

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Annwyl Parents/carers,

As we approach the end of a particularly short and busy half term, I would like to take this opportunity to reflect on the children's recent achievements. Our FP sports day was a wonderful success, and we were fortunate to have the weather on our side. It was heartening to see the enthusiasm and dedication demonstrated by all our children. Thank you for your unwavering support, which plays an invaluable role in fostering their confidence and enjoyment in such events. KS2 sports day will be on the 18th June.

I look forward to welcoming everyone back on **Monday 2nd June**, with renewed energy and enthusiasm for the last half term.

Diolch yn fawr for your continued support.

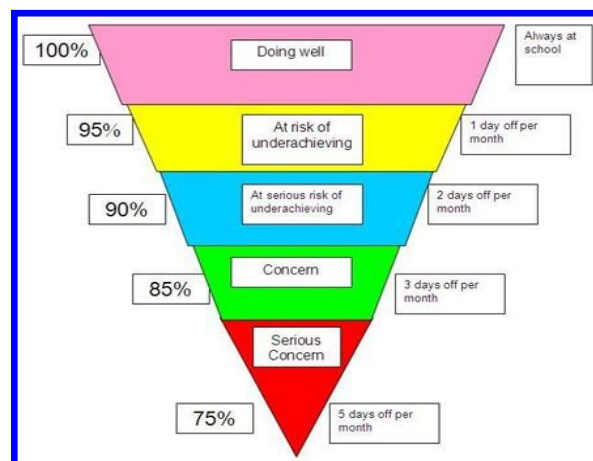
Mrs Davies

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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 94.4%. A special well done to Class 1B who had the highest attendance with 99.2%.

WELL DONE!



Safeguarding Concerns

As a school we have been using a system called My Concern to record and report all our safeguarding and bullying concerns which helps bring all the information together in one place and makes managing and investigating issues much easier. We are now in a position to share and trial the parent aspect of this system with you with the intention of improving the communication and response to concerns you report. The form will be sent directly to the school safeguarding leads. Moving forward we request that if you have a safeguarding or bullying concern about a child in our school you report it via My Voice. The link and QR code below will take you to a form to complete:

<https://form.thesafeguardingcompany.com/32f6fbcb-983a-42ee-a009-bb7d4baede8d>



Arbor Communications

We have recently moved over to a new communications system at school, Arbor, which will come into full use after half term and wanted to let you know of some changes to expect.

E-mail Address: we have a new school e-mail address (office@victoriaprimarieschool.com) which will replace the current address - victoriaps@valeofglamorgan.gov.uk. The current e-mail address will stop being used on 18/07/25. You can use either address in the meantime.

E-mail Messages: will be sent from our new system but you should receive them in exactly the same way as usual and probably won't notice much difference. You will be able to reply to these e-mails and they will be delivered directly to the office@victoriaprimarieschool.com address.

Text Messages: will be sent from our new system and appear as sent from a randomly generated number that will be unique to you and will remain unchanged for all messages. You will be able to send replies to text messages but not start a new message thread yourself.

Parent Portal: the school now has a Parent Portal that you can log in to and see information about your child/children, such as attendance, trips and clubs. You will receive an e-mail soon giving you instructions on how to login to your account. The e-mail will be sent from Arbor (the name of new system) so please keep an eye out in junk/spam mail.

Arbor Parent App: you can also download the Parent App to see the same information about your child/children as on the Parent Portal. Once you have downloaded the app, we will be able to communicate with you using in-app messages. You will also be able to reply to messages via the app which will be sent directly to the school.

School Office: as always, the school office is open from 8.15 - 3.45, Monday to Friday, and you can call us on 02920 709225. If your child is absent you can leave a voicemail message or speak to one of our admin staff within the opening hours.

School Newsletter: the newsletter will be sent out as usual via e-mail and can also be found on our website each week - [Newsletters | Victoria Primary School](#)

If you have any queries, please let us know.

Nursery/ Reception Sport's Day



RDH Sports Day 2025

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Foundation Phase Sport's Day



Calendr 2024/2025

Y4 swimming	Mon 2nd—Fri 14th June
Y5 residential	Weds 4th/ Fri 6th June
KS2 Sport day	Weds 18th June
Y3/4	11.00am
Y5/6	1.45pm
Victoria's Got Talent	Friday 20th June
Y6 Stanwell Visit	Friday 27th June
Summer Fayre	Saturday 28th June
Nursery visits	Tuesday 1st July
Class Swap Day	Wednesday 2nd July
Y6 Stanwell visit	Wednesday 2nd July
Induction meeting for new Reception parents	Wednesday 2nd July
Theme Week	Mon 7th—Fri 11th July
Y5/Y6 High School Musical performance at Stanwell	Wednesday 9th July
Annual Reports out	Friday 11th July
Y5 enterprise visit to Stanwell	Tuesday 15th July
Y6 Leaver's Assembly	Wednesday 16th July
Y5/6 trip to Barry Island	Thursday 17th July
Nursery Graduation	Thursday 17th July
INSET—school closed to pupils	Monday 21st July
INSET—school closed to pupils	Monday 1st September
INSET—school closed to pupils	Tuesday 2nd September
INSET—school closed to pupils	Friday 3rd October

