



St John Vianney Catholic School Newsletter

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"Everything we can be, with Christ in our hearts."



Happy New Year!

Welcome to 2019 everyone – I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and that you enjoyed your time with family and friends.

We have had a great week, with children busily settling into their new topics and routines.

We marked the start of term today with a mass; Fr. Joe, as always, gave us plenty to think about and reflect on.

The key message was the most powerful from the Gospels: love one another, as I have loved you.

Our theme of Community fits perfectly with this, and Fr. Joe shared a fitting poem to help us think about the year ahead. Have a great weekend!

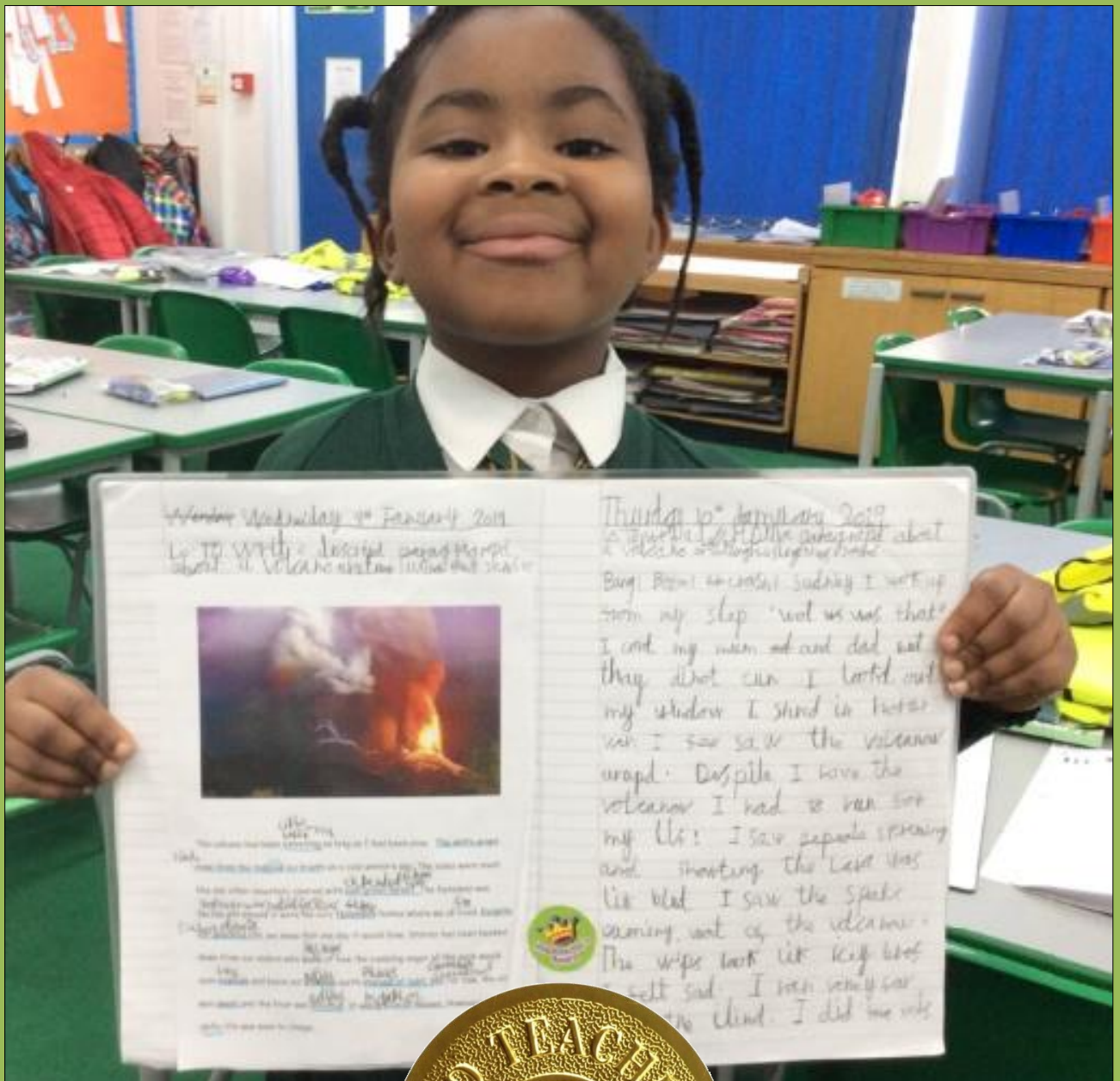


Poem for the New year

Lord, in this new year which we have begun,
may we have enough happiness to keep us agreeable,
enough trials to keep us strong,
enough sorrow to keep us human,
enough freedom to keep us happy,
enough failure to keep us humble,
enough success to keep us eager,
enough wealth to meet our needs,
enough faith to banish depression,
enough hope to look forward,
enough love to give us comfort,
And enough determination to keep going.

Making a great start to 2019

This superstar learner is rightly proud of her efforts – she has put in monumental effort into her writing and embodies all that we ask of our children: be everything that you can be! Be like her this year!



Reminders and Notices

School Uniform

- Please ensure that your child comes to school in appropriate school uniform. We are again seeing a growing number, in particular, in non-uniform shoes.

Shoes must be plain black, with no other colours or logos.

Boots are not standard uniform and must not be worn.

Dates

Key Dates:

- Jan 17th – Census day
- Jan 21st – Class 4 Westminster trip
- Jan 23rd – SATs Information Evening for year 2 and year 6 parents
- Jan 29th – Height/Weight checks for Reception and year 6
- Feb 1st – Year 2 Class assembly
- Feb 4th – Year 5 Tudor Day
- Feb 14th – Class 4 Roman Day
- Feb 15th – Class Assembly, Friends' Valentine's Cake Sale
- **Feb 18th to Feb 22nd – Half Term**
- Feb 26th – Parent / Teacher Consultations
- Feb 28th - Parent / Teacher Consultations
- Mar 1st – Class 1 Assembly
- Mar 5th – Daniel Morden (Storyteller) Visit
- Mar 6th – Ash Wednesday Service @ SJV
- Mar 7th – World Book Day
- Mar 15th Class 3 Assembly
- Mar 29th – Class 4 Assembly
- **Apr 5th – Last day of term (1:15pm finish)**