

St Matthew's News

November 2019

HEAD TEACHER'S MESSAGE

As the weather gets colder and we move into one of the most important times in the Christian calendar, we celebrate the vibrant atmosphere of research and learning at St Matthew's. We have an open door policy, so parents do feel free to join us in school. I also ask that continue to pray for our teachers, as we strive to deliver the very best education for your children.



What a stringcredible performance!



Music filled the assembly hall on Wednesday 27th November, as a quartet of Year 11 string musicians serenaded us, with a variety of classical tunes.

The Stringcredible performance was a mix of special arrangements, stories, projected visuals and lots of interactive activities.

This was an amazing experience for our children and was enjoyed by all.

HARVEST ASSEMBLY



Thank you to Year 4 for presenting a lovely harvest assembly.

A big thank you to our St Matthew's community for donating food. David Fletcher, from our local food bank, was in attendance and expressed heartfelt gratitude, on behalf of the families it would support.

Thank you again and well done Year 4!



Monday 18th November was the first inter-house day, held at St Matthew's and it was all about raising money for Children in Need.

The house captains worked together to plan a fantastic day of giving, sports and lots of cake and it was a truly an amazing day!

A big thank you to the house captains, children and our amazing St Matthew's community . We raised a massive £495.

and the winning house was **LEWIS!** .

Go Team St Matthew's!



This November, St Matthew's has welcomed over 300 teachers and educators to our school.

The hall was buzzing with the sound of talk about Reading and RE.

Inspirational ideas and thoughtful thinking permeated throughout every room.

Well done St Matthew's!



November's whole school attendance is **98.6%**.

The classes with the **best attendance** are

Year 2 and Year 5 with 99%

The class with the **best punctuality** is

Year 2