



# St Cuthbert Mayne Catholic Primary School



## Year 4 information

### Welcome to Year 4

#### School uniform

We have been delighted to see how smart the children have been looking. Please ensure that you follow the school uniform policy and all items of uniform are labelled.

#### PE

We have two PE sessions each week, although we do ask that all children have their PE kit in school everyday in case of changes to the timetable.

Our P.E days are Monday and Friday. Children need one pair of training shoes for their outdoor lessons. Indoor lessons are dance and gym, the children do not need footwear for these lessons.

#### Water

We are encouraging the children to drink of plenty of water. Please could each child bring a named water bottle to school each day to ensure that they have access to water throughout the day.

#### Pencil cases

Children are allowed pencil cases in Year 4 however they are not necessary as pens and pencils are provided. Please ensure that pencil cases are small enough to fit in a tray.

#### Home learning

In Year 4 the expectation is that the children will have home-learning twice a week. This will be consolidation of the learning they have been doing. The children will spend about 20 minutes on their tasks and where possible this should be independent. English/Topic related tasks will be set on Thursday to be returned on the following Monday and My Maths will be set on Friday to be completed by the following Tuesday. Also this term we will be sending home a Home Learning Grid which will consist of a range of topic related activities to complete. The first piece will be due in on Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October.

#### Reading

The children will have the opportunity to use the school and class libraries each week. Please ensure that they have their reading book in school with them each day. We will be doing Guided Reading in class. We will continue using the red reading records until they are finished then we will record home reading in our home learning diary.

#### Parent help

If you are free to help on school trips or in the school, please inform the office.