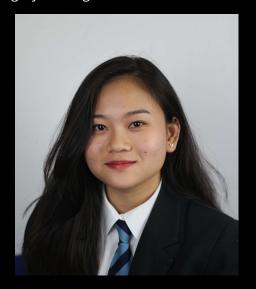




"Success means having the courage, the determination, and the will to become the person you believe you were meant to be."- George Sheehan

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Gail Abuan
"I am not Chinese."



Noelia Ardila Munoz "Legalise the uproar."



Rikki Bateman "Stay in school."



Christopher Bell 'Have a nice."



Jannatul Bhuiyan "So?"



Daryl Blackie
"Right sunshine, listen here."



Flori Carpaci
"Smile and be happy."



Ivan Chawshin "OMG"



Aga Ciepluch "FML."



Joanna Ciepluch
"Hello hun"



Marisol Costa Felguiera "Aye."



Rhiannon
Cummings
"I'm not very good at maths."



Jakub Domadej
"Long live the Chinese government."



Nicola Graham
"I'm no daen it!"



Alejandra Grimaldo "Remember me when you are rich."



Caitlin Grover
"Cmon"



Rachel Harrison
"Believe in yourself
\*insert inspirational
picture\*"



Demi-Leigh Heath
"Are you cold? I'm cold...
feel my hands."



Cherise Henderson
"Shake yer bum"



Jessica Hildersley
"Did you just assume
my gender?"



Declan Hogg
"Hard work pays off."



Mimi Hossain
"After Tuesday, even the calendar says W.T.F. So please STFU."



Ellie Laidlaw
"That sounds like a 'you' problem."



Pawel Maczynski "Higher Maths? EASY bro."



Brandon Mullen
"Be true to yourself- don't let others break you and don't change yourself for others."



Osawaru Omosefe
"If you want something with passion and desire, you can get what you want."



Dorina Órban
"I'm an immigrant!"



Nicolas Peris Juan "y-b=m(x-a)"



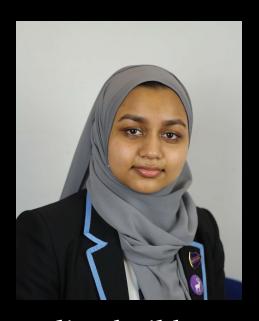
Jack Renwick
"Die."



Mahira Sattar
"Focus on your own vision, not the crowd's."



Fatoumata Senghore "Yoo, what's up!"



Sadia Sheikh "Crave knowledge, not McDonalds."



Sam Simpson
"Eh?"



Lennon Stevens
"I have no idea."



Codie Stoddart "Omg that's cute! :)"



Abbie Stone "It's okayyy."



Mohamed Suliman Rikki Vernon "I'm not posh, I'm Arab."



"LGBTQ always wins."









# Trip to Dalguise









# **Trip to Madrid**















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Plug those headphones in and listen to these relaxing tunes



### **SLT Dance Party**

Warning: Lots of ABBA songs ahead...



### **Podcast Corner**

Not in the mood for music? Take a listen to our favourite pods.

#### Drama Llama

The Drama department collates their favourite theatre tunes



## **Hot Hits UK**

Top tunes picked by the Class of 2020

**PLAY** 

Africa	Toto	4.55
This is Me	Keala Settle, The Greatest Showman	3.54
The Night We Met	Lord Huron	3.28
Sunshine on Leith	The Proclaimers	5.16
Gimme! Gimme!	Abba	4.52
Safety 2020	GASHI ft. Chris Brown, DJ Snake	3.59
Filter	BTS	3.00
Someone You Loved	Lewis Capaldi	3.02
La Romana	Bad Bunny ft. El Alfa	5.00
No Me Conoce (Remix)	Jhay Cortez, J. Balvin, Bad Bunny	5.09
VETE	Mohammed Assaf	3.12
Dammi Falastini	Bad Bunny	4.00
Bitch Better Have My Money	Rihanna	3.39
Nobody Compares To You	Gryffin. ft. Katie Pearlman	3.51
Beautiful Scars	Maximillian	3.14
Show Me Love	Robin S.	4.11
Balaya	A-Star	2.51
Islands in the Stream	Dolly Parton & Kenny Rogers	4.12
Tainted Love	Soft Cell	2.33
Relationship	Young Thug ft. Future	3.35
ABC	The Jackson 5	2.54
Wake Up	Black Veil Brides	2.42
Faint	Linkin Park	2.42
Wild Side (English Version)	ALI	2.38
Forever	Justin Bieber ft. Post Malone & Clever	3.39
One Kiss	Calvin Harris, Dua Lipa	3.34
All I Ever Wanted	Basshunter	2.56
Life is a Highway	Rascal Flatts	4.36
Hooked On A Feeling	Blue Swede	2.52
Unforgettable (Slushii Remix)	French Montana, Slushii, Swae Lee	3.07
HOME	BTS	3.54
Just You and I	Tom Walker	2.54
Young, Dumb and Broke	Khalid	3.22
Merry Go Round of Life	Joe Hisaishi, Kaori Muraji	3.46
Pretty Girl	Crayon	3.32
ON	BTS	4.06
Mr. Brightside	The Killers	3.42
Gold	Spandau Ballet	3.51
Best Friend	Rex Orange County	4.22
PAID MY DUES	NF	3.31

MOST LIKELY TO BE SUCCESSFUL:

MOST LIKELY TO BECOME UK PRIME MINISTER:

Sadia Sheikh

**Mahira Sattar** 

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	SMARTEST: Lennon Stevens	KINDEST: Fatoumata Senghore	HAPPIEST: Brandon Mullen
		TEACHER'S PET:	BEST UNOFFICIAL

**Mahira Sattar** 

BEST MAKEUP SKILLS:

**Ellie and Daryl** 

Demi-Leigh Heath

COUPLE:

MOST LIKELY TO START A **REVOLUTION:** 

MOST LIKELY TO WATCH ANIME IN CLASS:

Nicola Graham

Nicolas Peris Juan

BEST **BROMANCE**: **BEST DRESSED** BOY:

BEST DRESSED GIRL:

**BEST LAUGH:** 

Christopher and Lennon

Pawel Maczynski

Demi-Leigh

Heath

Alejandra Grimaldo

Nicola Graham

**BEST JESUS** LOOKALIKE:

Jakub Domadej

**BIGGEST GOSSIP: BIGGEST WEEB:** 

MOST TALENTED:

**Jack Renwick** 

**Daryl Blackie** 

**QUIETEST:** 

**Declan Hogg** 

LIFE OF THE

PARTY:

Sam Simpson

**CLASS CLOWN:** 

Cherise Henderson

MOST

ATHLETIC:

MOST

APPROACHABLE:

Rikki Vernon Rikki Bateman

**BIGGEST BTS** STAN:

**Jannatul** Bhuiyan

### **Mimi Hossain**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Winning Craigroyston Got Talent and Craigie Come Dancing.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Hanging around with S6's in the common room and Mahira, Jannatul, Sadia, Gail, Pawel, Ivan, and Dorina.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Haskins and Mr McFarlane

#### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Remember to always be yourself- unless you suck, then pretend to be somebody else.

### Flori Carpaci

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

When I played for the first time at the school concert and everyone cheered.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Everyone that helped me with my English and became my friend.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Donald, because her lessons were so much fun.

### What is the message you would give to younger pupils?

Believe in yourself because if you want to do something, you need to believe that you can do everything.

### **Christopher Bell**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Getting picked to do school of football.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

"I'll miss Lennon"

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs McLaren, Miss Wilson, Miss McNeill, Mrs Meadows, Mr Yardley, Mr McFarlane

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Leave as quickly as possible.

### **Lennon Stevens**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

School of football.

What/ Who will you miss the most?

"I'll miss Christopher"

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown, Miss Wilson

What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Never give up!

### **Demi-Leigh Heath**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Steven Miller flashing Miss Haskins in the middle of the hall, and Daryl dramatically falling down the stairs and then up them-LOL

#### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Miss McLaren (chats and jokes), Mrs Grant (chats), Mr McFarlane and Mr Murphy (matching, wearing the same outfits), little random things Cherise comes out with.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs McLaren (ShellMac), Mr Murphy (Chernoble), Mr McFarlane (Adam)

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Shut up and get on with it. It ain't that bad. Get a wet paper towel for it... it will be fineeeee.

### **Mahira Sattar**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Huddling around the heater and gossiping in Higher French and watching Blaine and Daryl sing karaoke! The whole of Higher Modern Studies in S5 and the banter we had with Mrs Fish was unforgettable, and playing charades in S3 was so much fun.

#### What/ Who will you miss the most?

I'll miss the amazing teachers I had and all the banter with my friends.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Fish, Miss Dunlop, Miss Hamilton, Big E, Mr Linnane

#### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Always remember not to waste too much energy on people who don't care about you.

## **Gabby Ramsay**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Skiving in the P.E toilets.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

The banter in the common room.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr McFarlane, Mrs McLaren, Miss Watson, Miss McCallion, Mr Hunter

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

It's hard, but you'll win it.

### **Aga Ciepluch**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Spain trip.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Mr Murphy, Mrs Gancheva, Dorina

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Murphy, Mrs Gancheva, Mrs Grant, Mr Cunningham, Miss Maloney, Miss Cameron, Mr Donoghue

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Drop school, become a stripper

### **Declan Hogg**

# What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

All the trips.

What/ Who will you miss the most?

The teachers and friends.

Who is your favourite teacher?

They are all really good.

What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Focus on getting your qualifications.

## **Alexandra Grimaldo**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Since the first day it has been amazing.

What/ Who will you miss the most?

Being late to all classes with Noelia.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Walker

What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Best wishes for everyone!

## **Daryl Blackie**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Falling downstairs, getting chucked out of drama in S2 with Nicola, Granny Susan in France.

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

All my friends, teachers, the laughs and dancing in the common room

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Cunningham, Miss Maloney, Mrs Grant, Mr Linnane, Adam

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Do what you can and try your best. Ask for help if you need it.

## **Nicola Graham**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Detention with Mr Ray in S1, me and Daryl getting chucked out of drama in S2, #fatclass2k18, Granny Susan

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

All my friends, all my teachers, being a child.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Cunningham, Miss Maloney, Adam, Catty G, Miss Haskins, Mr Murphy

#### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Enjoy high school. It will be over before you know it. It's the best time of your life.

## Joanna Ciepluch

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Trip to Spain.

#### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Mrs Grant, Mrs Gancheva, Mr Word, Mrs Henderson, Mr Cunningham

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Grant, Mrs Gancheva, Mr Ward

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Get as many Highers as you can!

## Jannatul Bhuiyan

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Spain trip, dance show in Broughton High School

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

My friends especially Reema, Pawel, Gail, Ivan and Fatoumata.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Baxter, Mr Ward, Mrs Cullen

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Be nice to teachers, study hard and follow your dreams.

## **Rikki Bateman**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Christmas concerts.

What/ Who will you miss the most?

Jakub (aka Jesus)

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown, Miss Ponte, Mr Cunningham, Miss Maloney

What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Stay in school.

## Sam Simpson

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

When we went on the Spanish trip to Madrid, #fatclass2k18, having laughs in the common room

### What/ Who will you miss the most?

I'll miss sitting in the common room at break and lunch with everyone.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Irvine, Mrs Hunter, Mrs Henderson, Mrs Brown, Mrs Fish

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Stay on until S6 as it is the best year where you get a lot more freedom and everyone gets on.

## **Nicolas Peris Juan**

What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

6:00 am alone in the corridors.

What/ Who will you miss the most?

Mrs Brown

Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Cameron

What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Study.

## Jakub Domadej

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

lol wot

What/who will you miss the most?

My friends Rikki, Brandon, Pawel, can't think of any more.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Ponte, Miss Irvine, Mr McGeary, Mr LeGall, Mr Turner

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

You'll die some day, remember that

### **Ellie Laidlaw**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Any trip- France, Spain, Dalguise, having a laugh in the common room, getting tripped up in P.E and chipping the bone in my toe.

#### What/ Who will you miss the most?

Mr Murphy, being in the common room and the relationships that were built with the teachers.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Murphy, Mrs Grant, Mrs McLaren, Mr Linnane

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Make sure you know what classes you will need if you want to get into specific courses.

## **Abbie Stone**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

The laughs I have in Mr Donoghue's class.

What/who will you miss the most?

The laughs you have with teachers.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Can't choose

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Respect and trust goes a long way.

## **Marisol Costa Felguiera**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Spain and meeting all the teachers.

What/who will you miss the most?

Mr Murphy, Mrs Gancheva

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Grant, Miss Donald, Mrs Gancheva, Mr Murphy

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Do your best and don't give up.

## **Mohamed Suliman**

What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Leaving.

What/who will you miss the most?



Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Linnane

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Should've went to Broughton.

## **Ivan Chawshin**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

ESOL party, meeting my friends for the first time, dance competitions.

#### What/who will you miss the most?

My teachers and classes. Gail, Jannatul, Reema, Pawel, Mimi, and Dorina.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Ayub, Mrs Brown, Mr Hunter, Miss Donald, Mr Donoghue, Mrs Walker and all my music teachers

#### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Be good with teachers and respect school rules. Study hard and don't ever give up.

## **Codie Stoddart**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Making the friendships I have right now (Jack, Demi, Lewis, Daniel, Alex, William)

#### What/who will you miss the most?

Mrs Thompson, Miss Henderson, Mr McFarlane, Mr Murphy.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Henderson, Mrs Thompson, Mr Murphy

### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Don't give up because you're working for yourself, no one else.

## **Jack Renwick**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

That time I shaved my head for cancer.

What/who will you miss the most?

I'll miss Mr LeGall.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Donoghue

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Just go beyond, go plus ultra.

## **Rhiannon Cummings**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Mykenna and Connor's wedding, the snail song with Nicola, Aisha and Christy, meeting with Mr Ray about bullying, Fat Class 2018/19.

#### What/who will you miss the most?

People making up rumors about me!

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Freund, Miss Cameron, Adam

#### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Maths is difficult.

### **Cherise Henderson**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Skye, Spain, getting kicked out of Mr Turner's class in S3, the common room, and fat class.

#### What/who will you miss the most?

My friends, the banter, the teachers and the school, and fat class.

### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Murphy, Mr McFarlane, Miss Donald, Miss Dunlop, Miss Haskins, Miss McGreeky, Miss McCallion

#### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Do it wisely because it goes quick and just have fun, and don't grow up too quickly because before you know it, you're planning your future.

## **Jessica Hildersley**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Spanish trip and common room banter.

What/who will you miss the most?

Being in the common room.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Big Eric, Adam, Callum, Mrs Brown, Miss Henderson, Amanda

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Stay in school babe x

### **Gail Abuan**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

When Mrs Grant cried because she was scared to do the rope descent, but she still did it for us and hugged us all afterwards.

What/who will you miss the most?

People who will miss me too.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Grant, Mrs Ponte

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Enjoy!

## **Brandon Mullen**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

The laughs I had with Miss Gancheva in Spain.

What/who will you miss the most?

Learning in classes here and most of the teachers.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Can't choose

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Be true to yourself and don't let others break you, and don't change yourself for others.

### **Jaxson Blake**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

My most memorable event was the Spanish trip. Although we got in trouble quite the bit, it was one of the best times of my life so far.

#### What/who will you miss the most?

I'll miss the banter with the teachers, the common room, and that one person (5)

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mr Murphy- actual class teacher, so funny and always there for us.

#### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

I have to say this. STOP SCREAMING IN THE CORRIDORS! Thanks.

## **Noelia Ardila Munoz**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

Spanish classes in S5 when all the Spaniards were together.

What/who will you miss the most?

Being late to every class with Alexandra.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Don't waste your time on school.

## Osawaru Omosefe

What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

My first day.

What/who will you miss the most?

My mates.

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Good luck

## **Dorina Orban**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

When I adopted all of my children.

### What/who will you miss the most?

Pawel, ESOL, my children

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Grant, Miss Donald, Miss Dunlop, Miss Maloney, Mr Cunningham, Mrs Fish, Mr Linnane

### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Focus in class, don't stress too much and go with the flow. AND DON'T SKIVE!

## **Pawel Maczynski**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

My most memorable moment was when I came here without any knowledge about the language and everyone welcomed me so nicely.

#### What/ Who will you miss the most?

All of my amazing teachers, The amazing atmosphere in the common room and all the S6's but especially: Jakub(aka Jesus), Nico Peris Juan, Gail Abuan, Jannatul Bhuiyan, Ivan, Reema, Mimi, Aga, Joanna, Fatoumata, Dylanas, Iveri, Ben, Louis, Mahira, Dorina, Mohamed, Daniel, Marisol..and Ben again.

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown, Miss Hamilton, Mr Hunter, Mrs Walsh, Mrs Meadows, Miss McNeill, Mr Yardley, Miss Linning, Mr Turner, Mr McFarlane, Mrs Grant, Miss Donald, Mr Cunningham, Miss Maloney, Mrs Ayub, Miss McCallion, Miss Cameron, Miss Dalziel

### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

Don't worry if someone is going to judge you, just do what you love and don't change as much as you can!!

### Sadia Sheikh

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

ShellMac tripping at Teen Titles Awards and all the attention being on her, Mr McFarlane ripping his shirt and ShellMac getting a nosebleed at the dodgeball game, Big E and her embarrassing selfies for PLT throughout the last 5 years.

#### What/who will you miss the most?

I will miss the English department and their support, I will miss Mr McFarlane and his advice, I'll miss chats with ShellMac, I'll miss the year group and my close friends, and I'll miss Big E!

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Haskins, Mr McFarlane, Mrs McLaren, Mrs Grant, Miss Wilson, Mrs Fish, Mrs Walker, Mr Linnane

### What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

When you stop following the crowd, everything becomes visible. Focus on yourself and set high standards.

## **Fatoumata Senghore**

## What was your the most memorable moment/event in high school?

When in maths class I wanted to say Polly Pocket but I said "Lolypocket"

### What/who will you miss the most?

After my friends, I will miss my ESOL teachers so much! They are the ones who helped me when I needed it most. Everything that I can say and write now, they taught it to me. I really appreciate their support. I'll miss the uniform too!

#### Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss Donald, Mrs Gancheva, Mrs Brown...all of them.

#### What is a message you would give to younger pupils?

To set an example for other students, keep the bar high!

## **Rachel Harrison**

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

When I went flying into a cupboard.

What/who will you miss the most?

Banter, Demi Heath and Jaxson

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Thompson

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Work hard, study hard, because life is hard. But seriously, study.

## **Caitlin Grover**

What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

M&D's in S3.

What/who will you miss the most?

Mrs Brown

Who is your favourite teacher?

Mrs Brown

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Good luck with everything!

### Rikki Vernon

## What was your most memorable moment/event in high school?

The 10<sup>th</sup> of December doing a fitness challenge with Mr Yardley.

What/who will you miss the most?

Just being in school

Who is your favourite teacher?

Miss McKay, Miss Maloney, Mr Cunningham

What is a message you'd give to younger pupils?

Dinnae skive classes!

# Head Boy and Head Girl

Dear S6,

It has been great knowing all of you and learning from each other over the years. Now that we have reached the end of our school lives, we will all be moving onto our lives and may not see each other again in the coming future. So, we'd just like to say thank you and good luck with the future. But we would like you to remember your time in school, whether it was good or bad, and the experiences that has shaped you into the individuals you are now.

In the coming future we advise you to take the risks and grab every opportunity offered to strengthen yourselves. Most of all whatever you do, have patience as it is the key to any success in life. Apply all that you have learnt so far to take you higher in life. Do not doubt your abilities because you all have potential to always do more than you think.

Moving forward, we thank you for all the support and appreciation throughout our time at Craigroyston.

We wish you all the best and hope you all achieve nothing but success.

Thank You, Daryl & Sadia

# Mr McFarlane

When I was asked if I would like to take on the role of a Year Head back in August, I was naturally very excited to get this opportunity. Then I found out it would be for the current S6 and things went downhill from there! (only joking). What a bunch you all are. You have made my first year as being a year head an interesting one! Be that spending and excellent weekend at Dalguise with some of you as part of the Pupil Leadership or walking passed your common room every day to the shouts of "Oi Oi Adam McF" or "AJ", it has been a pleasure being your Year Head.

You have been a great bunch of pupils throughout your time at Craigroyston, and in the 4 years that I have been here, you have certainly been a year group that will be known for your humour and making us laugh even in challenging moments. You have done some great things this year, from buddying S1 pupils to volunteering in junior classes to help us control the masses. You have been a genuinely hardworking and helpful year group.

I wish every one of you all the success for the future and hope that you achieve everything that you set out to do. All the best and hopefully see you soon!

Best wishes,
 Mr McFarlane

## Mrs Grant

Firstly, congratulations for surviving to the end of S6!

I'm sure for many of you there have been some moments where you have considered leaving, but you got here in the end (even if Ms McLaren had to drag you here!).

When I joined the school you were only wee S2s! I remember Rhiannon being one of the hardest workers in my first ever S2 class and she still is now! I've now taught a lot of you over the years and have some great memories of your year group. From laughing about 'finger donuts' with Ellie, Daryl, Sadia and Mahira to needing Gail and Jannatul to talk me through the tears whilst abseiling at Dalguise! I will miss Nicola and Dorina's non-stop chatter (well, some of it!) as well as Jakub's easy-going attitude. I will miss Pawel's infectious giggle and my three English volunteers – Aga, Joanna and Marisol. I will not miss chasing you all for English folio pieces, personal statements and UCAS applications though haha!

You should all be so proud of what you have achieved at Craigroyston. I have watched so many of you grow from being shy and quiet pupils to confident and mature young adults. You have fully embraced what it means to be a member of this school and this community and you will be sorely missed.

All the best for the future – I know you guys will absolutely smash it!

See you on the dancefloor at prom!

Mrs Grant x

# Ms Gancheva

Dear S6s,

It's been an honour and a privilege to watch you all grow from wide-eyed children to fine young adults. I still remember how quiet and shy Rhiannon was in S2 and here is she now doing Higher French. Mahira, your ambition and determination to excel in every aspect of Advanced Higher French will never fail to amaze me!

I can't believe the time has gone by so quickly. Well, you know what they say - time flies when you're having fun! Who could forget all the fun moments we had in Madrid, all the laughs we shared with Marisol, Aga and Joanna, the awkward moment when we lost Fatou or when Brandon was helping us to carry all the extra Fanta lemon bottles! I will never forget the mystified face of Sam when he took photos of our "gourmet" dinner in Madrid or when Ellie found a piece of foil in her dish!

As you continue to go through life, never forget to keep learning, to keep having fun and to always smile! Go into the world and do well but more importantly, go into the world and do good! As Steve Jobs said, "If you're working on something exciting that you really care about, you don't have to be pushed. The vision pulls you!"

I am so proud of you all and I will miss you!

Mrs G

## Mrs Fish

The current S6 were just in S3 when I started at Craigroyston, and they were a colourful bunch! I had two S3 classes, so I spent a lot of time with your year group when I first arrived. Even before that, I remember some of them such as Brandon and Blaine being in the small class that I had to teach to get the job in the first place. Brandon basically looks the same now as he did then – but has maybe just grown about a foot!

The past couple of years it has been lovely to see so many of you develop into such a wonderful young adults and compassionate people. I have probably spent the most time with Mahira – 10 periods a week this year and last as she is an absolute History and Modern Studies Queen! This year the same can be said for Dorina, who I see every single day and have a laugh every time I see her. Joke. Nico, I am so proud of how far you have come in your time here, from the quiet boy who barely spoke to a confident guy who has his wee crew in 'Little Spain' in the Modern Language corridor. Sadia you are such a hard worker and lovely, kind, compassionate person so just keep doing you. There are so many of you who are just such fantastic people that I know I won't be able to get through you all, but just know that it hasn't gone unnoticed.

#### Advice I can give you...

- 1. Firstly don't put yourselves down, so many of you have had doubts about your ability and fantastic-ness that is unnecessary and unwarranted! You are fantastic people and need to believe in yourselves.
- 2. Enjoy the world outside of school, it can be daunting for sure but you guys will absolutely nail it.
- 3. With that in mind, make new friends when you go onto whatever you go on to do, but keep your old friends too. It is great to know that no matter where you go or what you do, that you have these friends to come home to. If you physically move away from home after school, make a plan with school friends to come together over Christmas get that date in the diary NOW! That way you know that no matter what happens, you will have familiar faces to chat to in no time at all.
- 4. Do what you genuinely want to do, not what teachers/parents or friends tell you you should do. It is your life and you will enjoy it more if you are all yourselves.
- 5. Be kind to everyone and don't forget the person or people who helped you get to where you are and take the time to say thank you. Being kind is free.

-Much love, Mrs Fish

#### Miss Haskins

When I was asked to attend the 1st year camp to stay in a derelict, dreary bothy in the middle of nowhere... I didn't expect to have quite as much fun as I did. We had amazing walks, dodged roaming cows on our nature filled cycles, people took tosses falling out of their bunk beds, blaring 'Let me take a selfie!' on the last morning to wake everyone up and some dodgy tummies in the van on the way home; Miss Wilson will remember this well! My favourite memory is the lovely chats Daryl and I had which reminded me how important these trips are for both pupils and teachers. From that trip on Daryl knew he was one of my all-time favourites! I could rely on Daryl and Sadia for anything before they even became Head Boy and Girl.

Then all your wonderful journeys began in S1 to deliver you safe and sound into S6 – tanned, tattooed, pierced, questionable hair styles, see through leggings, chippys, Greggs and somewhat, hopefully, more mature! From dramas, breaking up altercations, giving a good few rows to great gossip I had the joy of seeing you all grow up into the wonderful young people you are today. I will miss seeing all the showdown meetings over Prom – I can only imagine the craic Miss Hamilton has had to listen to!

#### My fondest memories of S6 are:

Rhiannon nearly dying of the shame and embarrassment for getting up to antics in a certain teacher's classroom!

Nicola doing the most insane splits I have ever witnessed and forever calling me "chick" and showcasing all her Johnny Depp tattoos.

Ellie L always having a cracking comeback to someone's poor banter!

Jakub being the best team player at the PLT weekend away! Mahira for being a creative genius in English- make sure to get that A at Advanced Higher!

Marisol saying it how it was - all the time!

Sadia being the most kind and accepting young lady I have ever met. Her giggle is the best!

Cherise smiling from ear to ear with a, "Heya hen..." and for always being brutally honest.

The wonderful ESOL class of absolute delights.

I could go on and on but I would prefer to see you all in person at Prom and share a cheers to all the banter that was had over the years. Best of luck in your next steps into this big and beautiful world and hold your memories of Craigroyston close to your heart and soul.

I'd like to leave you with a fantastic poem which is titled:

#### 'Never Stop Being you-Terrie Brushette

Never stop pushing away negative thoughts that make you feel sad.

Never stop looking at all the miracles we have had.

Never stop loving the ones you hold dear.

Never stop giving, and don't give into the fear.

Never stop smiling, but look forward to each new day.

Never stop shining in your own special way.

Never forget that all storms will clear.

Remember brighter tomorrows are always near

### Mr Linnane

To all the departing Sixth years,

It is mindblowing to think that the S3s I met in the first months after Easter 2017 when I arrived to replace Mr Spiers are now leaving Craigroyston! Victor Hugo (French guy, grey beard, wrote Les Miserables) said that "melancholy is the pleasure of being sad." And that feels like most appropriate reaction to you all leaving Craigroyston.

Sadness that I will never again be greeted as "Uncle Colm" by Rhiannon.

Bereft that we won't see your cheery faces in the common room. Devastated that I won't be innocently roped into gruesome, terrifying drama performances.

But there are other emotions too, I'm grateful I won't be getting slagged off by Cherise for tumbling off my bike THAT ONE TIME one icy morning (I literally nearly broke my leg), sheer relief that I will never again have to hear Nicola say I look like the ginger guy out of the Full Monty. You know, I'm even going to miss Jessica telling me I look depressed (she once said I looked happy about 2 years after I started here and I just about fell off my chair in shock). But joking aside, you should all be enormously proud of the remarkable young people you have grown to be over your time at Craigroyston. I have learnt so much from you over the last three years and my heart swells with pride and joy to think of all the amazing things you're going to achieve in the years to come. Please remember that stories and books can be your friends throughout your life.

Your pal, Mr Linnane

## Miss Wilson

To everyone in the S6 class of 2020!

Congratulations and well done on completing your 6 years at CCHS! I remember taking you to S1 camp along with Miss Haskins and Mr Richards to the Scottish Borders. When I look back at the pictures I can't believe how small you all were. We stayed in a bothy with no electricity or running water but we survived to tell the tale. Just. I feel like the last person standing as all of you will be leaving and both Miss Haskins and Mr Richards have moved on!

I look forward to seeing you at Prize Giving and Prom to complete your 6 years and to celebrate how far you have all come.

Hopefully you have enjoyed your time here with us and are ready to move on to something new. I wish you all the very best of luck in what ever you choose to do moving forward with your life after school!

Miss Wilson

#### Mrs Brown

Dear S6,

Well, thank god you're all on your way to a new and exciting journey! Having left school, your life is now beginning in a different direction. I advise you all to work really, really hard because I do believe that the harder you work the luckier you are. It's been great seeing all of you grow up and change throughout the years, and it has been an absolute pleasure teaching some of you. Shout out to my Higher Maths class!

You've all been amazing, you've all got good plans, just stick in , do well and be in good health. All the very best for the future. Love you all!

-Mrs Brown

#### Miss Cameron

To all of S6,

Good luck and best wishes to all of S6! I hope everyone succeeds in what they want to do, and remember to never give up on your dreams. Once again, good luck for whatever you want to pursue in the future.

Thank you so much to Daryl, Aga, Lennon and Mimi in my Higher Physics class for being such amazing, hardworking pupils this year!

- Miss Cameron

## Mr Hunter

It is always a strange time when an S6 group leaves. Happy that a group of young adults is taking a new path into the world and also a tinge of sadness to see them leave.

I've been fortunate to have taught most of you and it's been a pleasure to have done so. One of the many positives about this year group is how friendly you have been, whether it's been in the classroom or the corridor, I can always count on a friendly face and conversation even if I'm being a moany grump (which I usually am).

The transformation that you have gone through in your time here is amazing.

Little shy and quiet Cherise (who always did her homework!) has turned into the confident young woman I hear giving me abuse about my football team and singing karaoke in the common room.

Pawel arrived in S4 whispering what little English he knew and just over a year later he was standing in front of two year groups presenting like a professional.

These are just two examples out of the many who have developed from young children into the charming adults you are today.

Even now as S6s, you regularly show a good example to the lower years with your confident demeanor, your uniform, your behaviour and general manners.

All of these will serve you well in whatever career path you choose to take. There are a lot of you to remember, but I will remember the 2020 leavers group fondly.

-Mr Hunter

## Miss Dunlop

#### Dear S6!

Your made it! It's been a long road, a hard road, but a very well fought road. I hope you are all immensely proud of yourselves.

Never have I met such an incredible group of funny, happy, intelligent, EPIC individuals who continue every day to remind me what determination looks like. I wish you every ounce of luck in the universe in whatever you decide to do, but just remember us teachers if you ever become rich and famous...

To my sociology class; I hope you never stop creating revolutions and sticking it to the man (and always remember, when in doubt, mean girls!).

Chezza- looking forward to you building me a house when you move to Dalkeith. Keep living the dream!

Mahira- maybe try being on time in Uni... but always keep smiling! Dorina- Will not miss threatening you chuck your phone out the window!

Sads and Daz- top heidys! Well done for keeping everything together this year!

Deeko- if ever having a bad day, just think of that bog up in Skye!

To the rest or you: do your best, be happy, and above all, HAVE THE BEST LIFE!

Lots of love,

Miss Dunlop xx

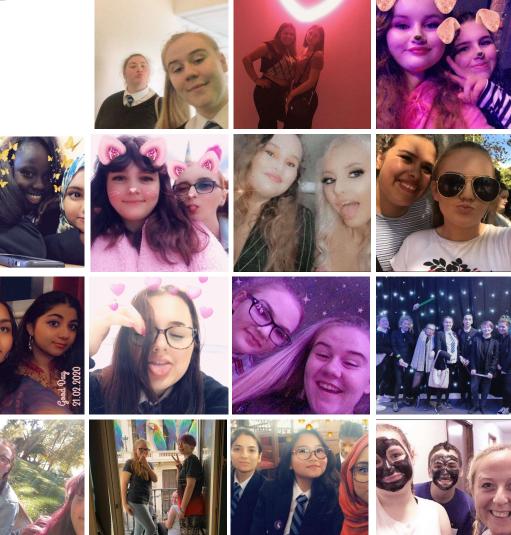
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