



Our UNICEF right this month is:



Article 29 – To be the best you can be.



28.01.2022

## INSET Days

Next year the school has organised its 5 INSET days on the following dates...

- 1— 02.09.21
  - 2—03.09.21
  - 3—22.10.21
  - 4—04.01.22
  - 5—17.02.22
- Diolch yn fawr.

## Happy New Year- Blwyddyn Newydd Dda!!

I hope you all had a lovely Covid free Christmas and the New Year has started off well for you.

### Covid Update



**We are currently experiencing a high number of cases amongst the pupils and staff in school at the moment. Relief teachers are not available from Teacher Supply Agencies. Whilst Wales will go down to alert level 0 today, we will still remain at alert level high. The minister for education has extended the staggered start and end times of the day until February half term, face masks will also be worn by staff on the school premises. The self-isolation period will reduce to 5 days from 28.01.22, pupils can return to school if they have a negative LFD test on day 5 and on the morning of day 6. We will continue to practise good hand hygiene and ensure all classrooms are well ventilated. Thorough cleaning of furniture, equipment and high touch points takes place twice a day. All visitors to the school must have a negative LFD on the morning of the visit. LFD tests for pupils are available from the office. If you receive a 'Warn and Inform' letter your child needs to test daily for 7 days. Class bubbles remain for break times and lunchtimes, year groups do not mix. We are trying our best to limit the amount of cases in school by adhering to all Covid restriction measures, hopefully we will see a decline in positive cases over the spring term and we can return to some kind of normality soon. Thank you for your support and patience, together we can get through this!**

### The Queens Platinum Jubilee

The local authority has decided on **Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022** schools will be closed to allow school staff a day off to celebrate the jubilee, as it falls in the scheduled half-term holiday break.



Please can you try to remember to wear a face mask if you want to talk to staff at drop off and pick up times. Let's try and keep everyone safe.



### Fundraising

We actually managed to raise £680 for the Alltwen Fire Fund  
Well done everybody - diolch yn fawr!!