

St Mary's is home from home for Grace and Tim's three children, and with one about to leave and one only just starting their school journey, they say St Mary's is exceptional at offering special opportunities

Grace and Tim have Ada in Year 6, Frank in Year 3 and Ivy in Nursery.



## A welcoming and nurturing school

"The children are happy at school, they have great friends. It's a strange feeling to have one child coming to the end of their primary school journey and one just starting out. St Mary's is still a lovely, nurturing school, filled with welcoming and friendly faces. When we first looked around, we were impressed that every class had a TA assigned and the enrichment programme is fantastic," said Grace.

## Dedicated teachers who teach specialist subjects

"Having teachers dedicated to teaching French, Music, Art and Sport has made a huge difference to our children. Knowing the children are getting dedicated time each week with specialists in their field is great. Learning to speak a different language has been important for all of them and they've picked up different interests because they've been

introduced to lots of different, creative and sporting activities. Frank plays the piano, both he and Ada love art, and Ada has taken up gymnastics so it's been great to see them develop these interests," said Tim.

## Trips to Paris and Peer Mediation

"The trip to Paris was brilliant, it happens every year for children in Year 5. It's a one-day trip where they leave at 5am. They travel on the Eurostar to Paris and it's seen as almost a rite of passage, they have so much fun and make lovely memories."

### Children say:

Ada says: "I love doing gymnastics."  
Frank says: "My friends and I like playing at break time."  
Ivy says: "I like my teacher."

St Mary's is split over 2 sites a few minutes walk from each other. You can contact the school in the following ways:



**St. Mary's CE Primary School**  
Rectory Gardens (Years 3-6)  
Hornsey, London N8 7QN

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Please address written enquires to The Admin Team

**Telephone:** 020 8340 4898  
Choose option '1' for Rectory Gardens (Years 3-6) or  
Choose option '2' for Church Lane (Nursery to Year 2)  
**Email:** office@stmarysn8.co.uk

**St. Mary's CE Primary School**  
Church Lane (Nursery - Y2)  
Hornsey, London N8 7BU

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