



Dydd Llun 11eg Chwefror 2020  
Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Annwyl Parents/Carers,

### **Eisteddfod: Criccieth, Penrhyn a Caerdydd**

This year, our annual Welsh Week will be held from Monday 24<sup>th</sup> to Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February. During this week the children across the school will have opportunities to undertake a range of Welsh themed activities and learn about Welsh heritage and traditions. In addition, we will be holding our school Eisteddfod on Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February. Children are encouraged to come into school dressed in Welsh themed clothing on this day, e.g. traditional Welsh dress, Welsh rugby or football kit, colours from the flag, Welsh costume or hat etc.

During the Eisteddfod, children will be entering a variety of competitions. These include: singing, recitation, handwriting, creative writing, art and craft. While many of these competition entries will be prepared in school, some are optional and children wishing to enter are expected to prepare their entries at home.

The competitions to be entered from home are as follows:

#### **Dosbarth Criccieth (Miss Postle - Year 3/4)**

Art - A Dragon

Creative Writing - A poem about the Welsh Dragon

Craft - A Food sculpture with a Welsh theme

#### **Dosbarth Penrhyn (Mrs Jones - Year 5)**

Art - 'Chwaraeon' (sports) using recycled materials

Creative Writing - A poem about Wales

Craft - A Food sculpture with a Welsh theme

#### **Dosbarth Caerdydd (Mrs Lewis - Year 6)**

Art - 'Wales' using recycled materials

Creative Writing - A poem about Wales

Craft - A Food sculpture with a Welsh theme

All entries will need to be handed in at school by no later than Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February as they will need to be judged ahead of the Eisteddfod on the Thursday. Poems can be written in Welsh or English (poet's choice) and the art and craft are open to interpretation. We are really looking forward to seeing what the children come up with and we would like to see as many children entering as possible. All entries will be rewarded with house points which will be added to the final scores for Dyfed, Ceiriog and Mabon on the day of the Eisteddfod.

In addition to these competitions, we also ask that children wishing to enter the recitation and singing competition practise their song and poem at home. All music and lyrics will be added to the school website so that children can practise their performances over half term. Any digital entries can be emailed to [jonesc3693@hwbmail.net](mailto:jonesc3693@hwbmail.net).

Diolch i chi am eich gefnogaeth barhaus.

Thank you for your continued support.

Cofion cynnes,

Mrs Jones a'r Criw Cymraeg

Y Tîm Cymraeg - The Welsh Team