



Y6 LEAVERS SPECIAL EDITION

ST. MARY'S CE PRIMARY SCHOOL, PUTNEY

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Amelie



Reflections: I'm not sure why I remember this but in Year 3, Bibi said to Miss Barrett that her grandpa told her not to put her peas with the mashed potato because they should never mix! I also remember at Sayer's Croft we went crazy walking up Pitch Hill. I will remember St Mary's for the crazy friends and cool teachers. I will definitely miss it but as the quote goes, 'Don't be disappointed it's over, be happy because it happened.' Dr Seuss

Ambitions: I would really like to develop my art and maybe become an artist. I would like to work at GCHQ but I'm not keen on staring at a screen all day. I may also like to be an actress.

Teachers' comments: Amelie will be best remembered for; her vivacious and excitable nature, her love of the Arts and those fabulous quick mental calculation skills!

Secondary School: Godolphin and Latymer

Ananya



Reflections: St Mary's has been a journey. I have travelled through bright, sunny days and cloudy storms. When close to the shore and the waves were too big, I fixed my boat with the help of teachers and friends and made it stronger. I don't know what the next journey will have in store but I feel prepared for anything. I loved it when it was my birthday twice in a row at Sayer's Croft. Everyone, including the teachers made it truly unforgettable.

Ambitions: When I grow up I would love to go into politics and be Prime Minister. I would also like to write and publish a book and raise awareness for people with disabilities and rights for women. If politics doesn't work out, I would like to go into Law, especially for disadvantaged children.

Teachers' comments: Ananya will be remembered for her extraordinary spirit, her strong determination and her desire for political dominance in the future!

Secondary School: Putney High School

Joseph



Reflections: My reflections of St Mary's will always be of how supportive the teachers were and how easy it was to make new friends. I will always remember in Year 4 Cycling Club when we were doing a slow race to see who could turn quickest. I ended up falling off (embarrassing) and I thought everyone would laugh but they didn't (happy face).

Ambitions: I would like to be a scientist or an engineer in the future.

Teachers' Comments: Joseph will be remembered for; his remarkable intelligence, his kind politeness and those incredible magic skills – how did he do it? WINNER OF HAS YEAR 6 GOT ANY TALENT 2019 SHOW!

Secondary School: St Paul's School

Olly



Reflections: I remember in Y4 when we went to Cadbury World and we were given so much chocolate and at lunch we all started counting our chocolate bars to save them for later. I also remember in Nursery when we got to go to the Reception class playground at lunch and play with the toy cars. I would like to thank St Mary's for 8 years of teaching and fun. It has been a truly fantastic journey.

Ambitions: I would like to be something to do with sport or maybe an explorer but I like to be open to all possibilities.

Teachers' Comments: Olly will be remembered for; his artistic flair, amiable nature and incredible kindness to others – including his teacher!

Secondary School: Whitgift

Max



Reflections: I remember in Year 2 when we had to eat lunch really quickly because we would play cricket and everyone wanted to bat so they would rush and then we would always have a massive argument. I also remember playing a game called Dizzy Dummies and you had to spin around 20 times and then try and make each other fall over. We always ended up with a massive headache! My time at St Mary's has been an amazing adventure and I'm sad it has ended.

Ambitions: I would love to become an engineer or an architect. If that doesn't work out, I would like to be a police officer or a lawyer.

Teachers' Comments: Max will be remembered for; his positive and happy outlook on life, his sporting prowess and his respect for the world around him.

Secondary School: Whitgift

Bibi



Reflections: I remember Sayer's Croft for two specific reasons. We had walked up and down Pitch Hill and still we were talking! The instructor said he had never had a chattier class! The very next day we went on a walk with mirrors, I discovered that Mr Lett had put a packet of Minstrels in my boot but sadly it was empty! I have been at St Mary's for 8 years now. When I look back it makes me smile, giggle, and occasionally cringe. I have loved this school and will never forget it.

Ambitions: When I grow older I would really like to be successful at something. If I had to pick an occupation then I think I would enjoy being a doctor, a lawyer or an artist.

Teachers' comments: Bibi will be remembered for; her sunny and mature outlook on life, her strong sense of right and wrong and her determination to succeed.

Secondary School: Lady Eleanor Holles

Callum



Reflections: I remember in Year 4, Daniel and I were singing 'Three Lions' on the day of England Vs Columbia. On my first day, I saw Adam and I felt a huge sigh of relief and from then on I have had so much fun here. This school has been amazing every day.

Teachers' comments: Callum will be remembered for; his quirky sense of humour, his resilience and hard work and of course his LOVE of all things related to football – maybe not Manchester United though?

Secondary School: The Fulham Boys School

Coral



Reflections: I remember in Year 3 when it was our first time going in to what we called 'the big end' and a few people decided to make a ceremony out of it including me. As soon as we crossed over the line, we started to cheer! I have loved many moments throughout my time at St Mary's and couldn't have asked for a better school. I am very grateful for all the opportunities that St Mary's has given me, for example, going to the O2 with Young Voices.

Ambitions: I hope to get in to the football, hockey and netball teams at my new school. It is a bit ambitious but I would like to play a wider range of sports. With regard to a future career, I would like to be a fashion designer.

Teachers' comments: Coral will be remembered for; her quiet resilience and courage, her amazing skills as a dancer/choreographer/artist/environmentalist the list goes on... and of course her modesty and kindness.

Secondary School: Surbiton High School

Francesca



Reflections: I remember in Reception it was Mrs Davidson's first year at the school and I gave her a hard time! I was at the arts and crafts table cutting a piece of paper and accidentally cut my finger (luckily I didn't cut it all the way through). At first I didn't notice but when Mrs Davidson brought us all to the carpet she said "Is that red pen or blood Francesca?" I was then quickly taken to hospital by another teacher! I also remember the first day in Reception where we had some new comers. I saw Emelia and she looked very lost. I immediately went over to help her and we have been best friends ever since. I have made so many unforgettable friendships here and will never forget my 8 years at St Mary's.

Ambitions: I would like to be an actress or singer on stage or TV shows. I would also like to be a fashion designer.

Teachers' comments: Francesca will be remembered for; her confidence and love of the limelight (in a very good way!), her ability to give anything a 'good shot' and her positive spirit – innit!

Secondary School: Ibstock Place

Adam



Reflections: My favourite memory was when two people in the playground started dancing the Macarena. The whole school then joined in and we got to have extra play! St Mary's has been a great school where everyone is really kind, it is just the best.

Ambitions: I am not exactly sure what I want to be when I'm older but I wouldn't mind being a police officer or a football commentator.

Teachers' comments: Adam will be remembered for; his kind and charming nature, his strong determination and of course his fantastic musical abilities! A performance at the Royal Albert Hall one day maybe?

Secondary School:
Saint Cecilia's Church of England School

Ines



Reflections: My time at this school has been amazing. I remember playing on the floor laughing when playing with my friends. I remember the 2018 and 2019 Fifa World Cups and how everyone would be singing "Three Lions". Sayer's Croft was an incredible experience and I will never forget the view from the top of Pitch Hill. I am very glad I was part of the Bicentennial too and thoroughly enjoyed the celebration. I will never forget my 7 years at St Mary's. Everyone from the teachers and staff to the pupils are what makes this place so special.

Ambitions: I don't know what career I would like to have. I could discover new things at secondary school that I really love or I could go off my current passions. I will try to keep an open mind about my future career. I may be a footballer, football coach, vet or literally anything else. I would love to be a footballer though.

Teachers' comments: Ines will be remembered for; being a fantastic team player, for being sociable and mature and always trying her best whether on the sporting field or in the classroom!

Secondary School: Godolphin and Latymer

Gonzalo



Reflections: St Mary's helped me so much when I first came to England. The teachers made it a lot easier for me to get through all the lessons and to learn the language. I remember the great time we had at trips like Sayer's Croft especially when we did orienteering and Daniel and I stayed in the rain while everyone was in the hut. I also enjoyed Cadbury World in Year 4 and the great roller coaster cinema. I also liked the science topic and investigator topic in year 5 and the brilliant workshops at the end.

Ambitions for the future: I really do not know what I would like to do when I'm older but I think I would like to be an architect or engineer.

Teachers' comments: Gonzalo will be best remembered for; his love for new adventures, his creativity and enthusiasm and his wonderful ability to make the most of every situation he finds himself in.

Secondary School: Scandinavian School of Spain - Madrid

George



Reflections: I remember in Year 5 we were writing in groups and I was reading my writing aloud to my group and I said, "some Dettol I buttered" instead of, "some devil I stuttered"! Everybody laughed. I have enjoyed my time at the school as the teachers are always trying to make it as fun as possible.

Ambitions: I would like to be a chef because then I would know how to make good food.

Teachers' comments: George will be remembered for; his kindness and gentleness, his resilient attitude to learning (which has seen him do so well) and of course that smile that he always seems to have – even on a bad day!

Secondary School: Kew House School

Isobel



Reflections: When I was in Nursery, we did a competition about growing runner beans and we all got really involved with making them grow the most. I also remember enjoying Cycling Club and always making the courses too small with chalk and doing the race the slowest which made it difficult not to fall off. I think that St Mary's is more than a school and I would like to thank all the teachers who have taught me along the way. I say that it is more than a school because you learn so much more than just Maths and English.

Ambitions: When I'm older, I would like to be a scientist or an illustrator of books because I enjoy focusing and drawing.

Teachers' comments: Isobel will be best remembered for; always being so inquisitive and curious about life in and out of the classroom, always making the most of every opportunity offered and the ability to balance great determination and drive with thoughtfulness and respect for others.

Secondary school: Godolphin and Latymer

Salik



Reflections: Year 4 and Year 6 were my favourite years in St Mary's. We got to stay at Sayer's Croft for 3 whole days which was a lot of fun. There is nothing to be afraid of in Year 6, it just gets better and although the work gets harder, you will get through it. I have felt really comfortable and welcome at St Mary's and the teachers really care and motivate you. It has been a lovely experience of primary school.

Ambitions for the future: My ambition is to become an artist as my favourite subjects are art and history.
Teachers' comments: Salik will be best remembered for; his strong sense of justice, his amazing ability to navigate the PowerPoint and music technology when helping with Assemblies (thank you so much!!) and his kindness and respect for others.

Secondary School:
Ashcroft Technology Academy



Duru



Reflections: I enjoyed my time at St Mary's, especially the week that I was the school leader. I started in Year 4 and I enjoyed my time at the school. I made some good friends and we will be together in secondary school, which makes me happy.

Ambitions for the future: I want to be creative in the future and would like to be an author, a filmmaker, an artist or anything creative would suit me. I'm the mad hatter!

Teachers' comments: Duru will be best remembered for; her bright smile, her inspiring technology skills (some amazing inventions were shared with the class over the years) and those fantastic dancing skills – witnessed by us all at Sayers Croft Disco!
Secondary School:

Ashcroft Technology Academy

Daniel



Reflections: I've been at St Mary's for eight years and I've learnt how to speak English in nursery to algebra in Y6. I also have so many great memories. One lunchtime in Y5, the flapjack was impossible to break, so, Oliver F decided to help me and he accidentally broke the bow! I also remember my first bicycle kick in football, and I scored! My friends were so happy they jumped on me. Also when we did the Y2 play I was 'Eddie the Penguin' – who was the main character. St. Mary's is a perfect school - it can't get better. I've met lots of good friends and great teachers here, it's like a second home and I will always think of it as a very special place.

Ambitions: I would love it so much if I could be a footballer, but if that doesn't work out, a basketball player or an actor.

Teachers' comments: Daniel will be best remembered for; his genuine compassion and kindness for all, the ability to light up a room (TV show!) with his smile and natural enthusiasm and his promising business entrepreneurship skills – another Second Hand Uniform Champion!

Secondary School: Saint Cecilia's Church of England School

WHERE ARE Y6 GOING?

Alec



Reflections: I have been in St Mary's for eight years and I can remember, when I was two, picking up my big sister from reception. I can remember nursery where I played Power Rangers with my friends even though I had never watched the show, they went around saying what character they were and I just said, 'I'm Alec!' Another thing that was really fun was the WW2 topic in Year 6 because it was very interesting. St Mary's has been a huge part of my life- it's prepared me well for the next bit of my education. I am sad to leave but also excited to move on.

Ambitions: To expand my horizons, let's see where that takes me...

Teachers' comments: Alec will be best remembered for; his clever and sometimes(!) very funny one liners, his love of historical facts and his care and consideration for others.

Secondary School: The Fulham Boys School

Elodie



Reflections: I began St Mary's in Y3 and I have made many memories and friendships since. However, one of my memories was when I first joined we did the Just Dance Space activity and I remember standing there motionless, staring at everyone wondering if it was normal! Anyway, I eventually joined in and started laughing a lot. I will always think of St Mary's as a place of happy memories and friendship.

Ambitions: There's a lot to think about doing in the future, but I know I want to travel, and I also think I want to have a job that helps the world and the people and animals in it. I think going to university would also be an option, maybe studying art, English or history.

Teachers' comments: Elodie will be remembered for; her ever increasing intelligence, her quiet determination, the enthusiasm she has for laughing and joking with friends and..... of course having the very unusual nickname – Eggie!

Secondary School: Lady Eleanor Holles

Emelia



Reflections: I have really enjoyed my seven years at St Mary's. I still remember my very first day, Francesca came up to me and asked me if I needed help finding my way around. From that moment we became best friends and have been ever since. I feel St. Mary's has supported me, that I belong and always will and it has prepared me for the future.

Ambitions: I have really developed my love for art here, and hope to be a graphic designer. Having experienced the COVID19 pandemic I would really like to help people in need, so I would love to become a doctor and maybe do lots of charity work.

Teachers' comments: Emelia will be best remembered for; that beautiful, engaging smile, her fun-loving yet very hard-working and focused attitude and her quick and efficient calculation skills!

Secondary School: Putney High School

Mimi



Reflections: St Mary's has been a bit like a second home to me – each day I've felt happy to be at school. The highlights of my time in St Mary's has to be Christian Aid in Year 5 where me and my friends sold food like chocolate pizza, DT Day in Y3 where we all made dens and played wars and DT Day in Year 4 when we made bread. I really enjoyed the investigators topic in Year 5 where we had to investigate a crime scene. I am enjoying rehearsing for the play which I'm sure I'll love!

Ambitions: Ooh, there's so much I'd like to do... but first I would love to learn more subjects and go on from there, seeing where my strengths and interests are, and maybe go to university.

Teachers' comments: Mimi will be best remembered for; her high spirits and energy, her outstanding creativity and that unforgettable Cruella De Ville costume – better than the original!

Secondary School: Lady Margaret School

Alessia



Reflections: I remember in Year 3 we had lots of fun and I sat on a table called Orange Dragon. Once someone sitting next to me fell off her chair as she was laughing so much. I'll remember St Mary's as a friendly place, and will miss it.

Ambitions: After finishing secondary school, I was thinking it would be fun to work, with my friend Eva, in a business doing interior and exterior design together.

Teachers' comments: Alessia will be best remembered for; her quiet determination and competitive nature, her hard work and effort in all areas of the curriculum and those fantastic marketing and selling skills – Second Hand Uniform Champion!

Secondary School: Ashcroft Technology Academy

Joe



Reflections: I will always remember the friends I've made here at St Mary's and most of all the good times I've spent with them. Memories I'll have forever is going on trips, excited about not sitting in the classroom doing lessons, but then the sense of dread when the worksheet, clipboard and pencil gets handed out! St Mary's is a good place, very supportive - I'd recommend it!

Ambitions: I would like to be a 'leader' of some sort.

Teachers' comments: Joe will be best remembered for; his quirky sense of humour, clever and unique creativity and his love of a good book!

Secondary School: Cardinal Vaughn Memorial School

Florrie



Reflections: I really enjoyed Cadburys World, then we made homemade chocolate and I added way too many ingredients, it tasted disgusting! I enjoyed all the different topics, but especially World War 2. I also loved every sports day and playing netball with my friends. St Mary's is a place where working has always been fun. I've spent eight years here so it's been a big part of my life!

Ambitions: I would love to become a lawyer, or an England netball player. If those don't work out, I'd like to be an actress or dancer.

Teachers' comments: Florrie will be best remembered for; her sociable and fun loving personality – (regularly shared on Tik Tok!), her enthusiasm and interest for learning and her confident and natural presenting skills – a TV star in the making!

Secondary School: Ibstock Place

Harry



Reflections: I really enjoyed St Mary's as a whole but one of my stand-out moments was during a trip in Year 6 after we left the Churchill War Rooms in London we had a picnic lunch in the park. I dropped a crust and was mobbed by geese and pigeons! I had to move benches while the geese were still there, trying to get the bread. I, 100%, recommend St Mary's for its friendliness and how well it's prepared me for the next stage of my learning. "...Always St Mary's."

Ambitions: My dream would be to run an enterprise of some sort, or pursue a career in politics.

Teachers' comments: Harry will be best remembered for; his inquisitive and curious mind, his thoughtful and insightful (sometimes challenging for us all) questions and that very considerate and compassionate nature

Secondary School: Tiffin

Alex



Reflections: In my time at St Mary's I have learned so much. When I joined in YR I didn't know much at all. My favourite moment was in Y4 when we went to Cadbury's World as it had loads of fun interactive things to do. St Mary's has pushed me, prepared me and given me confidence for the future, I wouldn't have wanted to go to a different school.

Ambitions: When I grow up I want to be a sports player or sports coach. If that isn't possible I think I would like to do a job involving economics or setting up my own business.

Teachers' comments: Alex will be best remembered for; his mature outlook on life - always mixed with a cheeky smile, his amazing mathematical abilities and his love of history and geography – an academic of the future I do believe!

Secondary School: Whitgift

Eva



Reflections: When I first joined St Mary's, in Year 2, everyone was very welcoming, kind and helped me, which taught me to do the same. The highlight of Year 4 was the trip to Cadbury's World! We learnt all about chocolate production and more importantly we got chocolate! We had a fantastic time in Year 6 at Sayers Croft, especially the disco! We also had a lots of fun buying things at the Tuck Shop there too! What do I think of St Mary's? Oh wow – it will always have a special place in my heart – it's irreplaceable! I know people say things like that all the time, but, I actually really mean it.

Ambitions: Mmm... my ambitions, being an architect/project manager seems like a good option – or in my spare time volunteering at Battersea Cats and Dogs Home, maybe if they took me on as an intern so I could help walk and care for the dogs.

Teachers' comments: Eva will be best remembered for; her consideration and kindness to others, her fantastic contributions to our School Council and that wonderful way with words when writing imaginatively.

Secondary School: Wimbledon High School

Sophia



Reflections: My greatest memory is Victorian Day when I got 'caned!' I could not write with my left hand so my handwriting was terrible! I will also never forget the days when I played netball with my friends, and we always laughed our heads off! I also liked being 'Child of the Week' and 'School Leader.' I am so glad we are doing a play this year. I think St Mary's is a place where friendships have been made. I've always felt safe and comfortable to be in school each day.

Ambitions: I love netball so I would either like to be a professional netball player or an actress.

Teachers' comments: Sophia will be best remembered for; her boundless creativity, her incredibly positive and enthusiastic personality and that ability to create weird and wacky hairstyles that somehow look very chic on her but not on her teacher!

Secondary School: Lady Margaret School

Sebastian



Reflections: I've been at St Mary's for six years and have enjoyed every bit of my time here. The school has really grown to be my second home, it's like family. Everybody is really nice and I feel happy here. I will definitely miss it. I remember in Year 5 during our Investigators Science topic, we came in to class to find out that someone had been murdered and I kept asking if it was real!

Ambitions: There's so much I feel I could do in the future but I would like to travel the world.

Teachers' comments: Sebastian will be best remembered for; his incredible organisational skills (the playground shed has never been so tidy or the lunchtime line more orderly!), his natural politeness and kindness for all and his hard work and determination to be the best he can be!

Secondary School: The Fulham Boys School

Lights, Camera, Action!

I think that Lights Camera Action! was unique because not many other schools got this chance. I was looking forward to doing the play but when quarantine started I was not sure I would even get back to school but to do the play was amazing and memorable. Isobel 6A

Lights, Camera, Action! was such a fun production. Y6 were the stars of the show and everyone had a part to play. We had to adapt the play slightly because of social distancing measures but we made it our own and it was fabulous! Ines 6A

The play woke us up from lockdown and brought the Y6 mood back as we all had a role to play in the TV Show. Olly 6A

Personally I enjoyed Lights, Camera, Action! because I was honestly just happy to do a show so I made it my mission to have fun! Callum 6A

Lights, Camera Action! was a very fun play to produce mainly because of the humour and how it wasn't all one big story it was different TV programmes introducing different people all the time so you couldn't get bored. George 6A



'No changing channels- drop that remote control –'cos it's lights, camera, action...'

This play was highly enjoyed by it's fabulous actors. As it was just year six it seemed much more fun, there was more space and we only had to perform it once so we put our absolute all into it!

The 'double bubble' was weird but we supported the other half of year six from a socially acceptable distance.

The tunes were really catchy and got stuck in your head, you found yourself singing them all the time!

The filming experience was phenomenal, so a special thanks to Bibi's and Flo's dad for doing this.

You have to admit it was unique and awesome, and we're all looking forward to seeing how it turns out!
Bubble 6B



Messages For Year 6

Year 6... I could write pages and pages about our time together both in Y4 and now in Y6 but felt it best to keep it short and sweet! You have been an outstanding class, I have thoroughly enjoyed teaching each and every one of you.

All I can possibly ask of you now is that you try to hold on to; your boundless enthusiasm for learning new things, your great sense of fun and adventure and your resilience and compassion when new situations and challenges arise. Approach life at secondary school and beyond with positivity, self-belief, imagination and of course a continued sense of fun and laughter- maybe with just a little less chatter! I know you all have very bright futures ahead of you – go out and grasp every opportunity!

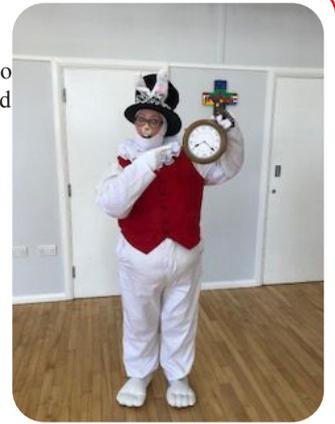
You know we will all miss you so much here at St. Mary's – me especially – so keep in touch and come back to visit I would love to see how you are all getting on!

Take good care,
Mrs Bishop xx
Y6 Class Teacher,
Deputy Head



Well Year Six! It wasn't quite the final year we were expecting for you – but it was certainly a memorable one, thanks to COVID-19! What am I saying?! It would have been a memorable year anyway, as you have been an incredible Year Six. You have worked incredibly hard and have led the school with maturity and a great sense of fun. We have had a calm and productive year in school as a result of your leadership. You returned to school after the closures with such composure and just got on with it – I am so proud of you all and I wish we could keep you, but it is time for you to move on and you are all ready for new challenges now... I'm sorry we haven't been able to enjoy all of the normal rites of passage in all of the usual ways, but I hope that you will leave St. Mary's with some very happy memories; confidently spring-boarding into the next phase of your journey. I thank you and your families for the considerable contribution you have made to our school – you will all be greatly missed and fondly remembered. Don't be stranger – remember to come back and visit and remember – once St. Mary's, always St. Mary's... Wishing you all the very best of everything,

Cheryl Payne
Head Teacher AKA The White Rabbit...



Dear Year 6
Your enthusiasm and creativity impressed me from my very first day at St Mary's. Be proud of your fabulous sculptures and portraits. Good Luck next year!
With very best wishes
Mrs Adams

Dear Year 6,
Year 2 and Mrs Livingstone are going to miss you so much. You have been such good role models to have around school and we have really valued your help and support in the playground as Playtime Pals!

Mrs Livingstone remembers your star studded performances in Y2 of 'Eddie the Penguin Saves the World.' We are so proud of you and wish you all the best in your new schools.

Please come back and visit lots. Missing you already!

Dear Year 6,
Thank you for being amazing! You have set a great example for us all to follow. We'll remember you because you always sang the loudest, played together as a team and treated us kindly. We will miss you!
Mrs Rinaldi



Good luck Year 6! You are a wonderful group of individuals who have demonstrated our core values of compassion, endurance and thankfulness throughout the year! It has been a very different end to the year for you all, but you have managed it with enthusiasm and big smiles. I wish you well in your future and hope you pop back to visit us from time to time. I will miss you all!
Mrs Dunford

Year 6 you have been amazing role models and it has been a great pleasure watching you blossom over the years.

I would like to coin a well known phrase from James Matthew Barrie the author of Peter Pan who wrote "Never say goodbye, because saying goodbye means going away. And going away means forgetting." You are unforgettable Year 6 I will remember you fondly always.
Mrs McCarthy.





Dear Year 6,
 You are all going to be missed - it just won't be the same place without you!
 I never had the chance to teach you as a class, but I had the pleasure of getting to know you all on your school journey to Sayers Croft. It was such a great time and I loved spending every moment with you all - it was lots of fun and who can forget the brilliant disco!
 All the best at your secondary schools. Take care and stay safe!
 Best wishes,
 Mr Lett



I would like to say how much I enjoyed working with this lovely Y6 class. It always made me smile watching you supporting each other in so many ways during your time at St Mary's, such a tight class-knit class. So when you were split into two bubbles it seemed such a great shame! But, I'm glad I could see the year through with at least half of you. I wish you all much happiness and many chocolate oranges in your years ahead.
 Mrs Miles xxx



I've been lucky enough to teach this wonderful group of children in Years Two, Four and Six. They were incredibly cute in Year Two, and are still lovely! There are so many great memories of trips to the Wetland Centre, St Paul's Cathedral, Southwark Cathedral, Cadbury's World, the Recycling Centre, the synagogue and Buddhist temple. They are an incredibly bright and inquisitive class, who always want to know how and why. One of my most enjoyable memories is the mind-blowing conversations we had in RE and in Philosophy for Children (P4C). No conundrum seemed to be too challenging, and no conventions accepted without first being explored to gain a better understanding. It has been rewarding to see how they have developed and matured into such well-rounded young people, and I've always appreciated the fact that they got my jokes and taught me some of theirs; you know what I mean, Ananya and Max!!

It seems right that we are leaving this fabulous school together. I know that they will achieve great things and am looking forward to hearing all about it.
 God bless you and keep you. With love, Mrs Thomas



I have been incredibly fortunate and consider it an absolute privilege to have worked with this cohort for Year 4, Year 5 and now again in Year 6- I just can't keep away! They are such a wonderful class brimming with character, diverse talents and amazing academic, artistic and sporting potential. They are a genuinely lovely bunch and I wish them all the very best for a bright future. Thanks for the wonderful memories.
 Miss Overton





The time has come to bid farewell
And say a 'Cheerio'.
We'll say it here loud and clear
We don't want you to go.

We wish you luck on your way
on life's exciting journey,
but please come back to visit us
and do so in a hurry!

And as you start a brand new day
remember this one rule,
we'll always hold you in our hearts
Here at St Mary's school x

St Mary's School
Class of 2020

