

Competition 2.1: Volcanoes & mass extinction

The Earth is suffering a sort of mass extinction right now, and many species are in grave danger of extinction. It is often called the '6th mass extinction', and unlike earlier mass extinctions, it is the result of human activities. How similar do you think the causes of this 6th extinction are to the effect of volcanoes in the pre-human past?

How to enter

1. Complete your competition entry and make sure it follows the guidelines listed below
2. Fill out the [Competition Cover Sheet](#)
3. Email your entry and your cover sheet to us at inspire@sjc.ox.ac.uk

Terms & Conditions

1. You must complete the [Competition Cover Sheet](#) and submit it along with your entry to inspire@sjc.ox.ac.uk before the closing date. If we do not receive a completed cover sheet with your entry, we will NOT be able to consider the entry.
2. The competition closes at **5pm on Monday 24 February 2020**. Once you submit your entry you will receive an automated confirmation that your entry has been submitted.
3. The work you submit must be entirely your own and may not exceed 500 words. If you submit work that is longer than 500 words, only the first 500 words will be considered.
4. Competition winners will be contacted via email about a week after the competition's closing date. The following prizes will be awarded:
 - a. 1st place: £20 Amazon gift voucher, entry listed on Inspire Digital
 - b. 2nd place: £10 Amazon gift voucher, entry listed on Inspire Digital
 - c. Top 5 entries: entry listed on Inspire Digital