

VICTORIA PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

"Together we aim for the stars"

12th January 2024
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HEADTEACHER'S THOUGHTS THIS WEEK

Dear Parents,
Happy New Year/ Blwyddyn Newydd Dda and welcome back! I hope that the children had a restful break and are ready to take up their learning challenges for this term.

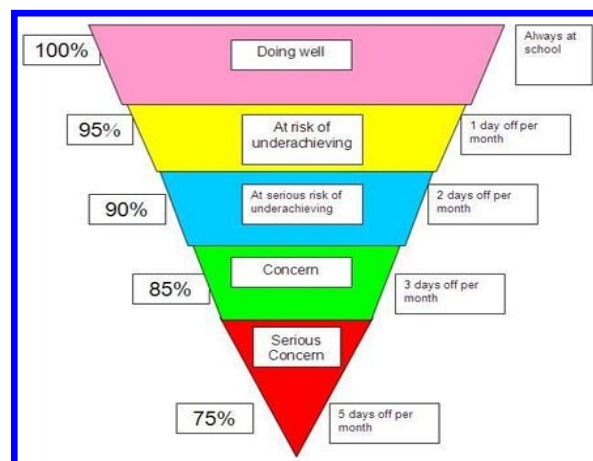
On behalf of all staff, I would like to thank you for your generosity; we are very grateful for the many Christmas cards and presents that we received at the end of last term.

We look forward to working with you again in ensuring that your children have another happy and successful term.
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 95.4%. A special well done to Class 3S who had the highest attendance with 97.8%.
WELL DONE!



Learning Look Day—Tuesday 20th February

The sessions will run from 9:30 – 11:00am and 2:00 – 3:00pm. You will be able to come, and leave, at any point throughout the session. Parents/visitors will come in through main entrance, collect children from class and take them into the following spaces, to share their learning:

Infant hall – Foundation Phase
Corridor /library - Y3/4
Junior Hall – Y5/6

We look forward to sharing the children's Learning Journals and digital learning with you.

Parent/carers will be able to take their child/ children home after the last session.



Star of the Week



Reception	Millie Kingston	Rory Gannon	
Year 1	Tomos Corbisiero-Peters	Ava Lloyd	
Year 2	Charlotte Jones		
Year 3	Emily Fray	Elen Hales	
Year 4	Molly Emerton	Elin Jinks	Izzy Fulton
Year 5	Thomas Guilford	Bobby Boulton	
Year 6	Kasie Coyle-Jones	James Lewis	Esther Hall

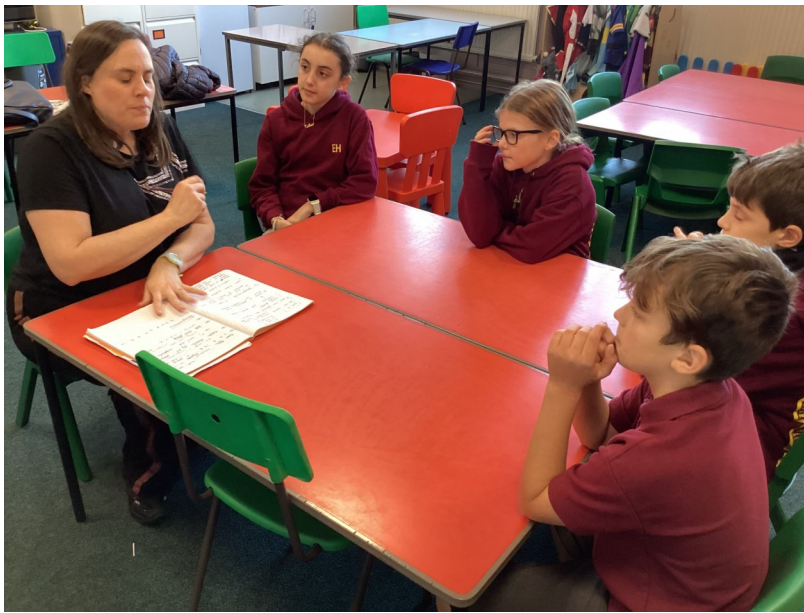
Welsh Speaker



Reception	Aurelia Fulton	Toby Young	
Year 1	William Miles-Bousie	Anwen Richards-Price	
Year 2	Iris Bowyer	Milo Robins	
Year 3	Austin Rowe	Clara Burns	Ruby Walker
Year 4	Gabriel Downey	Parissa Keshra	
Year 5	Molly Brooks O'Brien	Eva Corsi	
Year 6	Jack Samuel	Oliver Ferries	

School Creative Art's Project

The creative school's project is officially up and running! Louise, from the arts council, worked with both classes on Thursday afternoon, talking about the creative habits of mind. She also met with the y6 reporter team who will be conducting interviews throughout the process.



Just to get you thinking...



The following are ways to encourage your child, regardless of age and ability, to think for themselves and to make connections with what they already know (There is no need to write anything down. Originality is the creative-thinking behaviour that produces new or novel responses. The more ideas that are produced the more they depart from the norm, the better are the chances that there will be original responses.

.If you had to go on a journey to the moon which two people would you choose to go with and why?

Think of as many ways to complete this word

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The answer is 50. Think of 10 questions that could give this answer

Five people are in a field waving their arms above their heads. Why?

Our word of the week is: 'perplexed'

Can you spell it? How many new words can you make from it? Can you use it in a sentence this week?



Calendar 2023/2024

Y2 Beach Walk
Y1 Bryngarw trip
Y3 Falconry Visitor
Y3 Biodiversity Visitor
NSPCC Number Day (costume/ item of clothing with number on)

Monday 15th January
Thursday 18th January
Thursday 25th January
Monday 29th January
Friday 2nd February

INSET—school closed to pupils

Friday 9th February

Half term

Mon 12th—Fri 16th February

Learning Look Day
Parent/teacher consultation week
Eisteddfod
Y6 Cycling
World Book Day (costume needed)
Mother's Day Secret Room

Tuesday 20th February
w/b Monday 26th February
Friday 1st March
Mon 4th—Fri 15th March
Thursday 7th March
Thursday 7th March
Friday 8th March
Monday 11th March
Wednesday 13th March
Friday 15th March
Friday 15th March

Y6 Lion King Experience at Stanwell
School Class photos
Red Nose Day
PTA Quiz Night

Mon 18th—Fri 22nd March

STEM theme week

Spring Term Ends

Friday 22nd March

Summer term starts

Monday 8th April

Danceathon

Friday 19th April

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 22nd April

Y6 Residential

Mon 29 April—Fri 3 May

Half term

Mon 27th—Fri 31st May

Y5 Residential

Weds 26 June—Fri 28 June

INSET—school closed to pupils

Monday 22nd July