



**St Nicolas and St Mary Church of England
Voluntary Aided Primary School**

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Dear Children

Since the beginning of this term, we have sent lots and lots of letters, emails and messages to your parents so we thought it was about time we sent a letter especially for you.

We are actually a little sad that we are sending this because as much as we enjoy writing to you, we would much prefer that we could speak to you all together in school. Unfortunately, that cannot be the case now, though every day is a day nearer when we can get every single one of you back together in class with your friends and teachers.

For some of you, coming back into school after Christmas has been rather strange with new teachers, a lot smaller classes and children from the 'other class' sat in your classroom! You have managed brilliantly and it has been great to hear from the grown-ups in school about how hard you are working and managing the change.

For our children who, for now, are working from home- we could not be prouder of how well you have engaged and enjoyed our google classrooms (or evidence me for our youngest children). We know it is not easy to be working at home (remember be nice to your mums and dads who are trying their best to be home teachers!) but you have been amazing in sending in work, joining in with the meets/chats and getting stuck in to being a home based learner.

Whether you are learning at home or at school- we are still part of the spectacular St Nic's team!! A parent very kindly sent in a 'Gold Star' to the school to say thank you for what we have done over the last 2 weeks. It was an incredibly kind thing to do (if it was you mum or dad say a big thank you from us) however it should really go to every single one of our St Nic's children. **You are our gold stars!!**



So, let's all continue, on our slightly different, ***Journey Together, Guided by God to do the BEST we can!***

With love from

All of us at St Nic's