

St. Aidan's Stars Bullotin

In the Love and Truth of Jesus we grow



Welcome back! What a hectic first week it has been; there's been so much going on in school. I've loved seeing all of the children completing some new topic work and activities. Well done to our Under 9 footballers who won the Northumberland Catholic Schools' Cup this afternoon. I have been speaking to Fr Shaun and it has been a little disappointing that Mass attendance from some of our Holy Communicants has dropped off since their big day. It would be lovely to have some of them there more often after the commitment they made this year.

Have a lovely weekend! Mr Moran.

Class News

Seedlings – This week we have been learning about The Rainbow Fish, talking about how to be a good friend and how we are all special, no matter our differences.

Saplings – This week our focus story has been The Rainbow Fish. We have also been amazing at identifying odd and even numbers.

Sycamores – This week we have enjoyed learning about The Great Fire of London in History. We have also mastered halves and quarters in Maths!

Poplars – This week we have been learning and writing reports about the Titanic.

Maples – This week we have created some fantastic artwork based on 'The Great Wave.'

Elms – This week we have written persuasive adverts on healthy eating.

Hawthorns – This week, Hawthorns have worked hard to include literary devices such as show not tell and amplification in their writing.

Chestnuts – This week we have been writing some fantastic narratives based on the film 'Alma.'



Our fantastic award winners this week – given for lots of wonderful things, please ask why if your child was a winner.

Attendance

Saplings - 90.33% Sycamores - 91.38% Poplars - 97.67% Maples - 90.91% Elms - 96.47% Hawthorns - 92.50% Chestnuts - 96.76%

Poplars make a resurgent return to the attendance trophy after a long spell without a win. Could they be staging a late comeback to take the overall trophy for the third time?!?!

There are far too many special mentions to list this week! Well done to everyone who stood up in assembly to share your achievements.