



Sir James Smith's Community School

ASPIRATION ● AMBITION ● ACHIEVEMENT

Alumnus – Personal Details

<p>Name as a student</p>	<p>Sally Joanne Ponting</p>
<p>Current name if different to student name</p>	<p>N/A</p>
<p>Years attended SJS</p>	<p>2004-2009</p>
<p>Education after SJS</p>	<p>Truro College, University of Exeter.</p>
<p>Qualification(s) gained through employment/FE/HE</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master of Science (MSc) in Food Security and Sustainable Agriculture at the University of Exeter (Distinction with the Dean's Commendation). • Bachelor of Science (BSc) (Hons) Conservation Biology and Geography at the University of Exeter (Upper Second Class with honours). • 4 A-levels: Geography, Biology, Chemistry and English Language & Literature.
<p>The area, town or city where you currently live</p>	<p>Falmouth.</p>
<p>Current employment or job title</p>	<p>Bee Ecology Research Assistant – Rothamsted Research. Just relocated from my previous job as a Land Management Adviser for South Devon for Natural England.</p>
<p>Other special achievements/successes</p>	<p>Was awarded the Dean's Commendation for my MSc (due to achieving the highest grade in the year). As</p>

	part of this I worked in a leading bee research laboratory and am set to have this research published in a scientific journal this year (2016).
The most memorable experiences of life at Sir Jim's	P.E lessons (especially hockey) and just brilliant memories with friends I am still in contact with now.