



Cwm Glâs Primary School



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A City & County Of Swansea School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

Here is the team of teachers and LSAs who will be supporting your child this year:



Mrs Kirmse



Mrs Roberts



Mrs Allen

This term our whole school theme is **'Believe / Credu,'** with the focus on 'Health & Well-being' and our class topic is Superheroes.

Your child will be very busy developing their skills and knowledge in the following Areas of Learning (AoLe):

Languages, Literacy and Communication	Mathematics and Numeracy	Health and Well-Being	Welsh
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Daily Read Write Inc. sessions – children follow the scheme which include a range of reading and writing activities. - A focus on Narrative writing for children to develop their story telling skills. - Weekly reading – books to be returned every Friday. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Number – Place Value. - Calculation - addition and subtraction. - Geometry - 2-D shape and 3-D shape. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Growth Mindset. - Healthy Eating. - Developing co-ordination, body control and movement. - Weekly PE every Monday 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Incidental Welsh in the classroom. - Welsh 'Tric a Chlic' scheme. - Question and answer patterns.

*Living and growing together, learning that lasts forever.
Tyfu a byw'n gytûn, parhau i ddysgu bob un.*



Science and Technology	Expressive Arts	Humanities	Other Learning Experiences
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Growing – human and plant. - How things change, life cycles. - Seasons and weather. - Craft completed linked to festivals. - Using JiT on Hwb to write and produce animations. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Printing and drawing using everyday items. - Pop Art – Roy Lichtenstein and Andy Warhol. - Music - linking instruments to the sound. Listening to music to identify the instrument. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Festivals throughout the year, Halloween, Bonfire Night, Diwali and Christmas. - Toys from the past. - Map work – drawing and reading a simple map. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Harvest - Halloween - Bonfire Night - Christmas

Our curriculum is underpinned by the 4 Core Purposes:



Ethical, Informed Citizens Ambitious, Capable Learners
 Healthy, Confident Individuals Enterprising, Creative Contributors



Whilst developing skills in the **Areas of Learning** identified above, we will also be ensuring that your child develops skills in the **Three Cross Curricular Responsibilities**:

LITERACY CROSS-CURRICULUM NUMERACY CROSS-CURRICULUM
DIGITAL COMPETENCE CROSS CURRICULUM

Above all else, we want your child's school experience to be happy, with engaging activities which will inspire them. This works best when school and home work together. Please approach your child's teacher or make an appointment if we can help in any way.

Here are some ways that you can help too:

- **READING** - the key to everything in school is the ability to read and to foster a lifelong love of it. Please hear your child read as often as you can
- **PE KIT** - PE kit can be worn to school instead of uniform, on your child's PE day.
- **FRUIT** – being a 'Healthy School' we promote eating fruit as a playtime snack. Fruit can be either brought in from home, or purchased from school, costing £1 per week.

Here's to another fun and busy term ahead. Remember to follow us on X / Facebook and we look forward to working with you to support your child.

Diolch yn fawr / thank you very much,

Mrs Kirmse and the Class 4 team