



Welcome to Year 6!

Croeso i Blwyddyn 6!

			
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General information

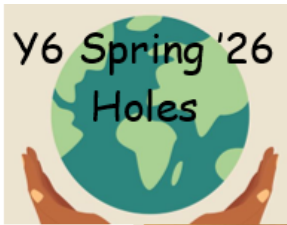
PE days - Our PE days this term are a Monday (Indoor PE – gymnastics/Welsh dance) and a Wednesday (Outdoor PE - Cricket with Colin Price from Cricket Wales). All pupils are to dress appropriately following the school PE policy.

Snack - Children can either bring a healthy snack to school or buy snacks via Parentpay.

Additional information - This term Miss Barrett will be teaching in 6H on Tuesday mornings and Tuesday afternoons in 6PJ. Year 6 have booked a residential trip to Cardiff on Monday 1st March – Wednesday 3rd March, taking part in many activities and visiting popular tourist attractions including the Principality Stadium and Cardiff Castle. A small group of 3 children have been chosen to represent our school to go to Italy funded by the Welsh government scheme 'laith'. The girls school football team will compete in the RPSA Fun Festival on Wednesday 25th February.

Enterprise - This term we will be continuing with our Enterprise Project selling decorated candles. Enterprise develops other important skills such as planning, buying & selling, budgeting and helps with the introduction to the world of work and careers.

Our theme: This term our theme is based on the book 'Holes' by Louis Sachar. Pupils will have the chance to explore a range of topics, understanding crime and punishment across different time periods whilst understanding the different layers of the Earth. We cover scientific elements as we develop an understanding of how light travel can be blocked. Pupils will take part in a shadow experiment, investigating how the size of shadows change at different times of the day. Please see a full overview below:



Maths / Numeracy

- Lifesavers
- Safmeds
- Decimals
- Percentages
- Measurement
- Perimeter, Area
- Volume
- Ratio

DCF

- Cyber Security - 'Safer Internet Day'
- E-aware - passwords, time online, gaming
- Citing online sources
- Create and organise a database
- Create a spreadsheet - Numbers
- Design simple sequences of instructions (algorithms/ coding)
- Collaborative online project - padlet

LLC

- Holes - Character description - compare characters.
- Evaluate - fair testing
- Inform - Layers of the Earth
- Poetry - recital The Highwayman
- Inform - Crime and Punishment in different eras.

LLC/ MFL

- Y Twydd - today and tomorrow
- Mynegi hoffter/ diffyg hoffter
- Rhoi rheswm
- Dydd Miwsig Cymru
- French colours and numbers

Science and Technology

- 'Safer Internet Day'
- Waves - light/ sound
- DT - create photo frames
- DT - Create a diorama
- Forensic Science - finger prints, footprints, autopsy and DNA

Expressive Arts

- Dance - Welsh dance
- Art - Zentangle Art
- Music - BSL Bob Marley's performing "Don't Worry Be Happy"
- Easter art - stained glass windows
- Film/ digital media - Poetry recital of the Highwayman.

Growing Creative Contributors

- RLC Enterprise
- World of Work
- Life savers – financial education
- Buddies
- Drama - hot seating

Ambitious, capable learners

- RLC Enterprise
- World of Work
- Budgets
- Hopes and aspirations
- Growth Mindset
- Maths challenges
- Coding

Health and Wellbeing

- Growth Mindset - Barriers to Learning, Brain v Calculator.
- Mindfulness - Mindful Art
- World of Work
- PSE – Building Bridges
- Outdoor games - Striking and Fielding with Cricket coach
- PC Manus
- Jigsaw
- Homelessness Aware
- Senedd meeting - Carol and possible AM

Healthy Confident Individuals

- RLC Enterprise
- World of Work
- SRE
- Growth Mindset
- Dance
- Cricket coaching sessions
- PC Manus - 'Griff's Story' and 'It's Your Choice'
- Jigsaw

Ethical Informed Citizens

- RLC Enterprise
- World of Work
- In House Eisteddfod
- Collective Worship
- PSE – Building Bridges
- Cardiff residential
- Eco council
- School council
- Reading buddies
- Senedd Meeting

Humanities

- Layers of the Earth
- Risks and Thrills: Flooding
- Curriculum Cymreig - Welsh rivers - Cardiff River Taff link
- "Daffodils" poetry recital for in house Eisteddfod
- Collective worship
- Easter
- Crime and Punishment in different eras