

Dear Y6 Leavers

So now, you have come to the end of your final year in primary school and you are leaving Springfield to move on to the next stage in your lives. These last few months have brought a strange and sad end to the year for all of us and not at all what we would have wanted for you.

Year 6 is a tough year. You've all worked so hard and with such determination and we, as your teachers, have nagged and challenged and pushed you to be just that little bit better in all you do each day. However, you will never know how proud we are as we watch you grow in every way, or how we are quietly celebrating each tiny step of progress you make - whether it's mastering a calculation method, using a semi-colon correctly or just those moments when we see you realise, that you've learnt or understood something that you didn't know before.

Although we are not really 'fans' of SATs, we are sorry that you didn't get to do them. You were ready and you would have done yourselves and us proud. Mostly, we are sorry that you missed out on the time you should have had after SATs and all the fun things you have earned and deserve: your last sports day, PGL, the traditional water-fight with the staff, leavers assembly, prom and most importantly enjoying the last few weeks at Springfield with your friends. Despite this, we hope you take happy memories with you because there are so many.

You may not feel it but you are ready to move on and you are ready for secondary school. Just remember that it is not just about how clever you are, or how talented you are but who you are. Each one of you is amazing in your own way and we have loved every minute we have spent with you.

Keep persevering, keep smiling and never forget your 'Springfield family' - we wish you the very best.

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