

Comberton Update

Friday 3rd May 2024



**Comberton
Primary School**

*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Whole School Attendance this academic year to date: 94% National: 94.6%

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

Years 4-6 Class Winners – Year 6 – Miss Poyner with 97.9% 2nd week in a row!

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

We are so proud of year 2 this week who have been completing their writing around the retelling of the story of Plop from 'The Owl who was Afraid of the Dark'. They have worked hard to write with accuracy and to include the new vocabulary they have been collecting.

Year 3 have been developing their sketching skills in art, exploring tone through different pencil shades.

Four of our children from year 5 went to Cookley Sebright Primary School (one of KPSA Schools) for a maths competition against several other KPSA schools. The rounds were really challenging and meant that the children had to use their speedy mental arithmetic skills as well as apply these to solve problems. Mrs Morris said that they were a credit to our school and we are really proud that they came a fantastic 3rd place.



Bikeability

Well done to all the year 4 and 5s who took part in bikeability this week. The instructors were really impressed with the level of skill and ability shown as well as the effort put in by particular individuals.

Reception and Nursery Places September 2024

We still have a few places left in Nursery and Reception for September 2024. If you know of anyone who is still considering their options, then please do encourage them to contact the school for a tour.

Parking

We have had yet more concerns raised regarding the unsafe parking of some parents/carers at school drop off and pick up times. Parking is not permitted on the zig zag lines due to access for the emergency services as well as for the safety of our children and families. We have contacted the local police who will be liaising with traffic patrol to support us in trying to keep our community safe.

Rags2Riches

Its only 3 weeks until our next Rags2Riches collection. Why not use this bank holiday weekend to have a good clear out of any unwanted clothes, towels, bed linen etc which you could share for our collection to raise money for our school? Your support is much appreciated.



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Volunteers Needed



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SCAN ME

Dates for next week:

Mon 6 th May	Bank holiday – school closed
Tues 7 th	pm – 3NL swimming
Weds 8 th	Welcome Wednesday 8:45-9am
Thurs 9 th	
Fri 10 th	Guitar and violin lessons

Looking Ahead

w/c/ 13th May – year 6 SATs

Fri 17th May – Virtual reality workshops for years 3 and 4

Mon 20th – Weds 22nd – Year 6 Residential outdoor and adventurous visit

w/c 20th May – Rags2Riches collection week

Tues 21st May – Reading Competition at Cookley for selected year 4 pupils

Thurs 23rd May – Reception trip to Bodenham Arboretum

Thurs 23rd May – KPSA Arts day for selected pupils

Thurs 23rd May – PTA Crazy Hair Day £1 to raise for money for EYFS Shed appeal

Thursday 23rd May – 9am WEST parent workshop – building resilience.

Thurs 23rd May – break up for Half Term

Fri 24th May – TED day – school closed to pupils

Mon 3rd June – Back to School

w/c 3rd June – Year 4 Multiplication Check (2 week window - Statutory assessment)

Wds 5th June – Year 6 Citizens Challenge

w/c/10th June – Year 1 Phonics Screening Check (Statutory assessment)

Weds 12th June – Year 3 Trip to Worcester Cathedral

Weds 19th June – Seven Trent assemblies and year 3 workshop

Weds 26th June – 6pm Induction evening for new parents of Reception children

Mon 1st July – Weds 3rd July – King Charles transition days

Weds 3rd July – School Transition Day

Weds 10th July – Reports home

Thus 11th & Fri 12th Sports Days

Thurs 11th July 4:30 – 6pm year 6 Leavers Discos (PTA event)

Mon 15th July – 2:45-3:15 EYFS, Year 3&6 Art Gallery for parents

Tues 16th July – 2:45-3:15 Year 4&5 Art Gallery for parents

Weds 17th July – 2:45-3:15 Year 1&2 Art Gallery for parents

Weds 17th July – KPSA Year 6 football tournament at King Charles

Thurs 18th July - 2-4pm Summer fayre

Friday 19th July – 1:30 - 3pm Year 6 Leavers event for parents

Friday 19th July – Break up for Summer!

Kind Regards

Mrs Frost