





St John Vianney Catholic Primary School

Seeking Growth Together through Jesus

Executive Headteacher: Dr Elaine Allen Head of School: Mrs Clare Evans

Welcome to Year 2.

This is a non-stop year with plenty to do!! We have two experienced teachers alongside two wonderful Teaching Assistants who bring a wealth of phonics knowledge to their role as well as an experienced Key Stage Higher-Level Teaching Assistant (HLTA). We follow the Ruth Miskin Read Write Inc Reading programme for English. Once the children have completed the programme they will then go into a Literacy class in which they read books such as The Twits, Lighthouse Keepers Lunch, The Hodgeheg and many more. For Maths, we use the White Rose scheme of work, this has a very hands on approach to Maths with plenty of repetition so it is embedded. Our History topics include The Great Fire of London, Florence Nightingale and the Plague, the children will be writing a diary extract like Samuel Pepys as well as acting out scenes from the Plague, 'Bring out the dead!'. For Geography the children will continue to look at what they did in Year 1 – The Continents and Oceans, naming the 7 continents and 5 oceans as well as looking at a famous explorer – Marco Polo. Music, PSHE, handwriting, Read Write Inc spelling book, PE, Art, Design and Technology complete our timetable!! Any questions or queries please let your teachers now and they will be happy to help.



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