

Comberton Update

11.09.2026

**Comberton
Primary School**

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Attendance

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 1/2 - Mrs Heath with 100%

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 4 – Mrs Ilyas with 99.6%

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

Children in Reception and Key Stage One (Years 1 and 2) have started their new phonics groups this week. Reception have enjoyed learning their first letter sounds. They have played lots of games using these sounds and have started practising writing these.

We are having a real focus on correct pencil grip and letter formation across the school so please encourage your child to be using a tripod grip and forming their letters correctly, using the rhymes to help them. Please ask the teachers if you would like to know more about our handwriting scheme.

Children across the school have been securing their place value skills in maths with those in years 5 and 6 understanding the value of digits in numbers to a million!

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Open Day and Open Evening

Tuesday 6th October

Please phone our school office to book a viewing.

Telephone: **01562754704**

Come and meet our staff, see our learning spaces, find out about life at Comberton.

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Meet our staff

Come and see what makes our school special!

Year 3 have had their very first French lessons and were proud to practise their greetings on me!

Year 4 have been recapping key online safety tips and ensuring they feel confident with how they can stay safe online. This also came up in our key stage 2 assembly exploring how school helps the children to stay safe. The children were brimming with ideas from trusted adults to fire and lock down drills, visitor badges to blocks and filters on our ipads and laptops. Great job everyone!

Nursery and Reception Places

We have taken almost 20 new pupils into year groups across Comberton this week. Welcome to these new families!

Some of our older year groups are now full. We still have places in Nursery and Reception so please spread the word. We take children from 3 years old.

We have started taking bookings for our Open Day and evening on Tuesday 6th October. Please encourage anyone looking for a potential place to come and visit us where they can see the school in action!

PSHRE Policy Consultation

You should have received an email of our PSHRE revised policy today. Please email any feedback to the office by Friday 18th September.

Morning Routine

We are really pleased with how the children are coming into school and settling across the school. Please can we just remind years 4 and 5 that they must line up on the bottom playground where they will be met by their teachers and walked into school. This ensures there is space for any parents to catch teachers if they have any urgent morning messages. Please do not wait up by the year 4/5 classrooms as this creates a bottle neck in an already tight space. Thank you for your support.

Request for Puzzles

Nursery are looking for donations of 2 and 3 piece jigsaw puzzles to support with their learning. Please send them to the office if you have any you would be happy to donate.

Reminder

Please ensure that all children (including pre-schoolers) do not ride bikes or scooters on the playground. These must be dismantled at the gate and walked across to the scooter and bike store. This is for the safety of our school community. Thank you for your support.

Swimming Lessons
ages 4-10

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Stourport on Severn
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for our pool
timetable

Dates for next week:

Mon 14th Sep	
Tues 15th Sep	Peter Cooper Assemblies
Weds 16th Sep	8:45 – 8:55am – Welcome Wednesday. All parents welcome to read in class.
Thurs 17th Sep	
Fri 18th Sep	

Looking Ahead:

Tues 15th Sep 5:30pm – Supporting Phonics and Reading - workshop for new Reception parents

Weds 23rd Sep – Fri 25th Sep – Book Fair

Thurs 24th Sep – Flu vaccinations

Thurs 24th Sep – King Charles Open Evening

Mon 28th Sep – 5:30pm - Early Years Funky Fingers Parent workshop (Nursery and Reception)

Fri 25th Sep – Coffee Morning for Parents/Carers for Birmingham Children's Hospital

Thurs 1st Oct – Year 5 trip to Bishops Wood

w/c 5th Oct – Restart a Heart Campaign
Tues 6th Oct – Open day and evening 6pm
Weds 7th October – 6TP to Brook Court for National Board Games Day
Fri 9th Oct - Visiting athlete – workshops and assembly
Mon 12th Oct – School Photos
Thurs 15th and Fri 16th – Financial management workshops years 3-6
Fri 16th Oct – Selected Year 4 children to Tag Rugby Festival
Mon 19th Oct 3:30 – 7pm – Parents Evening
Tues 20th Oct 3:30 – 5:30pm – Parents Evening
Weds 21st Oct 3:30 – 5:30pm - Parents Evening
Fri 23rd Oct – Break up for Half Term