

Friday 20th March 2020

To our wonderful Year 4 Children,

We are sure you know about what has been happening in the news lately and that lots of things have been going on around the world. This has meant that our lovely school has had to close to most of its children so we can keep as many people as safe as possible, until the scientists and the government (people in charge of our country) know it is okay for everyone to come back together.

At the moment, your teachers are not sure whether you will be back at St Nicholas in time to say a proper goodbye but we wanted to make sure that you knew we were thinking of you and your families. We will continue to speak to your new teachers at Middle School to tell them all of the wonderful things that you have been learning and how each of you are so fantastically unique, and have so much to offer.

The staff at St Nicholas could not be any prouder of your positive, mature and responsible attitude over the last few weeks, where you have continued to work so hard. We have been so lucky to see the bright smiles and sparkle in your eyes, as you learn and apply something new; it has been how you've picked each other up, when you've fallen down and when you have moved out of your comfort zone to overcome your fears through courage and determination. However, that is not the end of it, it has been how you have worked as one great big team to serve our community to keep our school running. But, most importantly, seeing you realise your full potential, knowing that when you put your mind to it, anything is truly possible.

We would like to thank each and every one of you for the memories of your hard work, your unique character, your bright smiles, your jokes, your achievements and the stories you have shared about your lives that have shaped each and every one of you.

Hopefully, we will see you before you go to Middle School but if not, we will write to you just before the Summer Holidays to wish you the very best of luck!

Reach for the stars, take care and always believe in yourself,

The Year 4 Staff

(Mr Gough, Mrs Swan, Mrs Brady, Mrs Manning and Mrs Clay)