

Comberton Update

24.04.2026



**Comberton
Primary School**

*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 2 – Miss Timmins with 98.8%

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 5 – Mrs Hughes with 98%

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

I have been lucky enough to be in and out of lessons all week and have seen a range of support for our pupils in English and maths. Staff have brought tricky concepts to life through their choice of resources, use of programmes such as concept cat and careful use of language paired with visuals and gestures to help deeper understanding.

In Nursery, children had a wonderful time selecting from a range of objects to practise their initial sounds and in year 6, children used the visuals of string and squares of fabric to support distinguishing between area and perimeter.

A group of year 3's visited Offmore Primary School for a KPSA STEM competition where they put their engineering skills to the test! They were challenged to build a sturdy tower to survive the longest in a mock earthquake! They were 'given' a certain amount of money to spend on the best materials for the job so there were lots of important decisions to make. We were proud of how well the children worked to try and solves challenges and supported each other to meet the brief.



Well done to the year 3's who participated in the hockey skills festival – they had a fantastic morning developing their skills and working with other schools from across the Wyre Forest.

Instagram – Comberton Primary School and Nursery

We are now live on Instagram so please follow us! We have just started posting!



Bikeability

Congratulations to all the year 4 and 5 children who took part in level 1 and 2 Bikeability, developing their cycling skills to ensure they are safe on the road.

Looking ahead

If your child will be moving into key stage 2 next year (years 4, 5 or 6), they will need to have **a draw string bag** for use in the lockers. We like to give plenty of notice to avoid any unwanted upset with children having chosen rucksacks which they are then not able to use in school. Draw string bags are necessary due to the size of the lockers and to avoid any damage to the doors.





No Barriers Award

We are so proud of Mrs Phillips who has been awarded a 'No Barriers Award' in recognition of her relentless work and commitment to supporting our pupils with additional needs and their families. Her dedication to promoting inclusion in our school is really very special and we are very lucky to have her!

Junior Hockey training

Stourport Hockey Club: Training takes place on a Wednesday evening, 6.30 - 7.30pm @ Stourport Sports Club

Wyre Forest Hockey Club: Training takes place on a Saturday morning, 9.00 - 10.00am @ Winterfold School

Phonics Packs – Year 1 and identified Year 2s

Look out for your phonics pack made especially for you to be able to support your child on the run up to their phonics screening in June. Please practise the words, play the games and have some fun!

Attendance Party

2LH had a wonderful afternoon celebrating their double attendance award win following 6 weeks at the top for attendance. They had pizza, ice cream, party bags, dancing, party games and explored their new construction sets purchased for the classroom.



Training

I will be out for a quite a few days over the next few weeks on some intensive training and updates. Should you have any questions or concerns during any days when I am not in school, please don't hesitate to speak with Mrs Phillips or Mrs Hartley, who will be more than happy to help. As always, they will continue to ensure the smooth running of the school in my absence.

New!
**After School Group at
 Brookside Family Hub**



Running on the First
 Tuesday of the month.

3.15pm - 4.45pm

Tuesday 3rd February
 Tuesday 3rd March
 Tuesday 7th April
 Tuesday 5th May
 Tuesday 2nd June

Come along and spend some time
 with your child.



This FREE group is for all Primary
 School aged children, younger
 siblings welcome.

Snacks and refreshments provided.

<https://www.trybooking.com/uk/FWIE>

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/familyhubs



Best Start Family Hub, Brookside - Summer Term Timetable
 Borrington Road, Kidderminster, DY10 3ED. Tel: 01562 827207



Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Stay and Play 9.30 - 11 am Suitable for babies and children aged 0 - 5 years No need to book, just turn up! Self-Weigh Available	Breast Buddies Peer Support Group 10 - 11.30 am To book your place email whcnhs.infantfeeding@nhs.net	Midwife Clinic Booked appointments Birth and Beyond 9.30 - 11.30 am A 4 week preparation for parenthood group for first-time parents A bookable programme, to book call 01562 827207	Midwife Clinic Booked appointments Time for Baby Stay and Play 10 - 11 am A postnatal stay and play group for newborn and non-movers and parents/carers. No need to book, just turn up!	Speech & Language Booked appointments Kinship Carers Peer Support Group 9.30 - 11.30 am Second Friday of each month
Well Child Clinic 9.30 to 11.30 am Bookable appointment with a Community Nursery Nurse To book call 01905 520032	Healthy Steps Eating Well Cooking Well Children's oral health The importance of sleep Getting active 12.30 - 2.00 pm A bookable programme Children aged 0-5 welcome	SEND Views & Voices Support, solidarity & sanity for anyone supporting a child or young person with special educational needs or disabilities. 2 nd and 4 th Wednesday of the month Twin Time 1 - 2.30 pm A group for twins and multiples, every other Wednesday	Understanding Your Child In Partnership with WEST A bookable group for parents/carers of children up to and including 11 years old 12.30 - 2.30 pm 30/04/26 - 02/07/26 (not including half term)	Understanding Your Baby A bookable group for parents with babies aged 0 - 6 months 10.00am - 12.00pm 19/06/26 - 14/08/26 SEN Support Group (Nigel Prosser foundation) Offering advice, emotional support and opportunities for connection. 2 Course meal provided. 4.15 - 5.45pm BOOKING ESSENTIAL via Nigel Prosser Foundation
Physiotherapy Drop-in 9.30 - 11 am 1 st Monday of each month For parents/carers with children aged 0 - 5 years with concerns around their child's motor skills	Men United Dad's and Male Caregivers Peer Support Group every other Tuesday 1 - 3 pm No need to book, just turn up! After School Group A Bookable group running on the first Tuesday of the month 3.15 - 4.45 pm Book via QR Code.	SEN Support Group (Nigel Prosser Foundation) Offering advice, emotional support and opportunities for connection. 2 Course meal provided. 4.15 - 5.45pm BOOKING ESSENTIAL via Nigel Prosser Foundation		

Dates for next week:

Mon 27th April	
Tues 28th April	
Weds 28th April	8:45 – 9am – Welcome Wednesday. All parents welcome to read in class.
Thurs 29th April	Swimming for year 3 Cricket engagement day
Fri 30th April	Violin lessons Guitar lessons

Looking Ahead:

4.5.26 – Bank Holiday

5.5.26 – Anti-bullying Diana Foundation training for selected year 4/5s at St Catherine's.

6.5.26 – KPSA Maths Competition at Cookley – selected year 5s

6.5.26 – Golf experience day for Reception – year 6

W/C 11.5.26 – Year 6 SATs week

15.5.26 – Crazy Hair Day

19.5.26 – Learning Hub to Brook Court for National gardening day

20.5.26 – 22.6.26 – Year 6 residential

21.5.26 – Reception trip to Bodenham Arboretum

21.5.26 – Break up for half term

22.5.26 – TED day – school closed to pupils

1.6.26 – Back to School

w/c 1.6.26 – Year 4 Multiplication Timetables Check week 1

3.6.36 – IsingPop rehearsals – Years 1-6

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w/c 8.6.26 – Year 4 Multiplication Timetables Check week 2

w/c 8.6.26 – Phonics Screening Check week for Year 1 and any Year 2's who did not pass in year 1

9.6.26 – 5:30pm ISingPop Concert – St George's Church.

23.6.26 – Reception Induction Evening for new starters

24.6.26 – 2pm and 6pm School Production – Snow White and The Seven Dwarves

30.6.26 – School transition day

2.7.26 – Sports day

3.7.26 – Sports Day

13.7.27 – Art Gallery

14.7.26 – Art Gallery

15.7.26 – 2 – 3:30pm Summer fayre

16.7.26 – Reception disco and Year 6 Leaver's disco – TBC

17.6.26 – 1:30 – 3pm Year 6 Leaver's event with parents/carers

17.6.26 – Break up for Summer!

