



News from the Headteacher

I think children, parents and staff all appreciated the fortnight break we have just had. We returned to normality in school and from next week, we will be free to travel in and around Wales. All of this is very good news.

The children have settled in to their routines again. I am always amazed at how resilient and flexible they are.

The first term testing across reading, spelling and maths is complete in all year groups that undertake these. The range of scores is within what we would expect, based on children's ages, abilities, and of course, taking into account the many weeks of missed schooling. We have asked your preference for a report on your child's progress. Nearly all have opted for either an email report or a phone call report. Please complete the link if you haven't already done so. If we do not hear from you, we will report progress by email to your preferred email account.

Foundation Phase parents.

Can we please ask for your help with children who eat a packed lunch at school?

Children need to start to learn to open a yoghurt pouch, a crisp packet their lunch box and their drink. Can you please try these at home so they begin to become more independent at school. With many children in the Hall at one point in time, they are sometimes having to wait for staff to help them. This will always happen, but takes time. By them being able to begin this themselves, they will be able to start their lunches earlier.

Parent Governor Vacancy

The deadline for nominations has been extended until Sunday 22nd November. If you would like to nominate a parent to join the school's governing body. Please click on following link: [Nomination Form](#)

Seren Yr Wythnos

DD – Daisy McIntyre
B1 – Henri Conway-Williams
B2 – Finley Jones
B3 – William Howcroft
B4 – Whole Class
B5 – Riley Cody
B6 – Lewis Glover

News from the kitchen

For a copy of the most recent menu please click the following link: [School Menu](#)

Can we please remind you all that local lockdown ends next Monday. Can you please remember we can travel across Wales but should not travel any further into England, which moved into another lockdown this week. We also ask that you deter anybody from England joining you now we can travel. We are doing a great job at a local level in terms of controlling the pandemic. We need to all work as one team on this.

Can we also thank you for your support through these very difficult times, and can I also show my appreciation to all who have seen me in the morning or afternoon who have thanked the staff at school for the jobs they are doing. This is heart-warming.

Diolch
Mr Rogers

Dog Fouling

Parents have informed us about the dog mess on the pathways around school. Please download the AppConwy / Conwy App to log an issue / concern / complaint. The Report button is the tab to refer to and use for such issues. You can also call the Council on (01492) 575222

Cymro/Cymraes Yr Wythnos

DD – Lucy Stevens
B1 – Austin Cinderby
B2 – Theo Keane
B3 – Rebecca Wiseman
B4 – Morgan Hurt-Field
B5 – Poppy Neild
B6 – Eben Jones

Attendance 12th October – 16th October

DD: 90%
B1: 95.83%
B2: 92.86%
B3: 91.67%
B4: 93.57%
B5: 90.36%
B6: 88.46%
If your child is absent due to symptoms associated with Covid they will need to be tested before returning to school. Confirmation of a negative test will need to be sent to the school office before your child returns.

Parents/carers need to report absences to the school office by 9am on the first day of absence. You will need to inform the school office of the reason for the absence and the expected date the child will be returning to school. Contact details for the School Office: phone 01492 517326, text 01492 233101 or email swyddfa@cynfran.conwy.sch.uk

Important Dates

13 Nov
Nasal flu vaccination

W/C 16 Nov
Anti Bullying Week

18 Nov
Individual photographs

22 Nov
Deadline for applications for Reception class 2021

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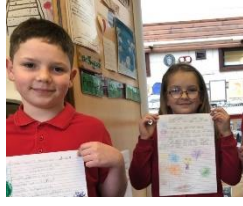
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DM going home



B4



B1



DD



Class News

DD have been making robins using their handprints.

B1 have been busy learning about Remembrance day and making poppies.

B2 learnt all about The Great Fire of London - and the children have made some great Tudor Houses.

B3 made 3D shapes and learnt about them, and did a Celtic presentation on Keynote.

B4 talked about Remembrance Sunday and created poppy pictures. Learnt about the life of Neil Armstrong.

B5 created silhouette art and wrote World War One letters to loved ones.

B6 have been doing Maths algebra and solving equations. Mrs Lewis has been very impressed with how hard the children have worked on this topic

B 6



B4



B1



DD



Penblwydd Hapus

Kai (DM), Kora (B4), Tomos (B1), Nathan (B4), Floyd (B6), Alfie (DM), Daisy (DD), Lacey (B4) & Jacob N (B3) & Corvo (DM)



Blwyddyn 1



Blwyddyn 2



B1



B5 planting their daffodil bulbs



There have been some changes to the class area in DD, with the introduction of an additional reading area.



DM enjoying the outdoors in their waterproof suits

