

My name is Laura Neville I graduated from Stuartholme School in 2004.

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Stuartholme's influenced me in so many ways, I think for me really the personal side of things and the confidence and being able to work as part of a team is probably key. I remember receiving a letter from one of the teachers there who was heavily involved in rowing and she mentioned this quote that was 'the whole is greater than the sum of its parts'. And I've always remembered that, it's an old quote and it's such an important part of life, and an important part of work and here I am in another culture and dealing with people from all over the world and to be able to know your strengths and also work well as part of a team and recognise strengths in others is very important.

Stuartholme to me was such a happy, energetic place, I loved my time there, I've got such fond memories of school and the environment that we were in. I think I look at all these great friends of mine now who are all over the world doing incredible things and I just think we've got such a fantastic network and we were so well set up to succeed in life.