



Reception Newsletter

Spring 2023

The children have had a fantastic first term in Reception - we are so proud of all of their achievements so far and cannot wait to see even more progress this term. Thank you for your continued support.

PE

Monday—Miss Lidford's Class

Tuesday—Mrs Lea's Class

Wednesday—Miss Davies's Classes

Children wear their school PE kit for school on the above days (blue or white t-shirt and black shorts with pumps/trainers). As the weather gets cooler please ensure they wear jogging bottoms (black) and a school sweatshirt or fleece over the top of their t-shirt to keep them warm throughout the day. Velcro trainers are preferable rather than laces if your child can't tie their own laces.

Please remember to ensure that children come to school wearing their school uniform and they bring a coat (a warm day can turn surprisingly wet or chilly!).

With the weather being so wet, if your child has not already got a pair of wellies in school, please could you send a pair in as we learn and play outside come rain or shine!.

*Please ensure that all items are clearly labelled!

This term we will be working hard and reinforcing the Welsh language. Here are some of the phrases your child uses daily in school. It would be great if you could also practice these at home together.

Bore da / Prynhawn (Pnawn) da Good morning. / Good afternoon

Hwyl / Hwyl fawr Goodbye

Pwy wyt ti? ydw i. Who are you? I'm


Sut wyt ti? How are you?

Bendigedig wonderful / trist sad / hapus happy / wedi blino tired

Sut mae'r tywydd? How's the weather?

Mae hi'n It is.....

Heulog sunny / oer cold / bwrw glaw raining / bwrw eira snowing



Homework

Homework grids will continue to be sent home each half term. Pupils are asked to complete at least three tasks and these can be uploaded to Seesaw anytime before the end of the half term.

Your child really enjoys sharing their work with their peers in class and celebrating their achievements.

Reading

Thank you so much for all of your support in your child's reading journey so far, we have seen lots of progress. As you know, reading is an essential part of your child's life, and instilling a love for books from an early age is important. In addition to the books your child brings home from school, it is lovely to have a range of bedtime stories. Below are some of our favourite stories.

Miss Davies—Snail and the whale

Mrs Lea—Lost and found

Miss Lidford—Albert le blanc

Dates for your Diary

09/01—Inset day

10/01—Children back to school

17/02—Half term

27/02—Children back to school

01/03—Eisteddfod

14/03—RNL class assembly (more details to follow)

24/03—RHL class assembly (more details to follow)

31/03—RMD class assembly (more details to follow)

31/03—End of term

Reminder

Please remember to contact the school office via the ParentMail App or by phone if your child is absent from school. If no reason is given, the mark is recorded as unauthorised.

We have lots of exciting activities planned for the children this term., and would like to thank you for your continued support.

If you have any questions or queries about anything related to your child's time in Reception, please feel free to speak to a member of the team. Mrs. Lea (Head of Year), Miss. Lidford and Miss. Davies.

