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GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things. "If it doesn't challenge you, it won't change you."

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch!

Beth sy'n bod? / What's wrong?

NURSERY & RECEPTION ADMISSION

Nursery and Reception applications for September 2025 admissions are open through Denbighshire County Council website.

The closing date for Reception applications is 18th November 2024 – those who have children in our current nursery class will need to apply now for Reception. Only a few days left to register!

The closing date for Nursery applications is 17th February 2025.

OPEN AFTERNOON

We have another open afternoon for prospective nursery and reception parents to view our early years facilities and meet the staff on **Thursday 21**st **November, 3.45-4.30pm**. Please share with other parents and promote our wonderful school.

SUITABLE CLOTHING

As the winter weather is quickly approaching, please ensure you send your child to school with a suitable warm coat and their hats, scarves and gloves.

SCHOOL CALENDARS

Our school 2025 calendars are now available to order @£5 each. You will have received a letter this week, if you want to pre-order a calendar, please complete the slip and either send the money with the slip or if you would prefer to pay on parent pay, once we receive the slip, we will place the payment on your account and the calendar will be sent home before the end of term. Diolch

DATES FOR THE DIARY

The PTFA Christmas bingo will be held on **Monday 2nd December**, doors open at 5.45pm, eyes down at 6.00pm. If you are able to help on the evening, in particular we are looking for a bingo caller, please contact the school office.

The PTFA Christmas fair will be held in school on **Monday 9th December**, 3.15-5.00pm. There will be various stalls, tombola, games, a Santa's grotto and food and drinks. If you would like you own stall at the fair or can assist on the day, please contact the school on 01490412418.

CHRISTMAS HAMPER RAFFLE & BINGO DONATIONS

Every Christmas we have a hamper raffle to raise money for school funds. Due to your generosity, we are generally able to produce several hampers of food/drink to be raffled. We hope you can support the school again send in donations of items for the hampers and for our Christmas Bingo e.g. chocolates, wine etc. Please bring any donations to school between now and 9th December. Thank you for your support, it is much appreciated.

PUMP TRACK

It's wonderful to see the newly installed pump track near the entrance to the Clawdd Poncen estate being used and enjoyed by many.

We kindly remind parents and pupils that all users need to wear a cycle helmet and elbow and knee pads to help prevent serious accidents. Younger children should also ideally be supervised by an adult when using.

MONEY HELPER

Money Helper is a website which can provide free and impartial money guidance and offer a whole range of guides and tools available to help you manage your money. For more information check out the website: https://www.moneyhelper.org.uk/en

HEADLICE

Please remember to check your children's hair and all members of the family for head lice on a **regularly basis** and treat if live lice are found, which also means treating the following week too.

Continue to check for head lice on a regular, weekly basis –

ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK www.onceaweektakeapeek.com

EVENTS FOR W/B: 18th November 2024

Mon 18 th	Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on our Facebook page from today and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am. AM: Guitar lessons with Aled Williams
Tue 19 th	12.30pm: Clwb Cymraeg – Miss Lewis
	PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Derwen (Yrs.5 & 6) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper. PM: Hwyl yn y Gymraeg with the Urdd – Dosbarth Collen
Wed 20 th	DM: DE lesson Desharth Collen (Vrs 2 % 4)
wed 20"	PM : PE lesson - Dosbarth Collen (Yrs.3 & 4) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.
	PM: Voice lessons this week with Sian Williams
Thur 21st	AM: Drum lessons with Ben Neal
	AM: Piano/Harp lesson with Dylan Cernyw
	AM: Hedgerow planting – Dosbarth Collen PM: Hedgerow planting – Dosbarth Derwen Own clothes to be worn. Wellies/old boots, a suitable coat and a change of clothing to be brought on the day.
	3.45-4.45pm : Early Years Open Evening prospective nursery and reception parents to view our early years facilities
Fri 22 nd	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today.
	No Language and Play sessions this week. Back next week.
	AM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Celyn (Rec) & Dosbarth Helyg (Yrs.1 & 2) You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.

MENU FOR WEEK BEGINNING: 18th November 2024



If you have any dietary requirements, please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Aunty Lindsay.

Packed lunches (Cheese, Tuna or Ham) or Filled jacket potatoes (Beans, Cheese or Beans & Cheese) can be provided every day instead of a hot meal.

Don't forget all Reception – Year 6 pupils are now entitled to a FREE lunch.

Monday	Themed Lunch – Sonic the Hedgehog Day
	Sausage
	Hasselback potatoes
	Beans
	Hedgehog Krispie Cake
Tuesday	Beef Bolognaise
	Pasta
	Garden Peas
	Garlic Bread
	Chocolate Crunch Cake
Wednesday	Spanish Chicken in a Tomato & Vegetable Sauce
	Boiled Rice
	Fruit Yoghurt
Thursday	Roast Pork & Gravy
	Roast Potatoes
	Carrots and Broccoli
	Homemade Shortbread
Friday	Sausage
·	Chips
	Beans
	Chocolate Fudge Cake

The menu may occasionally be subject to slight change dependant on food deliveries.