

10th January 2025



BLWYDDYN NEWYDD DDA!

Welcome back to the start of the spring term. I hope you all had a lovely Christmas. On behalf of the staff and governors may I wish you all a Happy New Year and we look forward to working closely with you in 2025.

WELCOME!

We would like to extend a warm welcome to Seb who joins the nursery class and to Rubab who joins the reception class. We are sure they will both settle quickly.

PENBLWYDD HAPUS

We would like to wish Jordan a happy birthday this week.

GROWTH MINDSET

A positive mindset can make a big difference to how we approach things. "Progress is impossible without change and those who cannot change their minds cannot change anything."

CYMRAEG CAMPUS

Each week we will provide you with some Welsh phrases/word to try/learn with your family or within the community. Mwynhewch!

Bllwyddyn Newydd Dda/ Happy New Year

NURSERY ADMISSION

Nursery applications for September 2025 admissions are open through Denbighshire County Council website.

The closing date for Nursery applications is 17th February 2025.

PARENT ELECTION

We have a vacancy for a parent governor on our federated governing body. Nomination forms have been sent home. If you would like more information, please contact the clerk, Miss Ffion on 01490 412418. Nomination forms need to be returned by **Friday 17**th **January** no later than 12 noon.

URDD CLUB

Mrs Rees will be starting an Urdd club for those children who have registered to join the Urdd. The club will start on **Monday 13th January**, 3.15-4.00pm.

PARENT PAY

Swimming transport and Music lessons payments for this term are now on your Parent Pay accounts.

GLAN LLYN RESIDENTIAL

Year 5 & 6 pupils will be attending Glan Llyn on their residential in March. **The full balance is required by 31**st **January**. Thank you to those parents who have already paid.

CONSENT FORM

All pupils this week will have a received a consent form for forest school/outdoor learning. Please returned the signed forms to school as soon as possible. Thank you

SEESAW

This term we will be reducing and then stopping the use of text messages and using your Seesaw accounts to send messages to parents. Please ensure you have switched on your notifications for the Seesaw app on your phone to ensure you always know when a new message or your child's work post has been sent. Currently our text message service only allows us to send to one parent but both parents can have access to Seesaw, which will ensure both parents get the messages.

OPEN AFTERNOON

We will have an open afternoon on **Thursday 6th February**, **1.15-2.45pm**. This is open to any prospective new parent who would like a tour of our school and see what we can provide. If you know of anyone who would like to visit, please ask them to phone (01490430262) or email (carrog@denbighshire.gov.uk) the school to book a slot.

MICROSOFT OFFICE 365

All learners at our school are entitled to FREE Microsoft software to use at home. You can download and install the latest Microsoft Office tools including Word, Excel & PowerPoint as well as Minecraft -Education Edition at no cost on up to 15 devices within the home through your child Hwb account. To learn more and access your FREE software visit hwb.gov.wales/microsoft

EVENTS FOR W/B: 13th January 2025

Mon 13 th	Don't forget if you want to use the breakfast club for next week, you must register through the online form available on our Facebook page from today and pay through your Parent Pay account. The breakfast club opens at 8.15am. 3.15-4.00pm: Urdd Club with Mrs Rees, for pupils who have joined.
Tue 14 th	AM: Guitar lessons with Aled Williams PM: Don't Touch Tell workshop – Dosbarth Berwyn PM: Don't Drink Think workshop – Dosbarth Dyfrdwy
Wed 15 th	PM: Voice lessons with Sian Williams PM: PE lesson - Dosbarth Berwyn & Dyfrdwy You may come dressed in your PE kit and school Jumper.
Thur 16 th	AM: Drum lessons with Ben Neal
Fri 17 th	Don't forget the breakfast club online registration & ability to pay on Parent Pay for the next week will close at mid-day today.
	12noon : Parent Governor Nomination forms are due to be returned
	AM: Piano lesson with Emma Johnson
	AM: Swimming lessons for Dosbarth Dyfrdwy Don't forget to tie long hair back, your swimming costume (one piece for girls), googles & towel



If you have any dietary requirements; please don't hesitate to contact our school cook Auntie Catrin

School packed lunches or filled jacket potato can also be provided instead of a hot meal.

Don't forget all pupils are now entitled to a FREE lunch.

Monday	Fish Stars
_	Potato Wedges
	Garden Peas & Sweetcorn
	Ice Cream Pot
Tuesday	Bolognaise
-	Pasta
	Garlic Bread
	Chocolate Crunch Cake
Wednesday	Chicken with homemade tomato sauce
	Plain Rice
	Fruit Crumble with Custard
Thursday	Roast Pork & Gravy
-	Roast potatoes
	Carrots & Broccoli
	Homemade Shortbread
Friday	Sausage
v	Chips
	Beans
	Chocolate Fudge Cake

The menu may occasionally be subject to slight change dependant on food deliveries.