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Somerville News

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AIMING HIGH TOGETHER



WELCOME BACK TO A NEW SCHOOL YEAR

We would like to welcome back all returning pupils and extend a **warm welcome** to all of the new FS2 pupils, new children around the school and new members of staff.

We have had a number of requests over the summer for children to join us from other schools so we will have more new starters over the coming weeks. We have three new teachers this year; Miss Murray in FS2, Miss Woerdenweber in Year 3 and Miss Smith in Year 4.

Last academic year we had 27 new children join Somerville, from other schools, throughout the year. We are certainly popular with 84 new starters in FS2 as well! This is a testament to how hard our staff work for our families and the warmth families feel when they come to view the school, due to the lovely children we have here.

Here at Somerville we have an **exceptionally talented and dedicated group of professionals** who have **HIGH** expectations of **ALL** learners and strive for success implementing our vision, '**AIMING HIGH TOGETHER**'.

Staff have planned an exciting and challenging curriculum for this academic year with lots of fun events as well. We invite you to share this vision with us, for your child, by supporting the school by listening to your child read, ensuring they are on time, do not take unnecessary time off and support your child with any homework they might get. Thank you for your support.

IMPORTANT

Road Closures on **Wednesday 11th September**

Please make every effort to give yourselves extra time when collecting children from school on Wednesday 11th September. The OVO Energy Cycling Tour of Britain will be passing Wheatland Lane (St Josephs School), Tesco Express and Liscard Road (Egremont Primary School) at approximately 3.05pm. There will be a rolling road block on these roads for 15 minutes before the cyclists arrive and for approximately 45 minutes. Therefore please ensure you give yourself extra time in getting to school to collect your child on Wednesday. These road closures will affect traffic on Poulton Road and all neighbouring roads as all junctions will also be closed. It would be advisable **NOT** to use a car.

Dates for your Diary September

SEPTEMBER

Wednesday 11th

Tour of Britain. Road closures around school.

Friday 13th

Parent information leaflets out

Wednesday 18th

Year 3 swimming in the morning, every Wednesday

Monday 16th

Club letters out

Friday 20th

Club letters to be returned

Friday 27th

Club allocation letters given out

Monday 30th

Clubs start