment and service Hope - Advent: Waiting in the joyful hope for Jesus, the promised one		Mission - Continuing Jesus' mission in diocese Memorial Sacrifice - Eucharist as the living memorial of Christ's sacrifice Sacrifice - Lent: a time of aligning with the sacrifice made by Jesus		Transformation - Celebration of the spirit's transforming power Freedom & Responsibility - Commandments enable Christians to be free & responsible Stewardship - The Church is called to the stewardship of Creation	
English	Grammar focus: sentence structure and punctuation  Cosmic: Narrative Explanation text (day and night)	Mirror of wishes: Poetry  How to train your dragon: Setting description & non-chronological report	Hamlet: Agony aunt letter & newspaper report	Street Child: character descriptions	My Secret War Diary: setting descriptions & diary entries	Balanced Arguments
Maths	Decimal fractions, Money Negative numbers Short multiplication/division		Area and Scaling Calculaion with decimal fractions Factors, multiples and primes		Fractions Converting units Angles	
Science	Earth and space	Forces	Properties and changes of materials	Living things and habitats	Animals including humans	Health education
Computing	Computing systems and networks: Search engines	Programming 1: Music	Data Handling: Mars Rover 1 (+ONLINE SAFETY)	Programming 2: Micro:bit	Creating media: Stop Motion animation	Skills Showcase: Mars Rover 2
PE	Swimming Football	Swimming Netball/Lacrosse	Gymnastics Hockey	Dance Indoor Athletics	Athletics Striking Games	Athletics Tennis

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DT		Mechanical systems: Making a pop-up book		Digital world: Monitoring devices		Cooking and nutrition: Bread making
Art	Drawing: Firework artwork and self-portrait  Hundertwasser		Print-making		3D form	
Geography		Scandinavia			Rivers	
History	Vikings and the Anglo-Saxon struggle		The Victorians			
MFL	Phonetics I am learning Sp	Animals	Instruments	I know how...	Fruits	Ice-Creams
Music	Samba	Minimalism	Drumming	Boomwhackers 2	Music of the Far East	Poems

# Reading expectations and processes:

- Children should be reading at home between 4 and 5 times a week for approximately 20 minutes
- Reading records will be checked weekly on a Monday. Please ensure you have checked your child's reading record and signed it
- Children can fill in their own reading records but they must be signed by an adult

# Homework:



- Maths and English homework will be set Friday to Friday
- All homework will be set on Google classroom
- The children will either be expected to complete their homework online or in their HW books. This will be made clear on Google classroom
- Could focus on:
  - Reading comprehension (Cracking comprehension)
  - Grammar and punctuation
  - RE
  - Topic
  - Science



# Spellings



- We are continuing to use the 'Read, Write Inc' spelling scheme this year
- Children will be given opportunities to practise in class, but they will also need to practise these at home (sent home in their spelling logs)
- 5M test date - Fridays
- 5E test day - Tuesdays

# Behaviour:



- STEPs - Therapeutic approach
- Educational consequences
- Parental support

# Communication

If urgent:

- Reading record
- Call to the office
- Teacher on the playground
- Staff on the gate

Please avoid emails as it is likely to take longer.

# Google Classroom:



- Google Classroom APP
- Turn on notifications to enable you to monitor homework and any feedback given by the teacher
- Will be used for:
  - Homework
  - Any updates
  - Reminders/Messages

# School calendar:



Events

School Calendar

## Events for September 2021

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
30	31	1 Inset Day	2 Autumn term Begins	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14 5 Mandela Swimming Lessons	15 5 Einstein Swimming Lessons	16	17 Welcome Mass, 10.30am	18	19
20	21 5 Mandela Swimming Lessons	22 5 Einstein Swimming Lessons	23 Meet the Teacher, 7pm	24	25	26
27	28 5 Mandela Swimming Lessons	29 5 Einstein Swimming Lessons	30	1	2	3

# Dates for the diary:

- Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February 2024 - Hitchin Victorian school
- Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2024 - Hazard Alley
- Date TBC (Summer term) - Local fieldwork study to the River Gade

# What we need from you:

- Support with Homework
- Listening to your child read
- Asking them questions about what they are reading
- Making sure books are age appropriate (variety of genres)
- All clothing and equipment to be named clearly
- Morning snack
- Lunch menu
- Forest school



# Questions



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# Thank you



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