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**ST. MARK'S SENIOR SECONDARY PUBLIC SCHOOL, JANAKPURI  
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*Dear Readers,*

*It is indeed heartening to note that our students have been bringing laurels to the school by attaining meritorious positions in academics and co-curricular activities. This could not have been possible without hard work and a sincere commitment to the goal of attaining excellence in these fields. Any relaxation in commitment, hard work and persistence can initiate the reverse, downwards trend. Therefore, we must persevere and persist in the pursuit of our goals. Persistence ultimately is the hall mark of a successful career anywhere. Persistence, is the capacity to stay on in spite of handicaps and difficulties, is a strong will proven as carbon is to steel. It is persistence which makes the difference between a dream and its realisation, without persistence and will to work hard and win, goals remain unrealised dreams mere visualisation of ideals. Calvin Coolidge former US President is quoted to have said "Nothing can take the place of persistence, Talent will not, there is nothing more common than unsuccessful men with talent, genius will not, the world is full of educated derelects, only persistence is omnipotent." Therefore aim high, keep goals realistic, follow them with dogged determination, and success will become your habit. The world of achievements is not for waverers, cynics & doubters. We must have faith in our efforts. Remember Arthur Clough's famous lines, "Say not the struggle naught availeth, the labour and wounds are in vain, and as things have been things remained." Nothing ever remains the same after we put in sincere efforts. Things change for the better, He avers again "If hopes are dupes fears may be liars and in the yon smoke concealed your comrades still chase the fliers And but for you hold the field." Let us hope, this academic session will bring more success, greater knowledge & wisdom and blessings of Almighty.*

—EDITOR

**A MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN**

Every academic year is a complete life cycle in itself, each ascending step takes a student nearer to that stage of life where he or she has to face the realities of the world as a mature human being.

We, in our institution, strive to prepare our students with the spirit of healthy competition to excel in all curricular and co-curricular activities. It is our endeavour that each student should blossom into a worthy citizen with a high degree of social consciousness.

At the beginning of this academic session. I would like to congratulate all the staff and students and extend my good wishes to excel in the years to come.

**T.P. Aggarwal**  
Chairman





## EXTEMPORE COMPETITION

Extempore Competition was held in St. Mark's School, Janakpuri on 6th May, 2002 for the middle sections (VI, VII, VIII) under the able guidance of Headmistress. The aim of the competition was

to enhance the conversational and creative skills of the students.

The prizes were given to the winners by Principal Mrs. M.M. Midha and Vice Principal Mrs. P. Arora. The students who secured First Position in three different

categories were :

1. Akriti Class VI C
2. Poonam Class VII F
3. Dhruv Class VIII C

Manager Mr. L. K. Rai praised the students and the organisers Ms. Monica Singh and Ms. Shalini Saxena for their good work.

ST. MARK'S SR. SEC. PUBLIC SCHOOL, Janak Puri organized a seminar on "Story Narration" for classes IV and V on 18th April 2002. Mrs. Kamlesh Mohindra, an educationist working as a consultant with Sri Aurobindo Educational Society, conducted the seminar. The seminar was designed for narration of effective story telling.

Mrs. Kamlesh Mohindra's friendly approach made the programme more interesting by interacting with the students.

Children not only enjoyed the interesting story but also received the message behind the story to lessen "Noise Pollution" so that peace can prevail in our society. Children also benefited from this seminar as they learnt the technique of effective story narration.

The programme came to an end with an active yogic exercise and chanting of 'mantra' by students. Student response was marvellous and they enjoyed each moment of it.

## READ ALOUD COMPETITION

St. Mark's Sr. Sec. Public School, Janakpuri, conducted intra class Read Aloud Competition for classes IV and V. This competition was organised under the of the Headmistress Mr. Alka Kher, to help the children enhance their vocabulary and improve the fluency in spoken language. Mr. Rai, the Manager, in his address stressed on the importance of correct pronunciation. The winners were awarded prizes.

AVANTIKA, a group of contemporary artists and intellectuals honoured Mrs. M.M. Midha, Principal and Mrs. Alka Kher, Headmistress of ST. MARK'S SR. SEC. PUBLIC SCHOOL, Janakpuri with the "Lok Nayak Jaiprakash Narayan Bharat Ratan Avantika Samman" for their active participation and involvement in this year's Avantika International Painting Competition. The school has

## CONGRATULATIONS !



Mrs. M.M. Midha receiving award

been placed first in the Delhi state and IInd at the National Level for its overwhelming response and excellent quality of the paintings, in the Avantika Painting Competition 2002. For this, 69 students were awarded with cash prizes and gold, silver and bronze medals.

The teacher in charge Mr. Deepak also received the Rabindra Nath Tagore Samman for his contribution under the programme of Avantika.



Mrs. Alka Kher receiving award



Mr. Deepak Saxena receiving award



### INDIAN ENVIRONMENT SOCIETY MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT

Organised the Earth Day celebration from 17-22nd April at National Science Academy. Our school also participated in the various events organised by them such as Declamation, Essay writing, News watch, Poster making etc.

First position in the declamation was scored by Arnab Dasgupta of 8th Std.

Students were prepared by Ms. Supriya Bist, Ms. Monica Singh and Ms. Chandrani Ganguli under the able guidance of Ms. Alka Kher the Headmistress.



Maths Club of ST. MARK'S SR. SEC. PUBLIC SCHOOL, JANAKPURI organised Inter House Maths Quiz on 26.4.2002 for classes VI, VII & VIII. The four teams were named as Circles, Squares, Triangles and Pentagons. In the quiz, there were seven rounds testing their numerical ability, reasoning, logical thinking and activity skill. Participants gave excellent response in all rounds. Students had fun with Magical Wheel and Match Sticks round was quite interesting. Activity round was equally enjoyed by the participants. Audience and guests also took active participation in the quiz. It was a joint effort of Mrs. Poonam Bhatia, Mrs. Renuka Jain, Mrs. Geeta and Ms. Mamta and quiz masters Deeksha Sharma, Ankit Jain. The students and staff members were

given lot of encouragement by Manager Mr. L.K. Rai, Principal Mrs. M.M. Midha & Vice Principal Mrs. P. Arora. The other arrangement were taken care of by Mr. Dubey, Mr. Girish and by the students Deepti and Kashima, Piyush Verma, Anshul and Anisha Pabbi. Members of Square team bagged the first prize.



An Elocution Competition was held in St. Francis De Sales School on 22nd April 2002. More than 30 schools participated in the contest. Spurdha Sood of St. Mark's School, Janakpuri bagged the first position. She got a gold medal, sponsored by N.I.E. and a cash prize of Rs. 500/- along with a certificate of merit for securing the first position.



Creative Art at display

To beat the heat of the day Milo's cold coffee was very welcoming and with this the day concluded on a spirit of achievement and success.

### 'CREATIVE CRAFT'

S.M.S. Janakpuri celebrated its Open Day on 20th April 2002 in the school premises. The event of the day was a fabulous display of creative crafts made of stones, glass, dry leaves, poster and fabric colours, ranging from idols to sceneries and pictures. The exhibition encouraged the young artists to bring forth their talents and to develop an appreciation for art and craft. This marvellous display of creative craft of classes III to V was graced by the presence of Manager, Principal, Vice Principal and Headmistress.

Another attraction of the day was an exhibition by scholastic publishers, which caught the interest of pupils of all age groups and levels.

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### INTER HOUSE G.K. QUIZ

An Inter-House G.K. Quiz was organised for classes III to V on 26th July, 2002. Four teams were selected after a preliminary written test in which all the students participated. Each House team comprised of one student each of class III, IV & V. The quiz had four rounds of questions, General, Audio, Visual and Rapid Fire. Patel House won the quiz by scoring the highest. The prizes were given away by the principal Mrs. M.M. Midha and the Headmistress Mrs. Alka Kher. The aim of organising such events in the school is to increase the general awareness of the students.



OUR MERITORIOUS STUDENTS ★ ★ ★ CONGRATULATIONS ! ★ ★ ★

I

II

III

CLASS I



Drishti Mittal



Sonali Tomar



Kunal Garg

CLASS II



Saloni Suri



Arzoo Sachdeva



Sushira Sharma

CLASS III



Chhavi Khurana



Shreya Puri



Deepakshi Marwah

CLASS IV



Vasu Aggarwal



Aditi Aggarwal



Nishtha Pahuja

CLASS V



Abhishek Sen



Rahul Narang



Bhawna Sharma

CLASS VI



Bhavya Suri



Joshita Arora



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I

II

III

CLASS VII



Nitesh Jain



Shitij Khanna



Anisha Pabbi

CLASS VIII



Arjun Talwar



Tanmay Aggarwal



Anurika Arora

CLASS IX



Ashish Patro



Neha Rawal



Sakshi Kachru

CLASS X



Jasleen Bhasin



Deepti K.



Neha Gurnani

CLASS XI



Sonia Tuli (Commerce)



Manisha Varma (Scie.)



Priyanka Nair (Humanities)

CLASS XII



Swati Jain (Commerce)



Debyottam (Science)



Richa Mahajan (Humanities)



# HAPPENINGS

## A SPECIAL MENTION !

**Dashmeet Sethi** of **Class-II B** was awarded the **1st Prize** in an Inter School on the Spot Painting Competition was organized by St. Francis De Sales Public School, Janakpuri in which 40 schools of Delhi participated. She also bagged First prize in Drawing and Painting Competition organized by Mother's Pride School (Punjabi Bagh).



**Dashmeet Sethi**

Our Sanskrit teacher Mrs. Usha Lal has been awarded cash prize of Rs. 7,000/- for her meritorious service and contribution to Sanskrit language. The prize was awarded by Snaskrit Academy.



**Mrs. Usha Lal**

Our school participated in various events in St. Francis De Sales School's Silver Jubilee Fest. Our students excelled in many events thus enabling our school to bag 1st Runners Up Trophy. Following are the details :

### **DRAWING COMPETITION**

**HELD ON : 22ND APRIL, 2002**

#### CATEGORY - (CLASS I-III)

II B DASHMEET SETHI

IST PRIZE (TROPHY, CERTIFICATE & CASH PRIZE OF RS. 500)

### **ELOCUTION COMPETITION**

**HELD ON 22ND APRIL, 2002**

#### CATEGORY (CLASS VI-VIII)

VIII F SPURDHA SOOD

IST PRIZE (TROPHY, CERTIFICATE & CASH PRIZE OF RS. 500)

### **ENGLISH POETRY RECITATION COMPETITION**

**HELD ON 24TH APRIL, 2002**

#### CATEGORY (CLASS I-III)

III C ARZOO SACHDEVA

3RD PRIZE (CERTIFICATE & CASH PRIZE OF RS. 100)

## **FRITO LAYS EXTEMPORE SPEAKING COMPETITION**

Frito Lays Extempore Speaking Competition was organized on 23rd July for Classes III-V.

Following were declared the winners :

### **CLASS III TEAM—IST PRIZE**

1. PRIYANKA GUPTA	III D	} WON BRITANICA ENCYCLOPEDIA C.D'S WORTH RS. 1000/- EACH
2. SUSHIRA SHARMA	III D	
3. ROHIT ARORA	III E	

### **CLASS IV TEAM—RUNNERS UP PRIZE**

1. DIKSHA	IV E
2. TANYA NANAVALY	IV F
3. ASHIM DUTT	IV D

**TEACHER INCHARGE :** MRS. RITU KHURANA, MRS. BINDU BATRA & MRS. C. SEN GUPTA

1. ARNAB DAS GUPTA	VIII E	1st PRIZE
2. DHRUV BHATNAGAR	VIII C	2nd PRIZE
3. PRATEEK SHARAN	VIII F	3rd PRIZE

Winners got one C.D. of britannica encyclopedia worth Rs. 1000/- each.



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Primary wing of our school organized English Poetry Recitation Competition on 15 July 2002. Following are the **WINNERS OF ENGLISH POETRY RECITATION COMPETITION**

## CLASS I

I F	JASMINE PARNAMI	1st PRIZE
I B	SIMRAN GROVER	2nd PRIZE
I D	ANISHA SEJWAL	3rd PRIZE
I E	ANKITA WADHWA	SPECIAL PRIZE

## CLASS II

II F	DRISHTI MITTAL	1st PRIZE
II D	ANISHA DUA	2nd PRIZE
II C	SNEHA B. ZACHARIA	3rd PRIZE
II A	SIMRIDHI ARORA	SPECIAL PRIZE

## CLASS III

III C	AANCHAL ARORA	1st PRIZE
III C	ARZOO SACHDEVA	2nd PRIZE
III A	NIMISH GULATI	3rd PRIZE
III E	S. DIVYA	SPECIAL PRIZE

## CLASS IV

IV B	MRIDUAL KAPUR	1st PRIZE
IV D	SWATI KAMRA	2nd PRIZE
IV E	SHREYA PURI	3rd PRIZE
IV E	CHHAVI KHURANA	SPECIAL PRIZE

## CLASS V

V F	NISHTHA PAHUJA	1st PRIZE
V E	CHAITANYA KHER	2nd PRIZE
V E	SARTAJ SINGH	3rd PRIZE
V D	VISHESH SHARMA	SPECIAL PRIZE

**HINDI RECITATION** was held on 19.7.2002 for Classes VI-VIII. Winners were as follows :

## CLASS VI

VI A	CHITRA SURI	1st PRIZE
VI C	YASHIKA SHARMA	2nd PRIZE
VI C	RICHA SIKRI	3rd PRIZE

## CLASS VII

VII B	ASTHA ANAND	1st PRIZE
VII C	MONICA CHOPRA	2nd PRIZE
VII A	NITESH SHARMA	3rd PRIZE

## CLASS VIII

VIII C	DHRUV BHATNAGAR	1st PRIZE
VIII G	RISHABJEET SINGH SAWHNEY	2nd PRIZE
VIII C	RITIKA CHOCHAN	3rd PRIZE



# HAPPENINGS

## INTER CLASS ENGLISH POETRY RECITATION COMPETITION

An Inter-class Poetry Recitation Competition was organised by the English Department for classes IX and X on 17th July, 2002 and for classes XI and XII on 16th of July. The event was praised by the Manager, Mr. L.K. Rai, Principal Mrs. M.M. Midha, Vice Principal Mrs. P. Arora and Headmistress Mrs. Alka Kher. 16 students participated in it. Manager Mr. L.K. Rai and Principal Mrs. M.M. Midha appreciated the participants and guided them on how to improve upon the presentation. Vice Principal Mrs. P. Arora proposed vote of thanks. The winners are as follows :

### CLASS IX

1st PRIZE	SAUMYA PAHWA	IX A
2nd PRIZE	NIDHI	IX B
3rd PRIZE	NEHA JAIN	IX D

### CLASS X

1st PRIZE	ANUBHAV	X G
2nd PRIZE	NEHA RAWAL & SEEMA SHARMA	X F
3rd PRIZE	MEETALI BEHL	X G

### CLASS XI

1st PRIZE	DEEPTI	XI B
2nd PRIZE	KANIKA	XI A
3rd PRIZE	DIPIKA	XI A

### CLASS XII

1st PRIZE	ANU SINDHWANI	XII D
2nd PRIZE	YATIN	XII C
3rd PRIZE	PRIYANKA NAIR	XII A

**SANSKRIT RECITATION** was held on 19-7-2002 for classes VI-VIII. Following were the winners :

### CLASS VI

1st PRIZE	PUNEET ARORA	VI E
2nd PRIZE	JASLEEN KAUR	VI C
3rd PRIZE	PREETINDER KAUR	VI C

### CLASS VII

1st PRIZE	PAULOMI CHATTERJEE	VII A
2nd PRIZE	ANUJA SHARMA	VII A
3rd PRIZE	SATPRAKASH SHARMA	VII E

### CLASS VIII

1st PRIZE	SURABHI SHARMA	VIII G
2nd PRIZE	SHIVANI PURI	VIII E
3rd PRIZE	SHEETAL SHARMA	VIII A

## HINDI RECITATION COMPETITION

A Hindi Recitation Competition was held in our school for classes VI-X.

All the participants performed very well and were given certificate of participation. Three winners from each class were chosen and were awarded prizes and merit certificates by our honourable Principal Mrs. M.M. Midha.



## HAPPENINGS

The names of the winners are as follows :

1. CHITRA SURI	CLASS VI	1st PRIZE
2. YASHIKA SHARMA	CLASS VI	2nd PRIZE
3. RICHA SEKHRI	CLASS VI	3rd PRIZE
4. AASTHA ANAND	CLASS VII	1st PRIZE
5. MONIKA CHOPRA	CLASS VII	2nd PRIZE
6. NITESH SHARMA	CLASS VII	3rd PRIZE
7. DRUV	CLASS VIII	1st PRIZE
8. RISHABJEET SINGH	CLASS VIII	2nd PRIZE
9. RITIKA CHAUHAN	CLASS VIII	3rd PRIZE
10. DARVEEN GANDHI	CLASS IX	1st PRIZE
11. RUPALI KASHYAP	CLASS IX	2nd PRIZE
12. POOJA GUPTA	CLASS IX	3rd PRIZE
13. SAKSHI NAGPAL	CLASS X	1st PRIZE
14. MEGHA BARGOTRA	CLASS X	2nd PRIZE
15. RIDHIMA SEHGAL	CLASS X	3rd PRIZE

Cricket & Table Tennis Camp was organised from 11th May to 31st May 2002 in the school. The camp was inaugurated by our chairman **MR. T.P. AGGARWAL**.

An edu-camp, supervised by school teachers was organised for classes III, IV & V on 9th & 10th March. Various confidence building exercises like, rappelling, river crossing, net crawling, burma bridge, wall climbing and tent pitching were organized. Students thoroughly enjoyed their two day stay. They learnt the importance of team work. Teachers in charge and the student participants were given certificates.



Future Cammandos !  
Students attending Edu-Camp



Winners with their shields

Our students participated in Song and Dance Competition organized by Sanatan Jyoti Bal Sanskriti Geeta Pratiyogita on the occasion of Radha Ashtmi. Our students bagged the First Prize.



Let us scale the heights !  
Students attending Rock Climbing Session



Around 50 students from Senior wing participated in Rock climbing exercise organised at Ramjas Sports Complex in the month of April under the supervision of Teachers incharge Mr. Ravi, Mr. Girish & Mrs. Manju.

Our school held its 18th Athletic Meet on 18th & 19th April, 2002. The meet was declared open by the Manager Mr. L.K. Rai. Various events like 100 mts., 200 mts., race and relay race were thoroughly enjoyed by the students. Performance of students in the events held, was excellent. Gandhi House bagged the shield for the best performance. Best Athletes Trophies in various categories were awarded to Aditya (Gandhi House), Eshanit (Patel House) in Junior Category, Bhuvan (Patel House), Akash (Shastri House) Sub Junior Category and Laveesh (Gandhi House) & Aarika (Patel House) in Senior Category. Nitisha and Tarang from Gandhi House in Sub Junior Category won special trophies.



Students taking oath to play the games in true sportsman spirit



Gandhi House members with the Manager, Vice Principal, Headmistress and House incharge Ms. Vandana Shah

## HRIDYA SHAN PROJECT

On 6th April, 2000 the world Health Day was celebrated under the theme March For Health. The programme was organised by HRIDAY-SHAN Project for the Delhi School members. Our school students participated in the symbolic walk and presented an energetic, foot-tapping aerobic dance number. The programme included a variety of items—yoga, aerobic, cycling, races presented by different schools. The participants were given T-shirts and certificates.

## MAYANK FLIES SKY HIGH

Mayank Tehlan of Class XI has been selected for the All India Cricket Coaching Camp at

Chinnaswami Stadium, Bangalore to be held from 28.7.02 to 3.8.02. The camp has been organised by Parle-G and Mayank is one of the 20 players selected all over India. The trainees will be trained by an Australian coach.

## A GLORIOUS VICTORY BY ST. MARK'S

St. Mark's School, Janakpuri registered a stunning victory over North Delhi Cricket Academy by 8 wickets in the Master Prabhu Dayal (U-15) cricket tournament held on the 22nd of July. N.D.C.A. was 147 for 6 in 35 overs whereas St. Mark's ended the match in 23.2 overs by giving off 2 wickets.

Luv Thapar Scored	53
Priyank Tehlan Scored	38

JUST A MINUTE JAM Session was conducted by Frito Lay's in St. Mark's Sr. Sec. Public School, Janakpuri on 23rd July, 2002. More than 37 students of classes VI to VIII participated whole-heartedly. After three mind blowing qualifying rounds Arnab, Dhruv and Prateek were declared as 1st, 2nd & 3rd winners respectively. The JAM session enhanced their G.K. knowledge and the children enjoyed playing other games too. It was organized under the guidance of Headmistress Mrs. A. Kher. In the end prizes were given away by Vice Principal Mrs. P. Arora.



### APPOINTMENT : OFFICE BEARERS 2002-2003

Vice Head Boy, Vice Head Girl and other appointment holders for the session 2001-2002 were promoted to the ranks of Head Boy, Head Girl and other appointments to their corresponding senior appointments in a ceremony held in the month of July.

Also a newly selected team of office bearers to act as vice appointments from Class XI was introduced to the school.



Newly appointed office bearers for the session 2002-2003

### ECO CLUB 'VASUDHA'

Students of Eco Club 'VASUDHA' conducted a workshop on recycling of paper on 23rd July 2002 in the school premises. They used old newspapers and made greeting cards. New members of the club learnt the process by watching and working in the workshop.

### MASHOBRA TRIP (14th to 19th Nov. 2002)

ST. MARK'S SR. SEC. PUBLIC SCHOOL organised trekking and rock climbing camp at MASHOBRA. 40 students who attended the camp for six days were exposed to stamina building and rock climbing course, outdoor activities were also organised by rock



In tandem with nature : students on Mashobra Trip

climbing experts. The main aim was to build up sense of leadership and cooperation, living close to nature. Students were taken on tracks and also to villages for village study and interaction with the local people of the area. It was an experience for the students to live so close

to nature and enjoy its bounties. On return they visited Naldhera, Kufri, Shimla. The teachers-in-charge were Mr. Girish, Ms. Manju, Ms. Monika, Mr. Rocky and Mr. Gautam.



## THE GLORY OF ST. MARKS

Right from my childhood  
From the first grade  
There was St. Marks  
Giving me its shade

It put stars to my personality  
It gave boost to my ability  
Twelfth year is which I am going  
through  
And I want to say my lord, oh I  
thank you

Thank you for giving me, such a  
precious gift  
Thanks for giving me St. Marks  
School  
I am proud to be a student of a  
school so swift  
And I can proudly say that "My  
School is Cool"

My school is best and that is for  
sure  
If you're in St. Marks you'll never  
ask for more  
The teachers here are more like  
friends  
But Alas ! My inning is coming to  
an end

With Principal like a mother,  
Manager like a guide  
Victory will always be on our side  
I'll never forget the building,  
sheltering from sun  
I'll never forget the ground, on  
which I had run

St. Marks, Janakpuri, always  
number one  
Astonishing results, which makes  
everyone stunned  
Great education along with laughter  
and fun  
Other schools are still aiming, but  
we've reached and done

The students respect it, from their  
heartiest core  
With such interesting education,  
we never got bored  
The students always employed,  
Hard work as their tool  
And I'll never ever forget my very  
own school

After the grand farewell, I'll leave  
this place  
But will carry with myself, dignity  
and grace  
I never stood first in any of the  
race  
But the most important thing was  
I was steady at my pace

Right from my childhood  
From the first grade  
There was St. Marks  
Giving me its shade

It taught me to fight, It taught me  
to dare  
How delicate circumstances be, to  
handle it with care  
It gifted me confidence, deleting  
utter confusion  
It guided my way, to my desired  
conclusion

It gave me a blanket, when I felt  
cold  
It taught me to be, strong and bold  
It removed the stress, the strain,  
paranoid  
It taught me to be calm and not to  
be annoyed

When I was depressed, it gave  
me happiness  
When I was about to fall, it saved  
me from wreckness  
It kindled my desire, my  
determination  
But it also warned me of "The  
Annihilation"

So come all Students, Don't be  
fools  
As you have with you, few years,  
in your very own school  
Get rid of all your tensions, play it  
up cool  
And let the world say it all, "ST.  
MARKS RULES"

Its not the time to waste, or to  
play pranks  
Its time to stand apart, apart as  
champs

Perform superb so that the world  
says "WOW"  
The future means a lot to you and  
the future is NOW

When blocked my way, it showed  
me the light  
It helped me decide, what's wrong,  
what's right  
Now I can hold on in conditions  
which are tight  
I have the confidence to stand up  
and fight

That's coz  
Right from my childhood  
From the first grade  
There was St. Marks  
Giving me its shade

All our school needs, is just a little  
improvisation  
All our school needs, is just a little  
alteration  
More the discipline, More is the name  
And if you have the success, you  
have the fame

All you have to do is to shine like  
a star  
To encourage yourself in what you  
are  
Spread peace in the world in its  
each and every corner  
And follow the schools motto of  
"LOYALTY, TRUTH AND HONOUR"

A little hard work will take you to  
the top  
A small mistake and you are a flop  
May you be able to catch your  
opportunity's rope  
May you make your school proud  
I will always hope  
May god bless you all, I will  
always pray  
And there will be a time when you  
will also say

That  
Right from my childhood  
From the first grade  
There was St. Marks  
Giving me its shade