

Makukhanye 2019

When we were on the bus to Makukhanye I was quite nervous and didn't know what to expect. However, when we arrived just outside the school the children came rushing out of their classrooms and started waving at us excitedly with smiles all across their faces. When we went into the school courtyard, the whole school started singing to us in their language. I didn't know what the words meant but the singing was beautiful and made us feel all very welcome. As I entered one of the classrooms, it made me realise how lucky we are for all the facilities we have here at St Faiths compared to Makukhanye. Many of the children live in quite harsh conditions, but even though they are not as fortunate as us they were still extremely kind to us the whole time we were there. We played football with the boys and the girls played a game of netball. After hearing so much about Makukhanye it was great to visit the school in real life and I will always treasure these memories of my time in South Africa.

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