

Dear Parents/Carers,

Lots of amazing activities have taken place during the course of the week including Year 1 and Year 2's trip to Ty Tanglwyst working dairy farm. The children and staff absolutely loved this visit - a big shout-out to all our volunteers without whom trips like this would not take place.

We received our Bronze award for Community Engagement in September and are now busy working towards our Silver award. To attain this we are looking to further increase our involvement with both the school and local community. Planned actions include:

- increasing opportunities for families and community members to become involved in the life of the school
- increased collaboration between local community groups and businesses
- increased collaboration with parents/carers to increase attendance and punctuality

If you have any ideas on how we could enhance our work in this area please let us know by emailing Miss Shelley Harries at <a href="https://harriess8@hwbcymru.net">https://harriess8@hwbcymru.net</a>.

Your views about us, as a school, are of the utmost importance. As such, we would like you to complete the parent/carer questionnaire 23/24. You can do this by following the link below. Information gained will help us decide on areas for further improvement and assist us in moving our school forward.

https://forms.gle/CvLob5R5y3sztSBt5

Thanking you for your continued support.

Andrea Waddington & Staff



Our whole school attendance this week has been:

91.9%

Our target is:

95.1%

Please help us achieve our target this term!

## **Dates for your diary...**

Dates added/amended this week are in red

- Fri 09/02/24 INSET
- Tues 20/02/24 Y4 to South
   Point
- Thurs 22/02/24 Y4 to Cardiff Castle
- Y5 to Llangrannog 8<sup>th</sup> –
   10<sup>th</sup> April
   2024
- Y6 to Abernant 13<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup>
   May 2024
- Y5 swimming 10<sup>th</sup> 14<sup>th</sup>
   June and 17<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> June
   2024
   Details of all trips are on
   ParentPay

OUR PUPIL VOICES THIS WEEK
ARE ROSANNA AND ALIYAH FROM
YEAR 5. THEY SAY:

'WE LOVE COMING TO SCHOOL BECAUSE WE GET TO LEARN NEW THINGS. WE ALSO LIKE THAT WE GET TO READ ABOUT LOTS OF INTERESTING THINGS!'

## Highlights of this week....

The Nursery children have been exploring transient art.
They have used natural resources from around the nursery to make these pictures.





Reception have been learning lots about where our food comes, from including the farm! Using their knowledge as well as their own likes and dislikes, they created their very own food plates!







Years 1 and 2 really enjoyed their days at the dairy farm learning about where our school milk comes from!









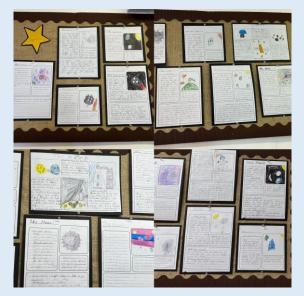




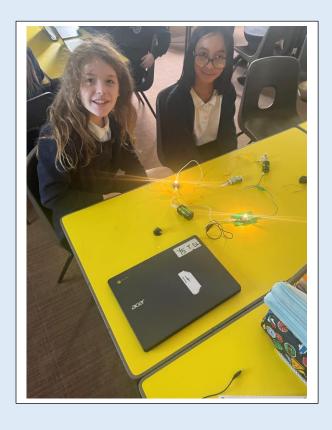








Y4 had an amazing presentation by Mr Wright about his role in designing and constructing buildings for our 'Grand Designs' unit of learning. Inspiring the next generation of designers!



Year 6 enjoyed their trip to FabLab in Cardiff Met where they learned about 3d scanning and printing and even made their own key rings!

Year 3 have enjoyed using their research skills to find out about the Moon. This week they have used their research to plan and create some fantastic fact files about the Moon





Year 5 had an excellent week learning about circuits and how our homes are powered.











