



YMLAEN GYDA'N GILYDD / FORWARD TOGETHER

Friday January 10th 2025

Blwyddyn Newydd Dda. A Happy New Year to you all.

It has been lovely seeing everyone back at school this week as we start a new Spring Term.

The weather has certainly gone a lot colder, and coats are definitely needed for outdoor learning and break times.

We have a busy term ahead, and we look forward to working with everyone involved in our school community.

Healthy Eating



As we begin a new term, please could we remind you that snacks at break times should be healthy snacks only- eg a piece of fruit.

Lunchtime boxes should also be healthy-no chocolate, sweets or fizzy drinks please.

Diwrnod Coch, Gwyn a Gwyrdd



We will be celebrating Red, White and Green Day for the Urdd on **24th January 2025**.

This is a wonderful opportunity for the children to celebrate the Urdd and look forward to the Eisteddfod, which will be held in Margam this year.

We kindly invite all the children to wear red, white, and green clothing to fully embrace the spirit of the Urdd on this day- or wear uniform, which is red.

Health and Safety on School premises

From Monday January 13th we have decided on the following:

Gate A at the front of the school, Garage end, will now be locked at the start of the day and also at the end of the day.

This Gate will be opened at 9.30 for any late comers and visitors.

Gate B at the front, Church end, will be the entrance for ENTRY and EXIT for all children and adults.

Gate C at the back of the school is also an ENTRY and EXIT for all children and adults.


These two Gates will be locked at 9.30.

We remind all parents/carers who have a Blue Badge and have been given permission to drive into school, that the speed limit is **5mph**.

Failure to adhere to this rule will result in permissions revoked.

Thank you for your co-operation in this matter

Dates for your Diary

Wednesday January 15 th	Swimming starts for these classes: Session 1- 9.00 Mr Brown, Mrs McDonald Session 2- 10.00 Mr Morgan, Mrs Swain, Mrs Heaven, Mrs Arnold (selected children)
Friday January 17 th	Animal Encounters, Predator Workshop-Mr Morgan, Mrs Swain, Mrs McDonald
Tuesday January 21 st	Technocamps visit to school KS2
Friday January 24 th	Diwrnod Coch, Gwyn a Gwyrdd / Red, White and Green Day. Wear these colours to school
Monday January 27 th	Technocamps visit to school KS2
Tuesday January 28 th	Technocamps visit to school KS2
Thursday January 30 th	Reception- Height/Weight/Vision
Thursday February 6 th	Spring Term Governing Body Meeting 4.00pm
Tuesday February 11 th	FOL Valentine's Disco 
Friday February 21 st	Break up for Half Term
Friday March 7 th	Dental Fluoride Varnishing- whole school
Friday May 16 th -Sunday May 18 th	Llangrannog Residential Weekend for Year 6
Tuesday July 8 th	Year 6 Prom

INSET Days booked

Monday April 28th	INSET- No school for pupils
Friday June 20th	INSET- No school for pupils
Monday July 21st	INSET- No school for pupils



Attendance for this week is 93.8%



The classes with the highest attendance this week are

Mrs Swain/Dosbarth Oak
Mrs Arnold/Dosbarth Hawthorn
Mrs Heaven/Dosbarth Holly
all with

100%



Llongyfarchiadau / Well done to all the pupils from these classes

Enjoy the weekend
Mrs Charles and team