

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Annwyl Parents/carers,

As we welcome the arrival of May, it's great to see that the weather is improving. However, I urge everyone to remain vigilant regarding sun safety as we encourage outdoor activities. Please ensure your children are equipped with sun hats and sun-screen, and that they always have their water bottles with them at all times. Additionally, I would like to extend my best wishes to our Year 6 pupils as they prepare for their residential trip next week. This experience promises to be both enjoyable and enriching, providing valuable opportunities for learning and adventure!

Hope you have had a lovely weekend.

Diolch yn fawr for your continued support.

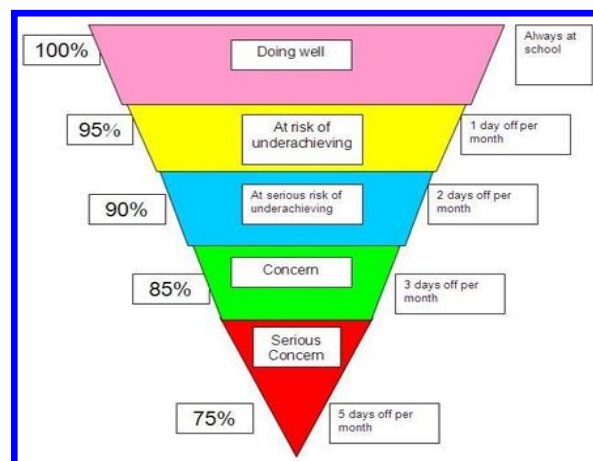
Mrs Davies

PRESENTOLDEB

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 94.8%. A special well done to Class RSD who had the highest attendance with 100%.

WELL DONE!



Tesco Stronger Starts—NOW IN LOCAL TESCO STORES

We are delighted to let you know that our application to Tesco Stronger Starts, for an emergency allergy medication kit on the school premises, has been successful and the project will be put forward to a customer vote in Tesco stores. Voting will commence in store from the first week in April 2025 until the end of June 2025.

The project with the highest number of votes across your region will receive £1,500 (or the amount that was requested up to this value), the second placed project £1,000 (or the amount that was requested up to this value), and the third placed project £500.

Stores which will vote on our project

Please see below a list of stores taking part in the voting on our project. Feel free to share this list of stores amongst your family members and friends.

2081 Barry Superstore CF62 8NX
3019 Penarth Superstore CF64 1SA
5858 Penarth Express Express CF64 2AH
5931 Barry Holton Road Express Express CF63 4SU
6376 Rhoose Exp Express CF62 3DT
6497 Dinas Powys Castl Express Express CF64 4NR
6696 Barry Road Express Express CF63 1BA



Seren Yr Wythnos



Reception

Ezra Kennedy

April Pausker

Year 1

Oscar Villis

Franco Wattleworth

Year 2

Mia Khoshooee

Myan Keshra

Year 3

Oliver Guilford

Alec Browning

Year 4

Alys Cornmell

Monica Hill-Acevedo

Year 5

Tom Maddern

Phoebe North

Finley Blofeld

Byron Greenall

Year 6

Oscar Morgan

Ethan Dixon

Siaradwr Cymraeg Yr Wythnos



Reception

Elodie Hedges

Miles Cole

Year 1

Maya Hughes

Billie Rosoman

Year 2

Trixie Grant

Libby Mclean

Year 3

Lilah-Rae Pleace

Kiarna-Mae Wheatley

Year 4

Ruby Walker

Eddie Powell

Year 5

Maya Shanmugaratnam

Kyla Burbidge

Year 6

Seve Moran

Molly Brooks O'Brien

Our day as the new School Leadership Team

Hello, we are the new leaders of Victoria primary school. The headteacher of the day is Miss Tibballs, the deputy headteacher is Miss Hughes, and the assistant headteacher is Miss Slade. We have thoroughly enjoyed this experience so much that we would gladly do it again. We have certainly found out a lot of things today... including how many biscuits Mrs. Davies eats!

We started the day by welcoming the children into the school. Then we made our way into the school and Miss Tibballs made an announcement to the children to remind them of their recognition board target. Afterwards, we had a well-deserved snack (hot chocolate and bourbons) which was delicious. Next, we split up. Miss Tibballs and Mrs. Davies went to the infants to check the targets and introduce the headteacher of the day. Meanwhile, Miss Slade and Miss Hughes visited every class to find out who was taking part in meeting the governors. Next, we had a meeting with the Curriculum Task Group, in order to plan theme week.

After that, we went outside to check the children's behavior at playtimes.

We also spoke to the pupils about

playtimes and the sensory garden. Later, we typed up the future events coming up. Miss Slade went to lunch, while Miss Hughes and Miss Tibballs supervised the infants in the hall. After lunch, Miss Slade, Miss Hughes and Miss Tibballs returned to the office and started typing up the newsletter.

"It was fun going round the school and working with Mrs. Davies" (Miss Hughes).

"I thought the day was interesting and exciting and I think it was a lovely experience. I'm so grateful!" (Miss Tibballs).

"It was really fascinating to learn what Mrs. Davies' job was like." (Miss Slade).



Year 6 Crucial Crew

Year 6 visited Ysgol Pen-Y-Garth where a multiagency event was held providing education on personal safety and choices. This was an excellent event which gave the children lots of information on social situations which they may become faced with as they become more independent young people. We strongly value this learning experience as it provided the children with real life education which will help them with safe decision making. Workshops featured;

- o National Grid - electrical safety
- o RNLI - water safety
- o Gambling prevention
- o Alcohol and drug danger
- o Rail safety
- o SWP - Cyber Safety
- o Fire safety
- o Building sites



Music for all

We have some drums that need to go to a good home. If your child is interested in percussion or keen to learn a new instrument, please let the office know and you can take one of the drums for your child to practise on. The drums are free so first come first serve.



Brilliant Baron enjoy their treat

Llongyfarchiadau to the children in Baron house who earned the most house points last term. As a reward they went on an Easter egg hunt at the field and enjoyed refreshments of squash and biscuits.



Calendr 2024/2025

Y6 residential
Y4 Author visit
Y5 Just Jump workshop
Sport's Day KS2
Sport's Day FP
Y4 Cyber security workshops

w/b Monday 12th May
Monday 12th May
Thursday 15th May
Wednesday 21st May
Thursday 22nd May
Thursday 22nd May

Y4 swimming

Mon 2nd—Fri 14th June

Y5 residential
Victoria's Got Talent
Y6 Stanwell Visit
Summer Fayre
Nursery visits
Class Swap Day
Y6 Stanwell visit
Induction meeting for new Reception parents
Theme Week
Y5/Y6 High School Musical performance at Stanwell
Annual Reports out

Weds 4th/ Fri 6th June
Friday 20th June
Friday 27th June
Saturday 28th June
Tuesday 1st July
Wednesday 2nd July
Wednesday 2nd July
Wednesday 2nd July
Mon 7th—Fri 11th July
Wednesday 9th July
Friday 11th July

Y5 enterprise visit to Stanwell
Y6 Leaver's Assembly
Y5/6 trip to Barry Island
Nursery Graduation

Tuesday 15th July
Wednesday 16th July
Thursday 17th July
Thursday 17th July

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 21st July

