



Newsletter



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SUMMER TERM 23/6/21





Sports Day

We are trying to provide the children with as many 'normal' activities that we usually have in place even though we still have the

restrictions of covid safety. You will have heard from your child's class teacher about sports day for each class bubble. Unfortunately, parents are unable to come along and watch. We do appreciate your frustrations about this as it takes place outdoors and sports events have now reopened in the community. However, this is a local authority decision. We are working hard to keep the school free from covid and by inviting parents to events will create a risk for us as a school. None of us want any class to close down or even worse, the school to close again!! It is a shame, but we are trying our best to include you in everything. Members of staff in each class are taking videos of events and sending them to parents. I know some have gone out already which has been appreciated by parents.

Reports

Parents have been sent the end of year reports for their child / children. The report includes a comment from teacher, a comment from the headteacher and an indication of how the child is interacting with friends after school reopen, their engagement in learning, progress in literacy and maths, and also their wellbeing. If you have not had all of these then please contact the school as soon as possible so we can put that right. The report will have been sent to you via your child's hwb account.



Covid Cases

You may have already heard that some local schools and creche facilities have had positive cases. At schools this affects the class bubble and any other contacts, as we already know. Cases in Wales are on the increase again so we will not be changing any of our hygiene procedures and social distancing remains. At school we are sanitizing areas as we have been and thank you parents for continuing to keep safe outside the school gates with social distancing and wearing face coverings. With all of us playing a small part we are keeping our school safe. We have three weeks left in school after this week. Let's see if we can get to the end of term without anyone having to isolate due to a positive case. WE CAN DO IT. KEEP SAFE. Kee all the hygiene procedures in place.

Hwb

HWB Logins

Every child has a login for HWB and parents can use it to see work the children are doing and any reports that

teacher sends. Hwb also has many other features that parents can use with their child. The account belongs to the child but it is important that parents access it regularly. Homework will be on hwb too. Hwb was not just for lockdown. Teachers have provided parents with all the log in details. Suggestions on where to keep these details rather than go into a last minute panic when reports are sent or the child has homework to do:

- ask your child children from year 2 up tend to log on every day in school.
- take a screen shot and save it to your phone
- put the details into your notes on your phone
- write them onto a sticky note and selotape it to your device
- paper onto fridge door
- stick them on the back of your child's bedroom door
- text them to yourself



What's all this with the vovos?

All the children took part in a live virtual show about 'growth mindset'; never giving up, encouraging others and always doing your best. The idea of learning to use a yoyo demonstrates how we encourage children to become determined and believe in themselves. We have been surprised how excited the children were to start practising. The letter we sent via text gives more information if you want to look back at that. Otherwise ask the class teacher for more information.

School Term Dates Here is the link https://www.npt.gov.uk/18512

Diary Dates	
28/6/21	Year 1/2 kerbcraft - in school
2/7/21	Possible date for children to attend new classes (dependant on covid rules around 'bubbles')
9/7/21	INSET day - no school for children
15/7/21	Year 6 - leavers event - outdoor cinema
16/7/21	Last day of school!