

We learn and pray, in faith and love



St Kentigern's
R.C Primary School

17.3.2023

Happy St. Patrick's Day!

St. Kentigern's has celebrated St. Patrick's Day in its usual manner, with singing, dancing and assemblies. Thank you to Year 6 who delivered a wonderful assembly teaching us the story of St. Patrick and reciting prayers in Irish. We hope you all had a wonderful St. Patrick's Day.



STEM Week

This week is British Science week and St Kentigern's STEM week. The children have been completing special Science lessons to reflect this. They have also had a variety of visitors to school to talk about their careers in STEM. A Mad Scientist visited to explain some of the important scientific discoveries of the last 2000 Years, Dr. Laura O'Brien spoke to Year 5 about her work on the flu vaccine, Dr Araida Hidalgo-Bastidais a Senior Lecturer in Regenerative Medicine and Life Scientist spoke to KS2 about her work in creating prosthetics which will grow with the human body, Hannah Lynn a software engineer who was selected as a Google Women Techmaker Ambassador in 2022 for her volunteer work spoke to Year 4 about her work designing websites, Lucie Grant, who is Vice-President and General Counsel at Dura Line, spoke to Year 6 about her work for STEM companies throughout her career and Katie Moran, an MRI scientist wowed our Year 1s with scans of different fruits.

A very special thank you to Mr Edifor who spoke to our Year 2's about how computers are made!



Right of the week

Article 17 Access to Information

Every child has the right to reliable information from the media. This should be information that children can understand. Governments must help protect children from materials that could harm them.

Spotlight on Reading

As we all know, reading fluently is a vitally important skill for all children but it is also a wonderful hobby to have. This week, Mrs Mort and Niah have shared their favourite book and favourite author.

Readers of the week

Staff	Student
	
Name: Mrs Mort	Name: Niah
Job: Teacher	Class: Year 6 Sycamore
Currently reading: Sky Song by Abi Elphinstone	Currently reading: Sky Circus by Petr Bunzl
Favourite book: The House with Chicken Legs by Sophie Anderson	Favourite book: The Wolf Wilder by Katherine Rundell
Favourite author: Katherine Rundell	Favourite author: Petr Bunzl
Why I enjoy reading: Reading is a great way to relax. It calms my mind after a busy day!	Why I enjoy reading: I enjoy reading because it transports you to another world!

Digital Art Club

Thank you to our Digital Art experts who created these wonderful CAFOD posters.



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Message from Fr. Michael

ST. PATRICK'S BREASTPLATE: PRAYER FOR PROTECTION

Christ with me, Christ before me, Christ behind me, Christ in me, Christ beneath me, Christ above me, Christ on my right, Christ on my left, Christ when I lie down, Christ when I sit down, Christ when I arise, Christ in the heart of every man who thinks of me, Christ in the mouth of everyone who speaks of me, Christ in every eye that sees me, Christ in every ear that hears me.

With continued best wishes,

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Mrs Muldoon

Headteacher