

Spring Term Newsletter - Dosbarth Derwen

Welcome back to school - I hope you all had a lovely Winter break.

This term our topic is 'Places and people.' The pupils have fed back to staff what they would like to learn about and we will be focusing on the book 'The Explorer' by Katherine Rundell

Wellingtons



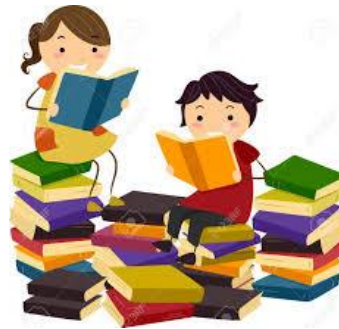
We spend lots of time in our outdoor area. To keep the children's school shoes as clean as possible, please can you send in a pair of wellingtons that can be kept in school with your child's name written inside them?

We have a storage area on the key stage two yard to keep wellingtons in and the children would benefit from wearing them during our outdoor learning sessions.

Sunny Weather

Please ensure your child comes to school with suitable sunhats, sunglasses and suntan lotion daily.

Reading



Reading is one of the most important things you can do with your child.

We encourage you to read with your child every day. All pupils have been given a reading record that shows the name of the book that your child is reading as well as notes from when they have read to an adult in class.

Please feel free to leave any relevant comments inside the reading record.

Please sign the record to show that you have seen it and help us work together to ensure your child is happy in school and working to the best of their ability.

It is very important that your child brings their reading record and book to school every day as they are given the opportunity to read during registration.

Your child is expected to do some reading practice in their own time each day. Your child's internet login details are placed at the front of their records for easy access.

Please remember the school website for up-to-date information:

www.ysgolcaerdrewyn.co.uk or

Our [school face book page](#)

Staff - Dosbarth Derwen

Class Teacher - Miss Zoe Lewis
Teaching Assistant - Miss Allyson
Maths Teacher - Mrs Davies & Miss Nicola
Science & PSE Teacher (Wednesday & Thursday AM) - Mrs Theobald
Beaumont

Learning at Home

Please help your child to access the following websites at home to help develop their learning.

- Maths Frame
- TT Rockstars
- Hwb
- Giglets
- Code.org

Your child's login details for all of these sites are at the front of your child's reading record.



Seesaw

Please remember you can view a lot of your child's work using the app.

Water Bottles

Please send your child to school with a water bottle filled from home daily. They will be able to refill them in school if needed.

Bottles will be sent home at the end of every day to be washed at home.

PE

We have PE on a Tuesday afternoon and Swimming on a Friday morning.

Please can your child come dressed to school in their PE kits on a Tuesday.

The school PE kit is round neck white/sky blue t-shirts, and black shorts or jogging bottoms/plain sports leggings.

Please ensure your child's name is written inside their school jumpers!

Open Door Policy

We have an open-door policy and we really want your child to be happy at school. If there are ever any problems please come and see me as I'm sure any problem can be easily solved.

Alternatively, you can phone the school 01490 412418 or e-mail me Lewis76@hwbcymru.net

Home time

Please let us know if someone different is collecting your child at the end of the day. You can phone school and leave a message on the answer phone, drop me an e-mail or leave a message with the staff member on gate duty in the morning.