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Our UNICEF right this month is:



Article 24 - the right to food, water and medical care



Pasg Hapus... Happy Easter!
We hope everyone has a relaxing and fun Easter holidays from all at
Alltwen Primary
School



Start and End Times to the Day

After the Easter break we would like to open up the yard again for parents/carers to collect their children from school. The morning drop off regime at the gate will stay in place, so that the children and teachers can start Read Write Inc. at 9.00am promptly. At pick up time the gates will be opened for parents to collect their children on the yard and speak to the class teacher if they wish.

However, we would like to put a zone system in place, to make it easier and safer for teachers to dismiss the children to you. Each year group will have an allocated zone for parents/carers to stand in while they wait for their children, this will make it easier for the teacher to match the parent/carer to the child on a busy yard, as we now have 254 pupils no roll.

I hope this makes sense, if not please get in touch.

Dates for your Diary

Read Write Inc. Parent's Evening - 26th April 4.30pm, school hall

Year 5/6 Netball Tournament Cwmtawe - 11th May Year 5/6 Rugby Tournament Ystradgynlais - 20th May Colorphoto whole school class pictures - 27th May

A big thank you to the PTA for funding the cost of the roller blinds in the year 2 and 3 classrooms and a big thanks to Mr Alun Evans from Chic blinds for fitting them for us.

Year 6 Residential 13th - 15th July 22

Unfortunately, the year 6 residential to Llangrannog was cancelled this year, in order to house Ukrainian refugees. We managed to book a residential with Margam Discovery Centre instead, but the cost was £70.50 more per child.

Thankfully, the Governing Body agreed to pay the extra cost for each pupil out of school funds at a cost of £2250.

A residential is such a fantastic experience for pupils, as they get to stay away from home with their friends and enjoy a little bit of independence away from their parents/carers. We hope they have an amazing time and can't wait to see the photos on Twitter.

INSET

Due to the enforced school closure days to plan and prepare for Covid on the 4th and 5th January 2022, we have a cluster INSET day with Cwmtawe on the 7th June 2022

Just a reminder that we are **NOT** in school on the 6th June 2022 either as this is a day off for the Queen's Jubilee.

Comic Relief

Thank you to everyone who donated cakes and money for Red Nose Day, we all had a lot of fun and managed to raise a whopping £431

Well Done!!

If you have any concerns about your child's safety, please come and speak to us. Safeguarding information is also available on the website, if needed. Thank you, Mrs

Herbert

It is with regret, that we say goodbye to Mrs Karen Evans our TA in year 5 today. We wish her all the best in her new job but the door will always be open if she would like to return in the future x



Year 6 Swimming

After the Easter holidays, the year 6 class will be going swimming every morning for 2 weeks.

The children will now travel there and back by coach each day.