

Future Aspirations

By the time our pupils leave St Vincent's VC Academy, we want to ensure that they have been provided with a wealth of opportunities that will support their personal development and open their eyes to what they could achieve in their lives. At St Vincent's we will provide pupils with opportunities to:

- Step forward and take the lead to organise something which is important to them and make a positive difference to others.
- Develop their confidence through public speaking, performing or competing against others.
- Have meaningful experiences linked to workplaces, universities, colleges, employers. Interact with professionals to help them shape future dreams and aspirations that have no limits.
- Open their inquisitive minds by visiting galleries, museums, theatres, live sporting events, ballets, operas, the seaside, historic sights, local wonders and our capital city, London.
- Build their own personal libraries and love of reading, this will be started by buying, reading, reviewing and sharing books which have been purchased with a World Book Day voucher.
- Use devices to safely access the virtual world and learn how to code, communicate and learn with students from across the country and the world
- Develop many skills and talents and take advantage of support to excel in swimming, sport, riding a bike, learning a musical instrument or communicating in another language.
- Building toolkits for life by learning first aid, map reading, gardening, money management and cooking skills.
- Help change the world by getting involved in an environmental project which makes our planet greener.
- See the world from other people's points of view by experiencing different cultures, tasting different foods, listening to and debating difficult ideas, visiting religious buildings and exploring different faiths and beliefs.
- Showing kindness and compassion and making a difference to others by participating in a charity, social action or community project which supports people in my local community.

