



Comber Grove Primary School Weekly Newsletter Summer Term 1



Friday, 28th April 2023

Quote for the week:

'The greatness of a community is most accurately measured by the compassionate actions of its members.' – Coretta Scott King

A message from our Headteacher

Dear Comber Grove families,

Coronation Picnic- Friday, 5th May 2023

'Dress to express your inner royalty'.

I am excited to let you know that on **Friday the 5th of May 2023**, (weather permitting) children will take part in a variety of activities including a whole school 'afternoon tea' style picnic to celebrate the Coronation of King Charles III.

To add to the festive atmosphere, children will be encouraged to bring in picnic blankets. If your child does not normally have a school lunch and would like to have school picnic lunch on the day, please let the office know so that the catering team can ensure there are enough lunches for everyone.

Teacher Strike- Tuesday, 2nd May 2023:

We have been informed by NEU Trade Union of their proposal to take strike action on Tuesday 2nd May 2023. Based on the current information, the school will be closed to ALL pupils.

Year 1 Phonics Screening:

Do You Have a Child in Year 1? Do you know about the Phonics Screen check? There will be an information session on Wednesday, 3rd May 2023, from 9:00 to 9:30am, in the lower hall to provide parents and carers with more information about these assessments and how children can be supported at home

Wishing our school community a peaceful Bank Holiday weekend.

Lorram Black and Team Comber Grove



School Value: COMMUNITY

Community - We are a community of pupils, parents and staff. We work together and communicate well to push for the absolute best in everything we do.

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STATUTORY TESTS 2023

KS2 SATS Timetable

Tuesday, 9th May 2023	English Grammar, Punctuation and Spelling (GPS Paper)	
Wednesday, 10th May 2023	English Reading Paper	
Thursday, 11th May 2023	Mathematics Paper 1 (Arithmetic)	Mathematics Paper 2 (Reasoning)
Friday, 12th May 2023	Mathematics Paper 3 (Reasoning)	

KS1 SATS

Week beginning Monday, 15th May 2023

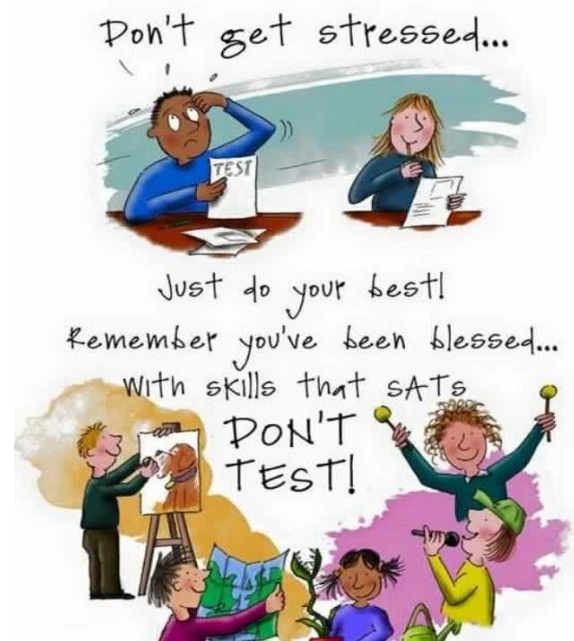
KS1 PHONICS SCREENING CHECK

Week beginning Monday, 12th June 2023 to Friday, 16th June 2023

Year 4

Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)

Week beginning Monday, 19th June to Friday, 23rd June 2023



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Stars of the Week



Value of the Week: COMMUNITY

Class:	Pupil:	Reason:
Year 1 Benjamin Zephaniah	Bryan	Being a good partner and working well together.
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Year 2 David Attenborough	Adesola	For excellent writing and putting 100% effort into her work. Fantastic work Adesola!
	Hector	For improving his listening skills and putting 100% effort into his work. Well Done Hector!
Year 3 Mo Farah	Natty	Thank you and Well Done on being an excellent member of our class community!
	Thiara	Thank you and Well Done on being an excellent member of our class community!
Year 4 Marcus Rashford	Samuel	For always helping others! Thank you!
	Briana	For always helping others! Thank you!
Year 5/6 Mae Jemison	Malik	For being very helpful setting up Action Tutoring!
	Giuseppe	For being very helpful setting up Action Tutoring!
Year 6 Olive Morris	Whole class	For working well together in preparing for their SATS!
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We would like to recognise the children who have been great examples of our school values and have shown true commitment to their learning. Well done!!!



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ATTENDANCE MATTERS

every student, every day

Attendance Winners

School Target: 95.6%		This week's attendance: 94.1%	
Years R, 1, and 2		Year 3, 4, 5 and 6	
<u>Well Done:</u> David Attenborough 98.8%		<u>Well Done:</u> Mo Farah 98.8%	
Class:		Attendance:	
Reception Maggie Aderin-Pocock		93.3%	
Year 1 Benjamin Zephaniah		94.3%	
Year 2 David Attenborough		98.8%	
Year 3 Mo Farah		98.8%	
Year 4 Marcus Rashford		85.9%	
Year 5/6 Mae Jemison		94%	
Year 6 Olive Morris		90.3%	

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School Information and Events

Dates for your Diary

MAY 2023	
Monday, 1 st May 2023	May Day Bank Holiday (School closed)
Tuesday, 2 nd May 2023	Teacher Strike (School closed to ALL pupils)
Wednesday, 3 rd May 2023	King Charles Lunch- Harrisons Catering
Wednesday, 3 rd May 2023	Year 2 and 5- Fire of London Visit/ Talk
Wednesday, 3 rd May 2023	Year 1 PHONICS information session from 9:00 to 9:30am in the lower hall.
Friday, 5 th May 2023	Whole school Coronation Celebration (<i>children encouraged to dress to express their inner royalty!</i>)
Monday, 8 th May 2023	Coronation Bank Holiday (School closed)
Tuesday, 9 th to Friday, 13 th May 2023	KS2 SATS
Monday, 15 th May 2023	Beginning of KS1 SATS
Monday, 15 th to Friday, 19 th May 2023	Mental Health Awareness Week (MHST)
Wednesday, 17 th May 2023	Parent Coffee Morning at 9:00am
	Assemblies for KS1 and KS2
	Anxiety Workshops for children and staff
thursday, 18 th May 2023	Full Governing Body Meeting at 5:00pm
Friday, 26 th May 2023	End of Spring Term 1 (school closing at normal times)
Half Term (School closed): Monday, 29 th May 2023 to Friday, 2 nd June 2023	
JUNE 2023	
Monday, 5 th June 2023	INSET DAY for staff (School closed to pupils)
Tuesday, 6 th June 2023	First day after Half term (Summer Term 2- pupils return to school)
Wednesday, 7 th June 2023	Local Authority PRM with school leaders and governors
Thursday, 8 th June 2023	KS1 Sports Day
Thursday, 8 th June 2023	Governing Body Staffing Committee Meeting at 4:00pm
Friday, 9 th June 2023	KS2 Sports Day
Monday 12 th to Friday, 16 th June 2023	KS1 Phonics Screening Check
Monday, 19 th to 23 rd June 2023	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check (MTC)
Thursday 22 nd June 2023	Southwark Jazz Festival- Southbank Centre
Friday, 7 th July 2023	SUMMER FAIR (3:00-5pm)
Monday, 10 th July 2023	Year 6 Performance to Parents (5:30pm)
Thursday, 13 th July 2023	Whole School Awards Assembly at 2pm
Friday, 14 th July 2023	Year 6 Award Ceremony and prize-giving at 2pm

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JULY 2023	
Friday, 14 th July 2023	Families receive End of Year Reports for 2023
Friday, 14 th July 2023	Year 6 PROM (5-7pm)- School Hall
Monday, 17 th July 2023	Children 'Meet New Teacher' sessions
Tuesday, 18 th July 2023	LA PROGRESS REVIEW MEETING at 8:30am
Wednesday, 19 th July 2023	'Carnival of Cultures' and international food festival/ End of Year Class Parties
Friday, 21 st July 2023	Last day of Summer Term. School closing at 2pm
SUMMER HOLIDAYS: Monday, 24 th July to Friday, 1 st September 2023	
Monday, 4 th September 2023- INSET Day 1	
Tuesday, 5 th September 2023- INSET Day 2	
First day of Autumn Term 1: Wednesday, 6 th September 2023	

Wednesday, 3rd May 2023

Year 1 Phonics Test Information Session

at 9:00 – 9:30am

Lower Hall

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Celebrate

The King's Coronation

Wednesday 3rd May 2023

Traditional Roast Beef with Yorkshire
Pudding and Gravy
Seasoned Baked Salmon
Leek and Lentil Pie

Roast Potatoes
Braised Savoy Cabbage
Citrus Carrots

Victoria Sponge
Seasonal Fresh Fruit

HARRISON
food with thought

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Comber Grove Primary School Pupils

You are invited to

Coronation Picnic

On: *Friday, 5th May 2023*

Dress to express your inner royalty!

Menu:

**Cocktail Chicken Sausage Rolls
Cheese Sandwiches
Tuna Sandwiches**

DESSERT:

**Ice Cream
Cake**

DRINK:

Orange Squash

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