



April 2026 Newsletter

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome back after the Easter holidays. I hope you all had a relaxing break (and enjoyed plenty of chocolate!).

For our Year 6 pupils, this marks their final term at Ysgol Maes y Llan. It is an exciting milestone, though it can also bring mixed emotions. Please be assured that staff will be providing additional support during this time to ensure pupils feel confident, prepared, and ready for the transition to secondary school.

We are currently organising end-of-year trips, and further details will be sent home soon. We are making every effort to keep costs as affordable as possible.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support. If you have any questions or concerns, please feel free to contact me at the school.

Kind regards,

Mrs Beth Rolls

Headteacher / Pennaeth

hello
SUMMER

My Happy Mind

As the children come to the end of the 'My Happy Mind' programme, they can carry on the great work at home with your support.

You can download the Parent App to learn all about the Science of Happiness and also access a range of games, songs, Happy Breathing resources and much more.

<https://myhappymind.pages.co/myhappymind-parent-app-introduction/>



Nursery Admissions

We still have some places available for Nursery in September 2026 -

If you know of anyone who may be eligible to start (aged 3 before 31st August) please contact the school!



ONCE A WEEK, TAKE A PEEK!
FIGHT HEAD LICE TOGETHER

- 1 CHECK**
Regular checking is the best defence
LOOK CLOSELY:
• Behind the ears
• Back of the neck
• Top of the head
• Under the fringe
WHAT TO LOOK FOR:
• Tiny white or grey eggs (nits)
• Live lice moving in the hair
- 2 TREAT**
If you find lice, act quickly
• Use a recommended treatment
• Follow instructions carefully
• Repeat treatment if needed
• Check everyone in the household
- 3 COMPLETE**
Stop them coming back
• Check again after 7 days
• Finish the full treatment course
• Treat all affected family members

DID YOU KNOW?
★ Head lice are common in children
★ Anyone can get them
★ They have nothing to do with cleanliness

WORK TOGETHER!
We can stop the spread if everyone checks regularly!

REMEMBER:
ONCE A WEEK - TAKE A PEEK!
ASK YOUR PHARMACIST OR SCHOOL FOR ADVICE
MORE INFO: www.onceaweektakeapeek.com



Term Dates



Summer Term 2026:

Monday 13th April - Friday 22nd May

Monday 1st June - Monday 20th July

Training days: 26th June and 20th July.

Attendance

School attendance for the last half term was

93.9%

This is below our target of

95%



National Earth Day

Some of our classes recently took part in National Earth Day as part of our current topic, Planet Protectors. The children enjoyed a range of hands-on activities, including growing cress, learning about the importance of keeping their classroom tidy, and creating door hangers with ideas on how we can all help look after our planet.

Da iawn pawb!



Dates for the diary for next term:

13th April - INSET day

14th April - Children back

4th May - Bank Holiday

18th May - Health and Wellbeing Week

18th May - am Nursery Sports Day

18th May - pm FP Sports Day

19th May - pm KS2 Sports Day

20th May - Governor Committee Meetings

22nd May - Break up

1st June - Back to School

25th June - Common Transfer Day

26th June - INSET Day

17th July - Break up

20th July - INSET Day

School Trips to be Confirmed.



Theme

The overarching theme for the next term is 'Planet Protectors'. The children have shared their ideas and have taken their learning down the following routes:

Dosbarth Chirk - 'Caring for Ruabon'

Dosbarth Conwy - 'Little People, Big Planet'

Dosbarth Criccieth - Are continuing with their previous topic.

Dosbarth Penrhyn - 'We've Got the Whole World in Our Hands'

Dosbarth Caerdydd - Are continuing with their previous topic.