



CONGRATULATIONS, LATHA!!



Mary Williamson **Congratulations**, Latha, on your retirement and thank you for 31 years of service!! Thank you, too, for being there for us, being our rock, our go-to person, and giving our alumni association all the support, help and information you could. Good luck and enjoy the next chapter of your life. Hugs! – Mary Williamson (AIS/AES Alumni Association President)



Susie Anabith All the best



Bryan Sipho Martin Yes...go Latha!!!!



Mary Renner Grayzel Latha, You have been the gracious, welcoming, smiling, efficient person that greeted so many of the AES community. It has been an honor to know you. Wishing you a lovely retirement.



Peggy Sood Through the best and worst times AES has seen, Latha remained a woman of the highest integrity, worthy of everyone's trust.

My dear Latha,

All the very best wishes to you as you move into the next phase of your life..

It has been an honor and a pleasure to have worked with you from your earliest days at AES. At every stage in your career you demonstrated your integrity and clarity of thinking. You were never swayed by the many contentious issues that passed your desk or the varying personalities who entered your world. Directors, principals, teachers, parents, students, staff knew they could trust you and that you would keep confidences.

And no one was more efficient and better organized than you! Board materials, old records, the odd photo -- you could find them all and produce them for the anxious hand!

Your respectful manner insured that others treated you with respect. In a calm, measured tone you answered dozens of queries each day and your smile and shining eyes spoke of warmth and a desire always to serve and support the AES community. Indeed, you have embodied the best of the AES ethos over these 31 years.

Moving on from AES is difficult. And yet, one never really does move on. AES is embedded in the hearts and minds of all who have worked or studied there. And so, you too will be part of the world-wide AES family, floating in the cloud of memories and life-long connections that keep the AES spirit alive and remind us that we did our very best for each other.

As you always did.

With great admiration and affection, Latha, all the best in the coming years!

Peggy Sood



[Mary Bagnato](#) Dear Latha, What to write? I'm certain that you have no idea how much your many kindnesses meant to Uwe and me. Without your wise council, hard work consistent support and professionalism Uwe's transition to AES would have been much more difficult. I remember clearly how happy he was for you and how sad he was for himself when you moved to the director's office, a position you were eminently qualified for. As you enter this new phase of your life, retirement, I wish you every happiness, good health and time to do whatever you choose to do. Namaste.

Photo from Daniela Avitabile; taken in February 2013



[Xavier Stamps-Lafont](#) Latha saw myself as well as my two brothers pass through AES. From the Lafont family, thank you Latha and have a wonderful retirement!



[Bob Mockrish](#) Latha, don't know if you remember me, but I hired you to be my secretary and you moved on from there. You were just a newly graduated student and you were an excellent secretary. What memories we have of our time at AES !



[Peggy Sood](#) **[Bob Mockrish](#)** (to Latha — we remember your early days in E block, Latha, with great fondness — and immediate recognition of your strengths!!)



Jae Won Shim I attended AES from 1995 to 2002 and I have nothing but fond memories of Latha! She was always kind, caring, patient, calm, with a bright and welcoming smile on her face. I will never forget her positivity and kindness. Latha, congratulations on your retirement!



Ali Abdulla Well said **Jae Won**. She is a wonderful woman and always a pleasure to chat with 😊 congratulations Latha!



Jae Won Shim Latha Srinivasan thank you Latha! The positive impact you've made in our lives will never be forgotten! I hope you enjoy retirement. I hope it's full of blessings, soul-nourishing adventures, good people, good health, and happy times. ♥



Jo Champ De Mars All the best Latha.



Alexa Panagoulis Schmid Dear Latha, congratulations on your retirement! You have been a beloved and important member of the AES community, and your daily presence will be missed. We wish you all the best on this next phase and adventure. Love, Alexa, Stewart, Sophie and Bella



Gregg Allen Congratulations, Latha!



Vera Garg I have always admired Latha's inner strength and courage of conviction. She is a woman of substance who shall be greatly missed at AES



Susan Young I very much respected and admired Latha when I worked at AES. She was always so professional, confidential, organized, calm, kind, positive, helpful, efficient, effective, and a good listener who connected with everyone. Latha was a person of integrity. Her calm presence and soothing voice brought down any stress or tension in the room. Latha was role model for all. People looked up to her. AES had the great fortune of tapping into Latha's talents and gifts for 31 years. She was a gem! I wish Latha all the best in her retirement. She will be greatly missed!



Shabbi Luthra Congratulations, Latha on 31 years of service! Have so many fond memories of our time at AES. Your warm smile, your kind, patient and charming demeanor welcomed one and all. Enjoy retirement and keep in touch!



Sydnie Peck Latha, you were always willing to help, and with a lovely smile. Enjoy your retirement !



Prem Vinayak Congratulations on your retirement. Thank you for all your help. Keep smiling. We wish you all the best 😊

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