

Our School Newsletter

18th September 2026



Class 1

Class 1 have had a superb week settling into a new but exciting chapter as Reception and Year 1's. We have been learning the school routine and exploring our new classroom with joy and care. Having started our new phonics scheme on Wednesday, I'm amazed at their resilience and willingness to have a go which will support them with their future learning. Well done Class 1.



Class 2

Class 2 have had a lovely first two weeks settling into school and getting stuck into their learning. In history, we have started looking at the Romans, while in science we have been learning about Animals Including Humans, with a focus on the human skeleton. In Literacy, we have been exploring adjectives and conjunctions to develop our writing. Alongside this we have also gone on our first Generation Exmoor of the year to Tarr Steps. Well done, Class 2, on a fantastic start to the year.



Reminders / Important Info

Monday 21st September 3.30pm – phonics and reading workshop

Non-Uniform on Birthdays

We are delighted to continue to offer children the opportunity to wear non-uniform on their birthday as a special treat. If your child's birthday falls on a weekend or during a school holiday, they may choose to wear non-uniform on the school day closest to their birthday.

Please note that there may occasionally be events, such as a church service, school trip, or other special activity, when children will be required to wear their normal school uniform on their birthday. In these circumstances, your child will be able to enjoy their non-uniform day on an alternative date.

Message from Mrs Blackmore

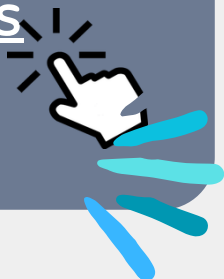
I have thoroughly enjoyed my first few weeks at Timberscombe and would like to thank everyone for the warm welcome I have received. It has been a pleasure getting to know the children and staff, and I am already seeing what a wonderful, caring school community we have. I am also very much enjoying getting to know our families. I am slowly beginning to match parents and carers to the children I see each day, so please bear with me while I continue to make those important connections. Thank you for your patience and understanding as I settle into my role.

Although I am not on site everyday, please do get in touch if you have any questions, alisonblackmore@moorlandfed.co.uk I look forward to continuing to get to know you and working together to support our children throughout the year.



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Conversation Card

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Think about someone you care
about but haven't seen
recently. Find them or call
them to say Hi!



Calendar Dates

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Monday 21st Sept – 3.30pm Phonics and Reading Meeting

Tuesday 22nd Sept – Coffee Morning at Timberscombe with Mrs Blackmore

Wed 23rd Sept – Class 2 Harvest Experience at Coombe Farm, Exford – details to follow

Friday 25th Sept – Celebration Worship at Timberscombe School – note the new time of 3pm

Wednesday 30th Sept – Messy Church After-School Club, please contact the school office to book your child's place

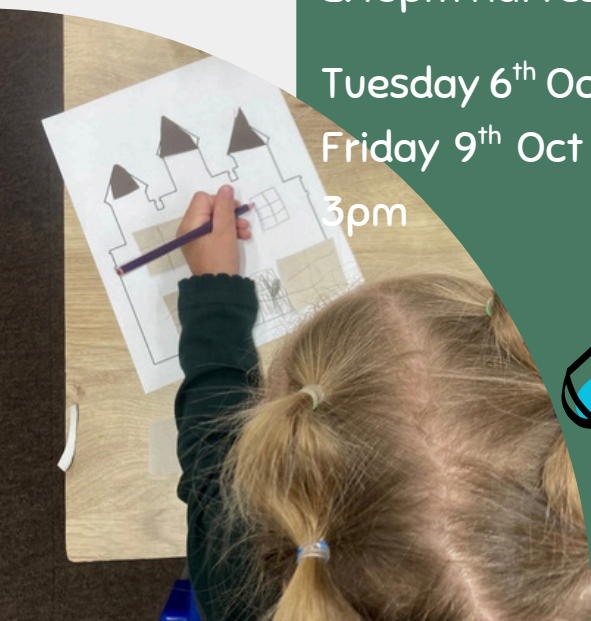
Friday 2nd Oct – Class 1 Farm School at Coombe Farm, Exford, 2.45pm Harvest Service at St Petrock's Church

Tuesday 6th Oct – School photos (individual and siblings)

Friday 9th Oct – Celebration Worship at Timberscombe School 3pm

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Contact Details

SAFEGUARDING CONCERNS –

Our designated safeguarding lead is Mrs Blackmore.

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