



January 2025 Newsletter

Dear Parents/Carers & Friends

Welcome to our first newsletter of 2025! It has been lovely to welcome our children back to school after the Christmas holiday. We also extend a warm welcome to those new families joining us in Early Education.

The children are enjoying the start of our new theme of 'Heroes and Villains (Good or Bad)' and have offered some amazing ideas of where they would like to take their learning.

We were delighted to share our Estyn Inspection Report that was published at the beginning of the term, which reflects the caring, nurturing community of our school; the high expectations we have of ourselves, and the high aspirations for our pupils. But the real credit goes to our pupils who we are incredibly proud of.

We are so excited about what's ahead for our school, and I'm always looking for new and fresh ideas. As always, should you wish to discuss or share any ideas, please do not hesitate to catch me on the doors, or contact the school office.

Kind Regards,

Mrs Beth Rolls

Pennaeth/Headteacher



Class Themes

Dosbarth Chirk - Who will win in the end? (Superheroes)

Dosbarth Conwy - Traditional Tales

Dosbarth Criccieth - What Lurks in the Rainforest?

Dosbarth Penrhyn - Once Upon a Dark Time

Dosbarth Caerdydd - What is Your Superpower?



Dates for the diary this term:

27th Jan 2025 - Playworker session with Year 5/6

11th Feb 2025 - Show and Share Sessions

- Dosbarth Harlech 9:30am - 10:30am

- Dosbarth Conwy 10:45am - 11:45am

- Dosbarth Criccieth 1pm - 2pm

18th Feb 2025 - Show and Share Sessions

- Dosbarth Penrhyn 9:30am - 10:30am

- Dosbarth Caerdydd 10:45am - 11:45am

21st Feb 2025 - Break Up for half term

3rd & 4th March 25 - Eisteddfod pm

3rd March 25 - PC Hulley to visit Dosbarth Conwy, Criccieth and Penrhyn

6th March 25 - World Book Day

17th & 18th March 25 - Parents' evenings

8th April 25 - Easter Bingo

11th April 25 - Break up for Easter





Term Dates



Spring Term 2025:

Monday 6th January to Friday 21st February 2025

Monday 3rd March to Friday 11th April 2025

Training day: 6th January

Summer Term 2025:

Monday 28th April to Friday 23rd May 2025

Monday 2nd June to Monday 21st July 2025

Training days: 27th June, 18th & 21st July 2025



Attendance

School attendance since the start of this half term is

95%

*This has met our target of **95%***



After School Activity Clubs

After School Activity Clubs begin next week (27th Jan until half term). Please see the dojo for more details and email the teacher directly for a place.



Attendance

Being punctual sets a positive tone for the day! The first 10–15 minutes per day is crucial; usually children use this time to undertake independent challenges and begin their Read, Write Inc sessions to develop their skills in phonics or higher order reading skills. This is why, being in school on time is so important!

Nursery

Applications for Nursery places for September 2025 are now open.

Please visit

www.wrexham.gov.uk

and click on School Admissions to apply!

THE CLOSING DATE FOR

APPLICATIONS IS FEBRUARY 17th, 2025.



Crŵ Cymraeg

Our school is working to achieve the Cymraeg Campus Language Charter. We are trying to increase the use of Welsh by pupils, staff and the wider community. Our Crŵ Cymraeg need your help to support us in learning the following phrases:

Phase one – Greetings	
Welsh Phrase	Meaning
Bore da/p'nawn da	Good morning/Good afternoon
Sut wyt ti?	How are you?
Da iawn diolch	I'm fine thanks
Hapus	Happy
Wedi blino	Tired
Gweddol	Okay
Ardderchog	Excellent
Diolch	Thank you
Os gwelwch yn dda	Please
Croeso	Welcome

