



Ysgol Yr Holl Saint All Saints' School

A Voluntary Aided Church in Wales School

Cylchlythyr - Newsletter

Friday 9th September 2022

Dear parents and carers,

Whilst it has been wonderful to welcome our pupils back to school this week, we end the week with a period of mourning, reflection and also celebration as we remember Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II who sadly passed away yesterday. A service of remembrance has been held in school this morning and staff have been working in their classes as we reflect on, and celebrate the Queen's life and contribution to our country. As a proud part of the church community, we want to share the location of the book of condolence which can be found in All Saints' Church. As the period of mourning through until the funeral now takes place, we are here to offer support in any way we can to our pupils, families and community.

Diolch, Mr Hatwood.

Attendance & Punctuality

Further to my letter sent on 5th September 2022, we are now implementing the Local Authority developed Attendance Policy. This means that letters will be sent home from school regarding attendance at certain trigger points and support offered to improve attendance where this is required. Punctuality is also a focus for us and I thank you for ensuring your children arrive at school on time.

Universal Free School Meals

Our Reception Universal Free School Meal offering has commenced and it has been wonderful to see how many pupils have taken up this offer. Please remember that all meals do need to be ordered on Parent Pay, on a paid or free basis to help ensure we have the right amount of food cooked.

If you think you are eligible for Free School Meals, could we ask that you apply using the link below please? (This applies even if accessing Universal Free School Meals). The school receives additional funding based on the number of Free School Meals that are taken, and every pupil counts! <https://www.wrexham.gov.uk/service/school-meals/free-school-meals>



Value of the Half Term

Our value of the half term is **thankfulness**. We take this time to thank others for their service to us and how we can show thankfulness as we go about our daily lives.

Admissions

Secondary School admissions are now open and Year 6 pupils will be bringing a letter home this evening regarding this from the Local Authority. Please do ensure applications are made within the timescales. Admissions for funded Early Education for children who turn three this term are also now live on the Wrexham website.

| Class | N | EYP | EYS | 1/2 D | 1/2 M | 1/2 W | 3 | 3/4 | 4 | 5 | 5/6 | 6 |
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| Attendance | 97% | 98% | 99% | 96% | 97% | 98% | 97% | 98% | 97% | 98% | 98% | 99% |