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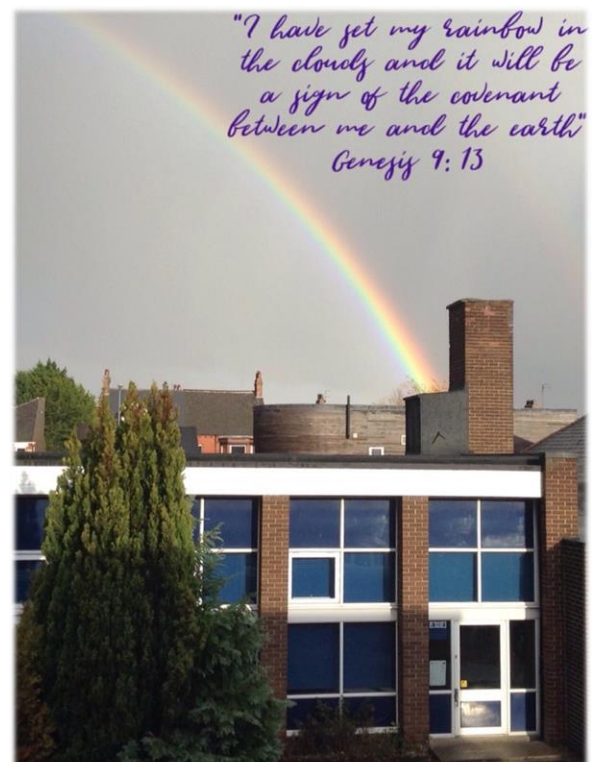
Dear Parents/Guardians,

17th July 2020

17 weeks ago we set out our plans and procedures to enable the school to open for the children of key workers and what a resilient group of children they were and still are- a credit to you. 17 weeks ago we began to put in place google classrooms and working from home- pupils accessed the learning and what a remarkable job they made of it; showing a mature attitude when working away from their peers and staff. 17 weeks ago you put in plans to support your children whilst juggling your own challenges with work and family commitments- you as parents have been amazing. Throughout these 17 weeks, in our school community we have heard stories of sadness, hope and support- our prayers and thoughts are still with you all. 17 weeks was such a long time ago and yet we are here now- finishing for the summer break. I cannot believe that the academic year is over. Can I express my huge thanks to the staff, parents and... especially the wonderful pupils for working together throughout the journey. Good luck to all our wonderful Y6 pupils.

Please take a moment to reflect as you read our final newsletter of the year.

With best wishes,
Mrs M D Brown
Headteacher



Year 6

Thank you to St Edward's for helping us to persevere through the hard times and the rocky mountains that have been thrown our way during this school year. Thank you to all of the teachers, the staff, Mrs Brown; you have equipped us with all the skills we need (and many more) to conquer secondary school. We are devastated that it is now our time to leave and go forth into the next chapter of our lives, but extremely excited to see what it will bring. St Edward's holds the biggest place in all of hearts. We will miss you all.

Year 6 pupils – July 2020



Year 5

Year 5 you have been amazing, resilient, conscientious, strong, remarkable.

As your teachers, we have been proud, impressed, rewarded, thankful, astounded.

Thank you for a brilliant year!

We will miss you.

Love from Mrs Angel and Mr Williams.

Every end
is a new
beginning.

Year 3/4

Well we will never forget our classes of 2020 that's for sure! You should all be incredibly proud of the way you have kept yourselves going and have worked so hard. We would like to take the opportunity to say a huge thank-you to all your grown-ups for all the support they have given us and you.

Have an amazing summer - we will miss you so much next year, but remember to pop back to say hello to us all.

Lots of love Mrs Brady,
Miss Hamilton & Miss Melvin



Year 2

Dear Year Two . . . Where do we begin? We are immensely proud of all your efforts this academic year. You have all grown so much in independence and resilience. You truly are amazing. We have been so lucky to have all of you in Year Two, each with your individual gifts and talents. You have so much to offer and you are all going to continue to blossom in Year Three. It was wonderful to see you on Monday during your visit. We couldn't stop smiling after your visit - it was wonderful to spend time with you all.

Huge thank you to your parents for all their support during this school year.

We wish you a safe, happy and relaxing summer break.

Best wishes, Mrs Fox, Mrs Harris-Matthews, Mrs Stevenson and Miss Davies.



Year 1

What a strange time it has been for us all! We haven't been able to end the year in the way we would have liked but one thing is for sure; we have all played our part in helping with the national effort against coronavirus.

Here is a quote from Roald Dahl and we think it sums up this unusual time very nicely!

Have a wonderful summer and continue to look after each other.



Lots of love,

Mrs Rovardi, Miss Stamp, Mrs Teasdale, Miss Dunnakey and Mrs McLean

Reception

We can't even describe how proud we are of Reception. They have handled these tricky times with maturity and have worked their socks off!

Even though our time has been cut short, we have some lovely memories that we will cherish.

We hope you all have a fun-filled, exciting summer and come back refreshed and ready for your adventures in year 1. Well done, Reception!



Nursery

Good bye Nursery!

Good luck to our little Nursery rainbows starting their Reception journey in September; we are looking forward to seeing our Nursery stars twinkling back in Nursery very soon.

Mrs Bell & Mrs Houchen

