

Somerford Primary School

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Dear Parents and Carers

Parent Champion for SEND – Monthly support and advice for families

As a school we want to play a role in improving SEND services for our children. We now have an opportunity to provide a confidential space here in school for families of children with SEND through a new Parent Champion project delivered and funded by SENDiass4BCP and Parent Carers Together.

Once a month (on a Wednesday) a dedicated Parent Champion will hold a 2-hour session to support families in navigating appropriate local and national services and networks to meet the needs of their children.

Time slots will be allocated to parents to a first come first served basis and are held in confidence at the school in the school day.

To enable us to plan ahead for these sessions we are asking parents / carers to email the school at <u>office@somerford.dorset.sch.uk</u> or to call Reception on 01202 485436 to request a slot.

The first session is on Wednesday 5th October 9.30-11.30 and our Parent Champion is Natasha Gerber.

We will confirm the date and time of your session with the Parent Champion in advance of the session.

We really hope you find this service helpful.

Best wishes

Helen Frampton

Headteacher





