

## Lockdown Life

*I wonder when we will get to return,  
To days at school all together to learn,  
Missing so much of our final year,  
Not seeing friends who we hold so dear.*

*Now we work at home, learning from screens  
Turn on the camera so you can be seen,  
Looking at faces of our classmates at home  
But still end up feeling rather alone.*

*Uplifted by news of other's success  
Like Captain Sir Tom raising so much for the NHS.  
Amazing people going to such lengths  
We praise our key workers for showing such strength.*

*Listening to the news; R-rate; mutations; vaccinations  
Everywhere we hear, rules and regulations  
Living our lives in total isolation,  
Stay home; save lives; protect the nation.*

*Worries close in as I lie in bed at night,  
Numbers, statistics, when will an end be in sight  
Hoping that life will stop seeming so strange  
I try to calm myself and learn to live with the change.*

*When will we get back to our old way of life?  
Hugging each other, without fear or strife  
Playing together, sports, netball and games  
Those gates will open, welcome back to St James!*