

Comberton Update

09.05.25



**Comberton
Primary School**
*A caring community
for all to shine*

Attendance

Whole School Attendance: 95%

Years 1-3 Class Winners – Year 2 – Mrs Heath with 99.7%

Years 4-6 Class Winners –Year 4 – Mrs Wassell with 99.2% 2nd week in a row!

Congratulations and keep it up!

Learning

Our children work hard all through their primary school years as we support them to learn and grow both socially, emotionally and academically. Their academic learning culminates in the statutory end of Year 6 SATs assessments. Year 6 have been continuing to work tirelessly in preparation for their SATs next week and whilst we know that these are a really important milestone for our children, we also recognise that it is just one very small part of the amazing young people they are becoming.

SATs don't measure music, or the kindness in your heart.

SATs don't see your beauty, SATs don't know your worth,

SATs don't see the reasons you were put upon this earth.

SATs don't see your magic, how you make others smile,

SATs don't time how quickly you can run a mile.

SATs don't hear your laughter, or see you've come this far,

SATs are just a tiny glimpse of who you really are.

So sitting at your table, with a pencil and your test,

Remember SATs aren't who you are, remember you're the best.



We wish all our year 6's the very best of luck and we just ask that you all try your very hardest and put into practice everything you have been working so hard at. Remember to be on time so that you can join us for sausage and bacon sandwiches for breakfast!

KPSA Maths Competition!

Well done to the 'Comberton Calculators' for their fantastic efforts in the KPSA Maths Competition! With their banner and mascot for good luck, a team from Year 5 represented the school brilliantly in an extremely challenging set of mathematical rounds against other local schools and took an impressive 4th place. Great work, team!

More PTFA Success

Yet another success for our PTFA who have secured the school a grant through the TESCO COOKING FOR ALL scheme. Thank you!

We will be using this money to support the set-up of the 'food' section of our sensory garden where we will be able to grow fruit and vegetables and use this to promote food education across school. After a slight setback, we are hoping that our sensory garden should now be completed during the summer.



VE Day

Thank you to those of you who sent donations and well done to the school Council for the part they played in selling badges and stickers. Our assemblies this week have focussed on VE day and our children have shown a real interest.

Parent Governor

We are still looking for parents who may be interested in joining our Governing Body. Governors always comment on what a rewarding role this is. Please contact the office or speak to myself on the playground if you would like to know more.

SEND Swimming Lessons

Places Leisure are really excited to announce that they are now offering SEND swimming classes for children at their centre.

For the next few months they are offering a free taster to all children who require a smaller class, quieter changing rooms due to it being the last class of the day and parents being allowed in the water depending on their needs.

A poster for SEND swimming lesson taster sessions. The top left features the 'Places Leisure' logo with the tagline 'Part of Places for People'. The top right says 'Because Community Matters'. The main image shows a child in a swimming pool with a lifeguard. The text reads: 'SEND swimming lesson taster sessions', 'Monday to Friday, 5.55pm - 6.25pm', and 'Try a free SEND swimming taster session! With just 5 children per class and parents welcome in the pool, these lessons offer a calm, supportive space to build water confidence'. A QR code is located in the bottom right, with the text 'Scan for more information' below it. At the very bottom, it says 'Scan the QR code for more information and to book' and includes the 'Wyre Forest District Council' logo and name, along with a small note: 'Managed by Places for People Leisure Ltd in partnership with Wyre Forest District Council'.



Best Start website

Visit the Best Start website for information, advice and support for families during pregnancy and the early years including:

- pregnancy and postnatal information and services
- feeding, sleep, development
- baby/ toddler groups
- activities to do at home
- information for dads
- support for parents/ carers
- health and wellbeing, finance, housing advice etc

worcestershire.gov.uk/beststart



Crazy
HAIR DAY

Thursday 22nd May

Please join us for a crazy hair day where children and staff are encouraged to wear their hair in a temporary crazy style to raise funds towards the PTFA Panto trip in December

THERE WILL BE A PRIZE FOR THE MOST CREATIVE STYLE

A suggested £1 donation (per child) will be available to pay via ParentPay or cash on the day

Dates for w/c 12.05.25:

Monday 12th May	Year 6 SATS
Tuesday 13th May	Year 6 SATS Year 3 AH swimming
Wednesday 14th May	Year 6 SATS 8:45 – 9am Welcome Wednesday – all parents welcome to read in class
Thursday 15th May	Year 6 SATS
Friday 16th May	Guitar and Violin Lessons VR workshops for years 3 and 6

Looking ahead

- Tues 20th May - KPSA Reading Competition at Cookley (selected pupils)
- Weds 21st – Fri 23rd May – Year 6 Residential
- Thurs 22nd May – PTFA Crazy Hair day, break up for half term
- Fri 23rd May – TED Day – School closed to pupils

Mon 2nd June – Pupils return to school
Tues 3rd June – Year 5 trip to EnviroSort
W/c Mon 2nd June – Statutory Multiplication Check for Year 4 pupils
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Mon 9th June – Reception and Year 6 height and weight checks
Weds 11th June – KPSA Drumming workshops at Offmore (selected KS2 pupils)
Tues 17th June – Animal Man in for Nursery & Reception
Fri 20th June – Year 6 Leaver's Photo
Tues 24th June – 6pm New Reception Induction Evening
Mon 30th June – Weds 3rd Jul – King Charles Transition days
Mon 30th June – Comberton transition day – all children to new class teachers
Thurs 3rd July – Year 5 Secondary experience day at King Charles
Thurs 3rd July - Sports Day (years and times TBC)
Fri 4th July - Sports Day (years and times TBC)
Tues 8th July 2:45 – 3:10pm – PTFA AGM in the school hall
Weds 9th July – Report home to parents
Thurs 10th July 3:15 – 4pm Reception end of year disco
Thurs 10th July – 4:30-6pm Year 6 Leavers Disco
Fri 11th July – 11-1 Nursery sports event and Teddy Bear's Picnic
Mon 14th July – Art Gallery (years and times TBC)
Tues 15th July – Art Gallery (years and times TBC)
Weds 16th July 2-4pm – Summer fayre
Fri 18th July – 1:30-3 – Year 6 Leavers event
Fri 18th July – break up for summer