

Congratulations to Somerville Middle School class of 2020 as you complete the next step on your academic journey. I know you will always have fond memories of the three years spent here, thinking back to September of 2017 when you first walked through the front door as a somewhat nervous sixth-grader. Today you leave as confident young men and women, ready to face the challenges that await you just up Davenport Street at Somerville High School.

The High School may be only a few minutes away, but it will be quite a different experience that awaits you when the new term begins. The health crisis we are all facing together is changing how we go about our daily lives, and how schools will operate in the future is no exception. You will be asked to be flexible, adaptable, and creative in meeting the high demands of Somerville High School, and I am confident that you are ready to excel. Somerville Middle School has prepared you well, and I know you will continue to make your parents, your teachers, and your community proud of your accomplishments.

Make the most of your next four years at Somerville High School. Enjoy making new friends, exploring new interests, and challenge yourself in the classroom and on the athletic field. I know that when you throw your graduation cap in the air in June of 2024, you will continue to reach for the sky. Good luck!

Mayor Dennis Sullivan

Borough of Somerville

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