



SOMERVILLE FEDERATION

Somerville Nursery and Somerville Primary Schools
"Aiming high together"



NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS 24th March 2017

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **26th March:** Clocks Spring Forward. Remember to turn your clock one hour forward on Sunday morning.
- **27th March:** No clubs this week except for Tennis and Film club
- **Thursday 30th March:** Cross country race at Arrowe Park.
- **31st March:** Break up for Spring & Easter Holidays.
- **TUESDAY 18th April:** Children return to school. The school day starts at 5 to 9.
- **18th April to 28th April:** Year 3 children swimming for two weeks, please remember your towel and costume.

See the school website for more dates.

Be on time, be in school for 5 to 9!

***93 children were late for school last week!
Was your child one of these children?***

Easter Celebration assembly

The children have been preparing for their Easter whole school sharing assembly which takes place next week for all of the children. Each class has been preparing a special poem, song or drama to share the Christian festival of Easter. We hope to upload any photos or videos where possible onto the school website during the Spring break. Keep a look out and have a look at the photo galleries already available.

Comic Relief and Down Syndrome fundraiser

Thank you for your kind donations today we have raised £.... Which will be shared between the two charities Comic Relief and Down Syndrome fundraiser. Well done to those who made a special effort to wear odd socks today.

Late for school...AGAIN!

Well done to those children who arrive on the school playground on time each morning. Thank you to those parents who value their child's education enough to ensure they are on time to start the school day well.

It is understandable that a child may be late in certain circumstances. However to be late on a regular basis.....there is no excuse!

After half term we will be focusing on those children who are regularly late for school. Please arrive at school on time and ready to be on the playground before five minutes to nine.

Ask yourself the following questions if your child is late regularly.

- What example am I setting for my child?
- What am I telling my child about how important it is to be on time?
- What am I telling my child about how much I value their education?
- Is it TIME we bought a new alarm clock?

Make yourself and your child a promise for after the break. We will **BE ON TIME**, We will **BE IN SCHOOL FOR 5 TO 9!**

Polling Day - SCHOOL OPEN!

On Thursday 4th May the school will be used as a polling station. The school will remain open to children on this day. In previous years the school has been closed, so please remember that this year the School will be OPEN to children.

Those wishing to use the polling station for the elections will enter the small section of the school hall from Poulton Road but will not be able to enter the main school building.