

Comberton Update

20.03.2026



**Comberton
Primary School**

*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 2 – Mrs Heath with 97.7% 2nd week in a row!

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 6 – Miss Poyner with 98.4%

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

Year 3 had a wonderful time on their trip to Lower Smite Farm to enhance their Science curriculum learning about rocks and soils. The children loved getting hands on in a whole host of practical activities on the farm to explore the different types of rocks and soils. They returned full of knowledge and enthusiasm to apply to the classroom.



Our children in the Learning Hub have been learning about persuasive writing and writing for different audiences in English. They have written to local garden centres asking for donations to help us get the most out of our new school sensory garden. The children have engaged really well, writing for a real purpose and particularly enjoyed their trip to the post box to send their letters off! Fingers crossed they have persuaded the garden centres enough to help us out!

SIP Visit

We had our termly visit from our Local Authority School Improvement Partner this week as part of their ongoing Quality Assurance across schools. We focussed on writing and visited lots of lessons, spoke with staff and looked at children's English books. She was blown away by the impact of the work we have been doing and felt that the quality of teaching across the school was excellent. She particularly commented on the high expectations across school, calm and purposeful learning environment, strong staff subject knowledge, effectiveness of teaching assistants, adaptations for pupils with Special Educational Needs and leadership. We were very proud to be recognised again for the quality of education that we provide at Comberton.

Easter Fayre Donations

A huge thank you to everyone who has so generously donated Easter eggs today ready for our Easter Fayre next week. Your donations really do enable us to make this a successful fundraising event for the school.

Please continue to send in any bric-a-brac, bottles or sweet donations ahead of next week and remember to enter our 'Easter Bake Off' competition!

If you can bring as much change as possible to the Easter Fayre then that would be really helpful as we are always limited on floats.



Girls Football

Huge congratulations to our Year 6 girls football team who represented Comberton by playing at Wolves last week. They were competing against the top teams from across the West Midlands and did a superb job. They placed 3rd overall, just 1 point behind 2nd place. They showed skill, teamwork and determination and we are so proud of their achievement.



Athletics

Well done to the year 5's who attended the athletics event at Stourport Dome on Thursday, competing against other schools from across the Wyre Forest. They worked hard, performed well and behaved immaculately.

ISingPop

We have been offered a wonderful opportunity to take part in a very special performance. We have been nominated by Reverend Jaqueline Shalloe (our local Vicar and school Governor) to participate in this fully funded concert. Pupils in years 1-6 will take part in a series of singing workshops on 3rd, 4th and 5th June in school, learning a repertoire of pop songs rooted in British and Christian values. This will then culminate in a concert at St George's Church at 5:30pm on Tuesday 9th June, where a technical team will have set up lights and sound to ensure a very memorable experience for all. Watch out for more information to come but save the date in advance!

HAF – Easter Activities

Children aged 5-16 who are eligible for benefits-related Free School Meals can book up to 4 FREE holiday club sessions over the Easter holidays.

- Bookings open Wednesday 4th March 2026 at 12 noon.
- There is no need to pre-register before bookings go live.
- Families can browse activities as they are added and book directly via the link below.

For more information about HAF, please visit: [Holiday Activities and Food \(HAF\) Programme | Worcestershire County Council](#)

Dates for next week:

Mon 23rd Mar	Year 4 to Brook Court for Easter Crafts Year 5/6 Netball festival – selected pupils
Tues 24th Mar	Peter Cooper Assembly Phase 2
Weds 25th Mar	8:45 – 9am – Welcome Wednesday. All parents welcome to read in class. 2-3:30pm Easter fayre
Thurs 26th Mar	Swimming for year 4 Pm - Year 6 to Baxter College Dance Festival
Fri 27th March	Violin lessons 2LH Football session with Kidderminster Harriers Break up for Easter

Looking Ahead:

13.4.26 – Back to school