

Comberton Update

02.10.2026



**Comberton
Primary School**

*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 1 Mrs Edwards with 98.2%

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 6 – Miss Jeavons with 98.3%

Congratulations & keep it up!

Learning & Pupil Voice

We were delighted to welcome The mayor of Kidderminster, Councillor Shazu Miah to our assemblies this week and he also paid a visit to our Reception children. The children asked some fantastic questions and learnt so much about how Councillor Miah came to take on his role, what it means to be mayor, the different aspects of the ceremonial robes and chains, and the name of his very special hat!



Our newly elected School Council are soon to be taking a visit to the Town Hall where they will have a further opportunity to explore even more with The Mayor!



Children in year 5 went on a very exciting visit to Bishops Wood this week to enrich their historical learning linked to their topic of the Anglo-Saxons. They took part in a range of Saxon crafts including making copper broches, spinning wool and making clay pots. They also visited a Saxon home to explore what it would have been like in those times and had great fun going on to build their own shelters in the forest area. They also had the experience of sitting around a camp fire and building that community spirit! What a fun-filled day, crammed with learning!



Visiting Athlete

This week we held our launch assembly to introduce the children to their visiting athlete for next Friday 9th October. They had a sneak peek at the exercises they would be doing for their sponsored event and heard a little about Nikoda's achievements.

You should have received an email and sponsorship information and the children are really excited about the event. Your support for this is much appreciated- we can't wait to welcome Nikoda!



Hello Yellow!

As we do every year, we will be celebrating World Mental Health day this year on Friday 9th October and would like to invite all the children to wear something yellow in support of this. Should you wish to send a donation for the charity Young Minds, then you are welcome to do so but the most important aspect is that by taking part in Hello Yellow, we open up conversations about mental health and engage in a range of activities to explore this at an age appropriate level.

This does co-inside with our visiting athlete sponsored event so please ensure your child wears trainers on this day. Children can wear yellow clothes with trainers or can wear their PE kits with a yellow accessory. Please don't buy something new, just raid whatever yellow items you have at home!

Scooters & Bikes

This week we have had reports from concerned members of the public about some of our pupils riding dangerously on the way to school. It is likely that these are pupils in years 5 or 6 as they were not with adults, but were seen riding down the middle of Comberton Avenue at speed, causing cars to have to stop. There have also been reports of children, swerving in and out of cars just outside of school.

We have noticed that very few children are wearing helmets and in line with our promotion of road safety, we ask that your child wears a helmet if riding or scooting to school.

Unfortunately, there are still children who are not dismounting bikes and scooters as they arrive on site and are therefore causing a danger to others on the playground. If this continues, then we will be forced to ban individuals from bringing their bikes or scooters onto the school site.



Please talk to your children about staying safe on the roads and respecting the safety of our school community and we will echo this message in school. Thank you in advance for your support.

Year 2 Multiskills

A group of year 2's had a fantastic time at Multiskills at King Charles today developing a range of fundamental movement and balls skills. We were the only school that could go so had the undivided attention of the Year 9 sports leaders – many of whom were ex pupils.

Harvest

We will be holding harvest assemblies in school on Wednesday 14th October where we will also be collecting food donations for Kidderminster Food Bank. Please send any donations in from Monday 12th October where we can start to build our Harvest display. Please ensure any donations are in date.

Discount Codes for Kidderminster Town hall

We are lucky enough to have been chosen to receive some exclusive discount codes for a few of the upcoming family shows at Kidderminster Town Hall.

These include:

Spot The Dog

Sunday 18th October

Ideal for ages 0–6

Use code **SPOT20** for **20% off**

Utterly Revolting Science

Monday 26th October

Ideal for ages 3–16

Use code **SCIENCE10** for **10% off**

The Littlest Yak

Sunday 15th November

Ideal for ages 0–10

Use code **YAK20** for **20% off**

The codes can be entered when booking through the Kidderminster Town Hall website.



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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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Come and see what makes our school special!

Open Day

We continue to take 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!



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Deadline dates for applying for a school place

High / Secondary Schools
31 October

First / Primary / Middle Schools
15 January

No internet access? Visit your local library where access is free.

SCAN ME



For further information, how to apply and guidance on the admissions process, Scan the QR Code or visit our website below

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

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After School Group : Welcome back to school and Hello Autumn!

Best Start Family Hub Brookside
Tuesday 6th October - 3.15 - 4.45 pm



Join us for our cosy Autumn Stay & Play Group!

Dive into seasonal activities, including fun leaf and pumpkin crafts, unwind in our cosy reading corner and enjoy delicious fresh fruit snacks.
A wonderful chance to ease back into the school routine together!

Come along and spend some time with your child.

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



Places MUST be booked using the QR code

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/familyhubs



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COACHING CAMPS

HALLOWEEN FOOTBALL TRAINING CAMP

WED 28TH, THUR 29TH & FRI 30TH OCTOBER
AGES 6-14 BOYS & GIRLS 9AM-3PM

£30/DAY OR £75/3 DAYS
EARLY DROP OFF 8:30-9:00AM
LATE PICK UP 3-4PM

CAMP INCLUDES

- Skills & Drills
- Individual Comps & Team Tournaments
- Fantastic 4G Pitch
- Certificates & Prizes

ONLINE REGISTRATION
WWW.THEFOOTBALLERSACADEMY.CO.UK

COACHED BY
RUSS PENN & JIMMY O'CONNOR

STOURTON PARK, STOURBRIDGE

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WELLBEING AND EMOTIONAL SUPPORT TEAMS

Parents online Workshop

Supporting your child with worries and anxiety

Run by the NHS's Wellbeing and Emotional Support in schools team. (WEST)

Online on Teams

Monday online
12th October
12:30 - 1.30 pm

We are talking about:

Signs of anxiety in children.
Common Worries for Children.

Fight Flight Freeze.

The Cycle of Anxiety and what keeps the cycle going.

Join the meeting on Teams

Meeting ID:
347 393 306 381 368
Passcode:
KX693TD3

www.camhs.hacw.nhs.uk/west

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Boosting your child's mood

Run by the NHS's Wellbeing and Emotional Support in schools team. (WEST)

Online

Wednesday
11th November
12 - 1pm

On Teams

Who is it for:

Parent Workshop who want to learn more about

What is low mood and the symptoms.

Things that can impact a child's mood and how to improve it.

Sleep hygiene and five ways to Wellbeing.

Join on Teams

Meeting ID:
366 597 289 201 567
Passcode:
yw327Cv3

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Dates for next week:

Mon 5th Oct	Restart a Heart Campaign
Tues 6th Oct	Open day and evening 6pm Year 1 and 2 Falconry
Weds 7th Oct	8:45 – 8:55am – Welcome Wednesday. All parents welcome to read in class. 6TP to Brook Court for National Board Games Day 'Rocksteady' visiting music assembly & workshops
Thurs 8th Oct	Y6 Enterprise Day National Literacy Trust Reading World Record event
Fri 9th Oct	Visiting athlete – workshops and assembly 'Hello Yellow' for World Mental Health Day

Looking Ahead:

Mon 12th Oct – School Photos

Tues 13th Oct - 9am - Early Years Funky Fingers Parent workshop (Nursery and Reception)

Weds 14th Oct – Harvest Assemblies

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- WFSSP Football festival for selected Y5/6 pupils

Mon 19th Oct 3:30 – 7pm – Parents Evening

Tues 20th Oct – School Council Town Hall visit

Tues 20th Oct 3:30 – 5:30pm – Parents Evening

Weds 21st Oct 3:30 – 5:30pm - Parents Evening

Weds 21st Oct – Digital Leader's assemblies

Fri 23rd Oct – Break up for Half Term