RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER





"Together we plant the seeds for tomorrow's future"

This week's attendance is 93.9%

The school will be closed for all children for INSET on Friday May 28th 2021 (this is the Friday before Whitsun Half term).

Update from RCT/WGUpdate from RCT/WG

Advice from the Welsh Government request is for people (including children) to get a test **if they are feeling unwell in any way**. Please see table below:

| Symptoms | Take a test | Isolation Advice | Result of Test |
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| Classic 3 symptoms: Fever (greater than 37.8 C) New persistent /continuous cough Change in taste /smell | Yes | Households must isolate if anyone develops any of the three classic Covid-19 symptoms while waiting for a test | If positive, they and household must isolate |
| Feeling unwell in any way. Wider symptoms: Tiredness; muscle ache; sore throat; runny nose; vomiting; diarrhoea; headache | Yes | Individuals and their households who take a test because of these other wider symptoms are <u>not</u> required to isolate while they await their test result. This includes learners, who can continue to attend their school or setting while they await a test result. | If individuals then receive a positive Covid-19 result, they and their household must then isolate. |
| Diarrhoea and/or vomiting | Yes | Clearly, children and adults with diarrhoea and/or vomiting should not attend their school/setting until they are symptom-free for 48 hours, even if their Covid-19 test result is negative. | If positive, they and household must isolate |

Further detail on how to apply for a test is provided at https://gov.wales/apply-coronavirus-covid-19-test or simply call the free number 119 between the hours of 7am to 11pm.

If you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school.

Seren yr Wythnos



Nursery - Jack for fantastic work on the "Life cycle of a Bean".

Class 1- Ella R for an excellent piece of stay writing.

Class 2- Finley for trying his best all week.

Class 3- Kayla for being very kind, helpful and being a good friend.

Head teacher's Awards -

Milly May for always hopping and skipping accurately when doing hopscotch.

Riley for being amazing when doing 56 keepie uppies with a football.

Amber for being a true friend and for being very brave in school today.

Seesaw Homework

As you can see we have a new celebration certificate. This is the 'Certificate of Achievement' for their work on online learning. As a school we are encouraging all pupils to have a go at 'remote learning' as this will prepare our children should we ever experience another lockdown. Please encourage your child to complete their online tasks.

If you have any queries or require your child's passwords and log on details please contact the school and we will do our best to help. This week certificates go to -

Class 1 Daisy

Class 2 Troy

Class 3 Bethan

Well done!



Holidays in term time



Can I remind everyone that holidays will only be authorised if your child's attendance for the 12 months prior to the holiday application is over 95% and stays above 95% to the date of travel



Absence messages

When your child is absent from school a message should be left on the school phone informing us of the illness

Unfortunately saying "unwell" is not acceptable by the Attendance and Wellbeing Service, so we ask for your support in that a more detailed explanation is given.

As we continually update our records please could you inform us of any NEW allergies that your child may have



Health & Safety

When leaving the school grounds please could you hold your child's hand when entering Heol Y Graig to ensure that your child remains safe and cannot run onto the busy road.

Heol Y Graig gets very busy and we ask that parents and families do not park on the pavements or opposite the zig-zag lines outside the school entrances.

Diolch yn fawr

Pupil contact details

Please can you notify the school of any change of address or contact details as soon as any changes are made for your child.

"Happy Birthday 101"

We would like to wish Mrs Peggy Jenkins Penblwydd Hapus from all of the children and staff from Rhigos.

Mrs Jenkins is 101 today.

