

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,

Thank you to everyone who supported the PTA Quiz Night. It was a fantastic event with all funds raised used to further enhance our outdoor learning space. The Year 1 outdoor classroom is already underway and will be open to the children soon.

This week, the children wore bright colours in order to support the charity asthma UK. A very big thank you for your generosity in supporting our fundraising day; a huge £476.62 was raised!

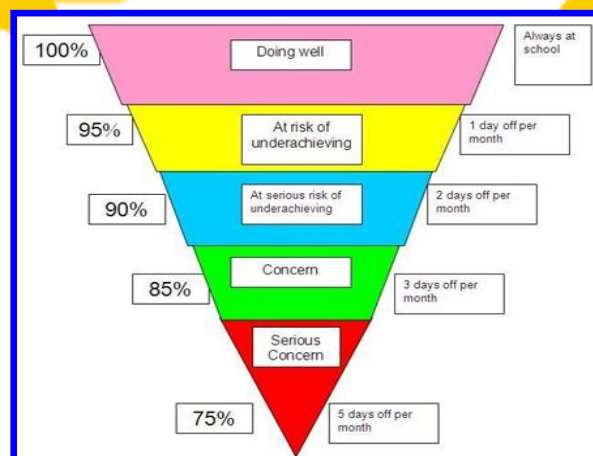


Have a lovely weekend,
Mrs Daniels

ATTENDANCE

Below is a pictorial reminder to parents on how important it is for children to attend school everyday. We would like to thank you for your continued support in this area.

School attendance for this week was 95%. A special well done to Class 4S who had the highest attendance with 98.8%. WELL DONE!



Curriculum For Wales

On Tuesday 28th January, the new Curriculum for Wales was published. We will be holding a workshop on Tuesday 11th February (09:30–10:30), to explain the school's journey in implementing the exciting changes, and we hope that you can join us.

In the meantime, I have attached a link to a parent and young person's guide that you may find useful.

<https://hwb.gov.wales/storage/44b74558-5d89-4a5b-bf54-32bd6dcad1c0/a-new-curriculum-in-wales-a-guide-for-children-young-people-and-families.pdf>



STAR OF THE WEEK



Reception

Francesca Saunders

Charlie Smith

Y1

Theo Robins

Y2

Reubin Sheppard

James Lewis

Emily Coleman-Humphreys

Y3

Megan Perry

Evan Greenall

Y4

Osian Williams

Gabriel Brooks

Emily Coombs

Y5

Daniel Priday

Ben Griffiths

Isabelle Clarke

Y6

Alex Hancock

Lucy Brading

Amelie Williams

Welsh Language Music Day

Today we are celebrating Welsh Language Music.
Listening to disco, pop and traditional Welsh songs.

Which are your favourite?

Candelas? Mega? Gwilym? Dafydd Iwan? Hanna2k? Elin Fflur?

Look out on twitter for tweets from today's hwyl a sbri!
If you listen / dance to welsh music tweet us. Don't forget to tag the school
and hashtag #ccvps



Parent/Teacher Meetings

Good news! Booking parent/teacher meetings will be much more efficient this year because you can now book your appointments online.

We will send a link to your mobile phone or email address which will take you to our online booking system to select a time convenient for you. In order for us to do this successfully, it is imperative that we have up to date contact details for every family.

Please let the office know if you need to update your details.



Wellbeing Dog

Thank you very much for your overwhelmingly positive feedback on the news that Victoria School will be introducing its very own wellbeing dog.

Shortly, we will be holding a competition to choose the name for our new addition, with the successful entrant winning a replica teddy.

Our dog will be joining us after Easter and will begin working with the children before the end of the Summer Term. As you can imagine, there is much excitement amongst staff and children and I truly believe that we will all positively benefit from the experience.

If you would still like to express your opinion/views, please contact the office via email or letter. Thank you.

Calendar 2019/2020

Curriculum Workshop

Tuesday 11th February

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 14th February

Half Term

Mon 17th Feb—Fri 21st Feb

Sponsored Bounce

Fri 28th February

Eisteddfod Celebrations

Mon 2nd March

World Book Day

Thurs 5th March

Y1 cake sale

Fri 6th March

Parent Consultation Meetings

Mon 9th March

Weds 11th March

Y6 Lifeboat trip

Tuesday 10th March

Y6 Magistrates in the community

Tues 17th - Weds 18th March

Mother's Day Secret Room

Thurs 19th—Fri 20th March

Whole School STEM Week

Mon 23 March—Fri 27 March

Y2 trip to Bryngarw

Tuesday 24th March

Y5 Harry Potter Trip

Weds 25th March

Y3 Bristol Zoo Trip

Friday 27th March

Class Photos

Mon 30th March

Dogs Trust Workshops

Thurs 2nd April

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Friday 3rd April

Y2 film event

Friday 3rd April

Last day of Spring Term

Fri 3rd April

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 22nd May

Half Term

Mon 25th May—Fri 29th May

Y6 transition visit to Stanwell

Monday 15th June

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 26th June

(Additional day to implement new Curriculum for Wales)

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 20th July

