



# SOMERVILLE FEDERATION

Somerville Nursery and Somerville Primary Schools  
"Aiming high together"



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NEWSLETTER TO PARENTS 21<sup>st</sup> April 2017

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## DATES FOR THE DIARY

- **24<sup>th</sup> April to 28<sup>th</sup> April:** Year 3 children continue swimming for their last week.
- **Friday 28<sup>th</sup> April:** Douglas Fir class assembly at 9.10am. Parents, friends and family welcome.
- **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> May:** Bank Holiday: School **CLOSED**.
- **Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> May:** Local Elections school to remain **OPEN** to children.
- **Friday 5<sup>th</sup> May:** Beech class assembly at 9.10am. Parents, friends and family welcome.
- **Friday 26<sup>th</sup> May:** School closes for Whitsun Break.
- **Monday 5<sup>th</sup> June:** Children return to school.
- **Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June:** GENERAL ELECTION: School will be **CLOSED** to children

***91 children were late for school this week!***

## Places for September 2017

Our new reception children's parents and carers have now been notified of their school place for September 2017.

We look forward to welcoming you to our Foundation 2 classes soon.

We still have places available for those who are new to the area or if anyone has not yet applied for a school place.

## NURSEY SCHOOL OPEN DAY

Please remember our **Nursery School** open day takes place on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April. Make an appointment to come and visit at 10am or 2pm. Contact the Nursery School to book in on 0151 638 1567. We look forward to welcoming you on Thursday.

## Welcome back

Welcome back everyone and we truly hope you enjoyed the Spring Break and Easter weekend. We are now into our final term of the school year, how time flies!

## General Election

You will be aware that a General Election has been called by the Government for Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2017.

We have been informed that school is required to be a polling station on this day.

Whilst the school has carried out risk assessments for the school to remain open during the local elections in May the school has not been able to carry out live risk assessments to consider the impact of an increased number of electorate during a General Election.

As a consequence of considering previous risk assessments **the school will be closed to pupils during the General Election on Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2017.**

This is advance notice that you will therefore need to make arrangements for childcare arrangements for your child on this day.

## Residential meeting for our current Year 5 children

Thank you to those parents and carers who were able to attend one of the meetings on Wednesday to share our plans for the residential visit for Year 6 children in November 2017. If you were unable to attend don't worry. The presentation from the meeting and a video of the centre to be visited, are available to view on our school website in the News section.

£25 deposits towards your voluntary contribution should be paid by Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April if you wish to reserve a place for your child.

**Life is one big adventure or nothing at all!**