



## Cylchlythyr – Newsletter – 04.04.2025

Dear parents and carers,

It has been refreshing to have such lovely sunny days in school this week and for pupils to be able to play on the school field during dinner times. I remain incredibly proud of our school community and the contribution everyone makes in creating such a special place to learn and play. This week alone we have enjoyed several sporting events, an Easter Egg Bingo, Big Pedal and so much more. The planning that goes into everything that goes on in school really does take a lot of work, and I am incredibly grateful to our staff and volunteers who work so tirelessly to make these opportunities possible.

We have our Pupil Progress Evenings for Reception upwards next week, on **Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> April 2025**. Please do contact your child's class teacher if you have not yet arranged your appointment.

With the weather starting to warm up a little, could we ask for your support in ensuring all items of clothing are labelled so we can match missing items with their owners. Thank you for your support in this matter.

I hope you have a lovely weekend and that the sunny weather continues.

Diolch, Mr Hatwood

### Derbyn – Data Collection

Pupils in Reception have been looking at data collection in their numeracy. They have collected their own data independently and turned it into a bar chart, with some excellent work produced!







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## Da iawn Tiernan!

We were so proud of Tiernan who was a mascot at the Wrexham football match last Saturday. Da iawn Tiernan!



## Blwyddyn 1 & 2 - Measuring Skills

In years 1 and 2, pupils have been applying their measuring skills to find out how big various features of a castle are. They were drawn to scale and labelled.



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## Blwyddyn 3 & 4 - Weather Reports

This week, pupils have been working on their digital and Welsh skills by using the green screen to film their weather reports. They have worked together to decide suitable backgrounds, their positioning and have appreciated the skills needed to present using green screen technology. Weather reporters of the future! Well done everyone!



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## Meithrin - Easter

This week in nursery we have created an Easter chick.



## Derbyn - Easter Story

This week have been learning about the Easter story and have started to create so lovely Easter cards using watercolours and pastels.



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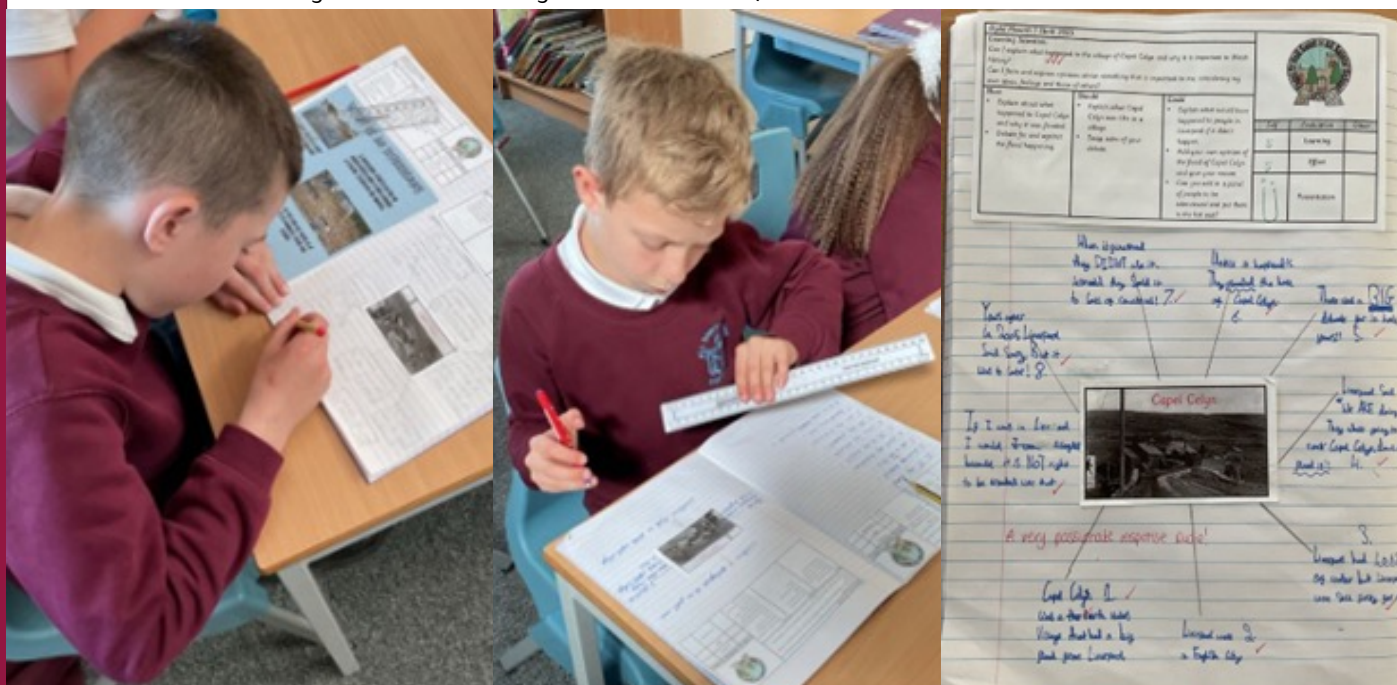
## Blwyddyn 1 & 2 – Measuring

This week we have been estimating and measuring a range of classroom items, as well as completing an iPad quiz which has become very competitive! The children have worked hard to balance the scales, compare weights, measure ingredients for a magic potion, and make predictions. Fantastic learning everyone!



## Blwyddyn 3 & 4 – Extreme Earth

This week the Year 3 and 4 focus in Extreme Earth has been flooding. They first learnt about what a flood is, then they discussed a human-made flood. This linked with the events that took place in Capel Celyn. Pupils discussed the event with real clarity and were able to give clear reasons for their views.



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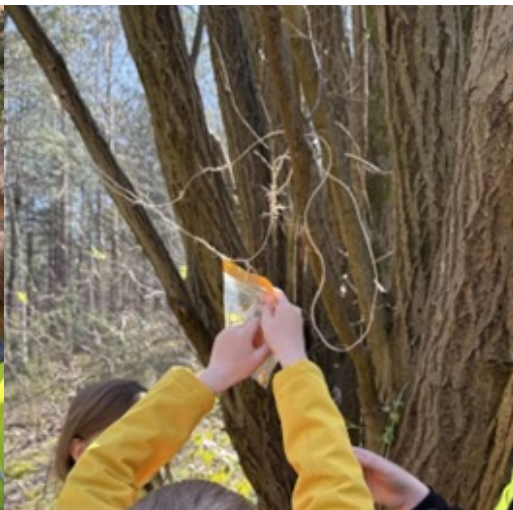
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## Blwyddyn 3 & 4 - Orienteering

Pupils had a wonderful time in the woods on their orienteering challenge. They were in groups and had to find treasure tokens that were buried, hidden under rocks and leaves or on pulleys in trees. They also had to use the compass to take photos in certain directions to prove they had visited each check point. Fantastic teamwork and problem solving from all.



## Llongyfarchiadau - Congratulations

We are very proud of Mrs Wright who has been successful in securing a place on the Welsh language sabbatical scheme. She will be away from school from September for two terms developing her Welsh language skills with other teachers from across the region. Details regarding cover arrangements for her class will follow shortly.



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## Easter Egg Bingo

We had an incredible turn out for our Easter Egg Bingo, and can't thank you enough for supporting us. We hope everyone had a great time and enjoyed the games. **We raised over £800 for our school which is fantastic!**



## Bike Bus

We had an excellent turn out for our Bike Bus this week, thank you to everyone who came along to support us and for our pupils for riding so sensibly on the roads.



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## Attendance and Punctuality

Attendance has remained positive over the week which is a pleasure to see. Thank you for your support regarding this. We have a small number of pupils arriving late to school regularly, please focus closely on getting children to school on time.

Class	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery - Miss Williams	100%	0 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Parker	94%	1 session
Early Years - Mrs Baker	94%	1 session
Year 1/2 - Mrs Coombes	97%	1 session
Year 1/2 - Mrs Mort	100%	3 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Speed	97%	3 sessions
Year 3 - Miss Sedgwick	94%	3 sessions
Year 3/4 - Mrs Wright	96%	3 sessions
Year 3/4 - Mrs Shelmerdine	92%	4 sessions
Year 5/6 - Mr Holmes	91%	5 sessions
Year 5/6 - Mr Szymura	92%	6 sessions
Year 5/6 - Miss Jones	93%	0 sessions
Whole School	95%	30 sessions

Equates to:



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