



Cwm Glâs Primary School



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Dear Parents/Carers,

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

Miss S Davies (teacher)

Mrs James (LSA)

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

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
<p>Class Stories <i>'The Day the Crayons Quit'</i> <i>A rang of Health and Well-Being stories.</i></p> <p>Spelling, Punctuation and Grammar <i>Sentence writing. Capital letters, full stops, word classes. Continuation of RWI elements</i></p> <p>Reading Comprehension and weekly individual reading sessions. Please read at home and complete the reading log. Please return books to school every Monday to be changed.</p> <p>Handwriting <i>Letter formation, ascending and descending letters.</i></p> <p>Recount writing Letter Writing Oracy - Discussion</p>	<p>Place Value <i>Value of digit in hundreds and tens numbers. Comparing numbers.</i></p> <p>Addition and Subtraction <i>Formal method Addition and subtraction of numbers to 3 digits.</i> <i>Mental addition and subtraction up to 20</i></p> <p><i>Mental number facts within 10/20/100</i></p> <p>Multiplication and Division <i>Multiplication and Division problems using the 2,5,10 times tables</i></p>	<p>Identity, stereotypes, gender types</p> <p>Friendship and Family relationships What makes a good friend?</p> <p>Emotions Why we feel different ways and how to deal with feelings / support others</p> <p>Rights Respecting</p> <p>Healthy Eating Eating healthily / Fairtrade</p> <p>REAL PE scheme. Basic skills <i>P.E is every Tuesday morning</i> <i>Please wear Cwm Glas kit, or tshirt, shorts/leggings/ tracksuit bottoms and trainers. No crop tops.</i></p>	<p>First Person Profile</p> <p>Incidental Welsh through the day</p> <p>Weekly Welsh sentence patterns</p> <p>Welsh language stories</p>
Science and Technology	Expressive Arts	Humanities	Other Learning Experiences
<p>Light and Dark</p>	<p>Exploring colour wheels and colour mixing.</p>	<p>Key Events – Remembrance,</p>	<p>Like their experiences in the Foundation Phase, the children will complete tasks over a carousel for each</p>

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



<p>Exploring light, shadows and dark.</p> <p>Exploring reflection, translucent and opaque materials.</p> <p>D&T</p> <p>Design a new home/new outfit for the crayon</p> <p>Please can you send in any empty kitchen roll tubes over the next few weeks to help with crafts. Please no toilet paper tubes. Thanks!</p> <p>ICT/DCF</p> <p>Children will be learning about how to be safe online and developing skills to open a document, create something and save it with a filename.</p>	<p>Different line strokes and materials</p>	<p>Diwali</p> <p>Guy Fawkes</p>	<p>lesson made up of Focus tasks with the teacher and LSA and also independent 'Choice Time'. The children will complete independent challenges called Quests linked to topic. They will complete these daily when using the provision on 'Choice time'. This promotes and encourages independence, social skills, and allows the children to use, rehearse and master learnt skills at a Focus task independently through their play.</p>
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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 and complete the log. Our reading day is a Monday. Please return the book in the bookbag on Mondays for it to be changed.
- **PE KIT** - PE kit can be worn to school instead of uniform, on your child's PE day – Tuesdays. No crop tops please.
- **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,

Miss Davies

