



Welcome to our new school year!

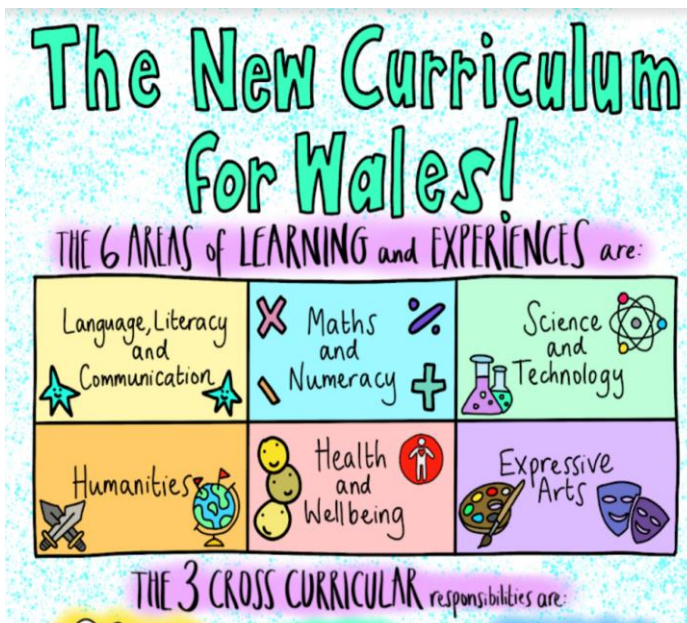
The children have all settled down well and are working hard. They look fabulous in their school uniform and we thank all parents for their efforts.

We look forward to the exciting year ahead and to working in continued partnership with you. Remember to pop into school or telephone us if you have any concerns, suggestions or well done messages!

YSGOL HEULFAN September 2019 Newsletter

Latest news ...

We look forward to working towards the introduction of a new curriculum for Wales which will be rolled out in schools from 2022. Estyn completed a Case Study on our latest ideas, which were shared as excellent practice with Headteachers from across Wales last year. We will strive to keep at the forefront of education and look forward to more exciting learning with our pupils this year.



Special Thanks

We would like to thank parents and children for the lovely presents and cards received at the end of the term.

They were all gratefully received.
Thank you everyone!

Snack money

Please remember to pay snack money: £1:00 per child each week (all children from Nursery to Year 6). As we continue to be a Healthy School, we will be providing fruit at snack time. Fruit is expensive and we require regular payment please.


Thank you!

On Friday 20th September 2019, we will be holding a fund raising event for Macmillan Cancer Support. We are planning to sell cakes throughout the day and would appreciate any donations of cakes from our parents and friends. The children will need to bring some money to school if they would like to buy a cake or two!

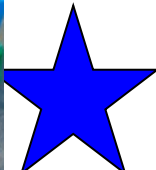
Every penny raised helps Macmillan to be right there for people living with cancer. Please see www.coffee.macmillan.org.uk for further details.

Let's all work together to raise as much as we can during the day.
Many thanks for your support.

News from Dosbarth Mrs Dixon



All of the children have settled down well and are happy in class. We welcome two new children: Dennis and Logan.



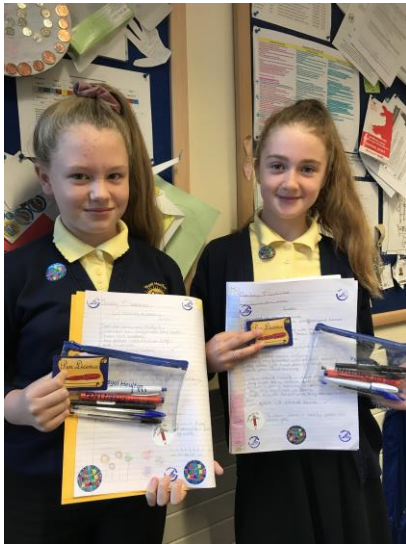
Working together to be the best we can be!



We are looking forward to another exciting year, learning with our teachers and friends.



A Snapshot of the Juniors



Other information:

On-Line Applications for Secondary School Places

From 9 September 2019 you can apply on-line for a secondary school place for your child, using the...

On-line Admissions Service
www.wrexham.gov.uk

All you need is your email address in order to make an on-line application from your home computer, tablet or mobile phone. By producing a Library card you can also use the facilities at Contact Wrexham and Wrexham Library to make your on-line application.

Tips for completing your on-line application

- When entering names please use initial capital letters, for example: Mr Joe Bloggs, Rose Jarvis, Ben Jones
- When entering post codes please use capital letters, for example: LL12 6LD (leaving a space after the first 4 digits)
- When entering the applicant address (parent's address) please select the full address rather than just the post code.

Once you have registered, you will need to make a note of your chosen password as you will receive an email with a link to follow to access and complete your application.

This document is available in Welsh.

www.wrexham.gov.uk | www.wrexham.gov.uk

ALDI'S KIT FOR SCHOOLS

We're collecting Team GB stickers with Aldi's Kit for Schools.

Help us collect 300 stickers to complete our poster and we'll receive an exclusive sports kit plus a chance to win **£20,000!**

Find out more and get stuck in at getsetatfresh.co.uk/kitschools

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Funded Early Education is available to children in Wrexham the term after their 3rd birthday.

Children can have a place in a funded setting for either:

- 5 sessions a week (One per day of term hours duration. This will include an hour of settling-in periods)
- 4 sessions a week (One per day of term and a half hours duration. This will include an hour of settling-in periods)

Spring Term intake
Children must have their 3rd birthday on or before: 6 January 2020

Summer Term intake
Children must have their 3rd birthday on or before: 29 April 2020

You can apply online for a Funded Early Education place for your child, using the Online Admissions Service at: www.wrexham.gov.uk

For more information and admission forms:
WFIS
Telephone: 01978 293204
Email: fa@wrexham.gov.uk

Or contact: Funded Early Education Admissions Department
Telephone: 01978 293991

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It's a busy time!

- ✓ Please keep Mrs Thomas (School Secretary) updated if you have a new telephone number or address. We will soon be sending the Parent Information Sheets out; please update them and return to school as soon as possible.
- ✓ Please check your child's hair for head lice on a regular basis. We have conditioner and combs available in school: please see Mrs Thomas (School Secretary) if you would like these items.
- ✓ All children from Years 3 to 6 need to remember their Forest School kits this week please: wellies, trousers, t-shirt or sweatshirt: they will need scarves, hats and gloves later when the weather changes.
- ✓ The children from Reception to Year 6 also need a P.E kit this week: black or navy shorts and a white t-shirt with Juniors and Miss Barnes' class also needing suitable pumps/trainers please.
- ✓ Please remember school times: 8:55 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. Infants and 8:50 a.m. – 3:15 p.m. for Juniors.
- ✓ If you have any items for our Cut n Stick areas, we would be most grateful: buttons, empty boxes, material, ribbon, sequins etc. Thank you in anticipation of your donations!
- ✓ School closes for half term on Friday 25th October 2019 and re-opens on Tuesday 5th November 2019. School is closed on Monday 4th November for a Training Day.
- ✓ The children have made a fabulous start in school this new term and behaviour has been impeccable. Diolch yn fawr pawb!

After School Clubs:

Monday:

**Drama (Years 1-3)
Netball (Years 5 & 6)
Chess Club (Years 3-6)**

Tuesday:

**Art & Craft (Years 1-3)
Street Dance Lunch Club (Yr6)**

Wednesday:

**Makaton Club (Years 2-6)
Art Club (Years 3 & 4)
Football Club (Years 4-6)
Cooking Club (Year 2)**

Thursday:

No Clubs (Staff Meetings)

Friday:

Puzzling Club (Years 4-6)

Starting week beginning: 23/09/17

Please collect your child at 4:00 p.m. from the Main Entrance. Any children not collected will be asked to attend Teatime Club (usual rates apply).

We are also planning to hold more Football Clubs during lunch times and will share details of these with the children.

Attendance update:

Please telephone or send a text message to the following number if your child is ill and unable to attend school: 07857363651. If we do not receive a message or telephone call, we will attempt to contact you to confirm why your child is absent from school: we want to ensure everyone is accounted for. Please remember, if your child is feeling unwell but can attend school, we will telephone you if he/she is ill in school. We are able to take your child's temperature and will notify you if we have any concerns.

Mrs Lesley Morris (Assistant Headteacher) is also our Additional Learning Needs Coordinator and she has responsibility for pupil behaviour and well-being. If you have any concerns about your child (however small), please feel free to contact Mrs Morris for a chat on the telephone or in person.