

## RHIGOS PRIMARY SCHOOL

### NEWSLETTER

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

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### Seren yr Wythnos

**Nursery - Olivia C** for being a happyindependent member of the class.

**Class 1- Charlie** for excellent work with shape this week.

**Class 2- Ella F** for the most amazing maths work.

**Class 3- Maisie** for always having an excellent attitude towards her learning.

#### Head teacher's Award -

**Jacob H** - for singing lovely Christmas songs during our Christmas Dinner.



### Seesaw Homework Awards

This weeks awards for engagement in on line learning goes to

**Class 1 Avah-May**

**Class 2 Zac**

**Class 3 Megan**

Well done!!



### Browddeg yr Wythnos

#### Question of the week

Beth ydy dy hoff raglan deledu?

What is your favourite TV programme?

Fy hoff raglan deledu ydy -----

My favourite programme is -----



**Rhigos Community Council**  
**Christmas Painting/Drawing Competition**



Rhigos Community Council have judged their Christmas Scene drawing/painting competition.

The winners are as follows:

	3 ~ 5 years	6 ~ 8 years	9 ~ 11 years
First	Jake O	Mollie	Olivia P
Second	Kami	Ella F	Lola
Third	Carter	Evie E	Caelen

Thank you to all the children who entered the competition.

The judges must have had a very tough time!!

The winners received gift vouchers (£20; £10; £5) to spend in The Works.

We would like to thank Rhigos Community Council for providing the children of Rhigos the opportunity to showcase their talents

The winning art will be on display in the Community Centre window from Monday and with the parents' permission on Rhigos Chat.

**Christmas Concerts**



This year we will be providing recordings of your child's class Christmas Concert for you to purchase.

If you have children in different classes, all performances will be placed on one memory stick.

We kindly ask for £5.00 per memory stick.

If you have any queries please contact the school.

**Dinner money payments**

We kindly ask that all arrears are paid up to date and next week's dinner money is paid on Monday as it is the end of term next Friday.

**Diolch**

**Christmas Dinner**

A big thank you to Mrs Davies and Mrs Moon for a wonderful Christmas Dinner on Wednesday. The dining hall looked amazing with the tables decorated ready for Christmas dinner. Also a special mention to Miss Leach and Miss Ivanovic. The children (and staff) looked lovely in their Christmas jumpers. Everyone had a fabulous time and were very full.



### Ventilation

We have received our CO<sub>2</sub> monitors that have been provided by the Welsh Government to all schools.

CO<sub>2</sub> monitors notify staff when CO<sub>2</sub> levels rise, so they can identify where ventilation needs to be improved.

With the weather becoming increasingly colder please ensure that your child has extra layers on and brings a warm winter coat to school.

If you have any queries please contact the school.

### Christmas Jumper Day

It was lovely to see the children and staff in their Christmas jumpers today.



### RCT Schools Swimming programme

Swimming lessons will start for years 3 to 6 on Wednesday January 12th. As it will be late morning all pupils will have to bring a packed lunch with them or order a school packed lunch. More details will follow in the new year



### **TO MAKE YOU SMILE!!**

What did the hair accessory say to the musical instrument?

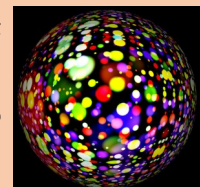
Let's make a hair band!!



Sophie Y5 & her mum

### End of term disco

We will hold an end of term disco on Friday 17th December after lunch. Children can wear their party clothes/ non school uniform and refreshments will be provided.



### 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.

If your child has any appointments please provide us with the official letter for our records.

### Road Safety

In the interest of safety for all our children please do not park on the yellow lines in front of the school and from parking on the pavement opposite the entrance of the school. With the darker mornings and poor visibility during bad weather crossing the road becomes very hazardous when the traffic is increased at the start and the end of the school day.

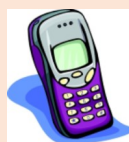


As we continually update our records please could you inform us of any **NEW** allergies that your child may have.



### Pupil contact details

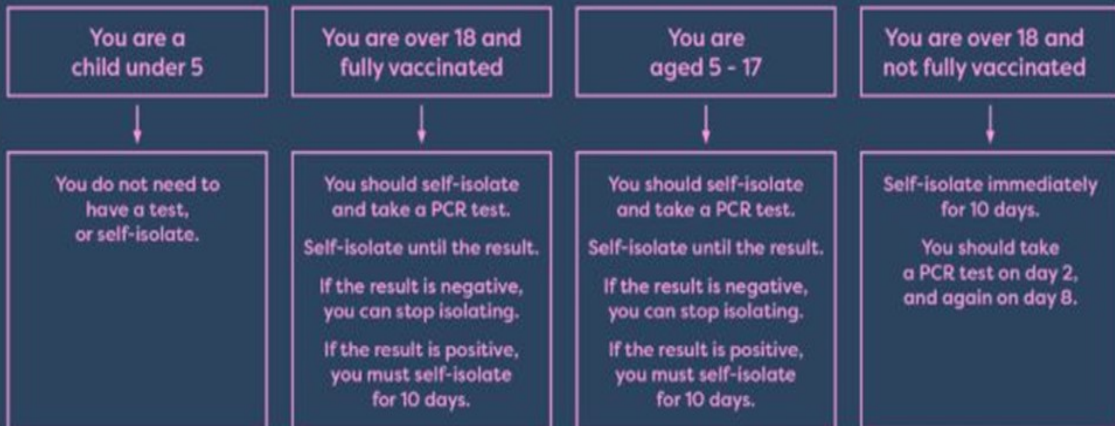
Please can you notify the school of any change of address or contact details as soon as any changes are made for your child.



Please could children bring their reading books every day to school.



## Someone in your household has COVID symptoms or has tested positive for COVID



#KeepWalesSafe



**Dec 17th** school disco and end of term.

**Dec 20th to Jan 3rd 2022** Christmas break

**Jan 4th 2022** inset day school closed to pupils

**Jan 5th** pupils return to school

**Jan 12th** swimming starts for years 3 to 6

