

Year 6

Blwyddyn Chwech

Mrs Millard's Class



This Week's Newsletter 22.2.19

Well done to all the children in Year 6 for their hard work and enthusiasm this half term. It has been a busy half term and there have been lots of illnesses, but the children have remained calm, positive and hardworking which is fantastic. On our return to school, after half term, we will be working hard towards the National Tests.

This week in Literacy the children have used ellipsis to create tension when writing sentences. They have written from the point of view of a different character and have created mood and tension by writing sentences that include similes and metaphors and powerful vocabulary. They will write a suspense story, using these skills, after half term.

In Maths the children have explored two step function machines using algebra. They used their knowledge of place value to multiply whole numbers and decimals by multiples of ten. They also used their problem-solving skills to complete magic squares.

The children have created a factfile about icebergs, in preparation for their learning on the Titanic after half term. They have also been busy working in their 'houses' to learn their poem for the school Eisteddfod.

Class Attendance for last week:
94%

Diary Dates

Wednesday 6th March: school Eisteddfod

Friday 8th March: World Book Day

Friday 15th March: KS2 sharing day

School Eisteddfod - Wednesday 6th March

Your child is encouraged to come to school dressed in Welsh costume or kit.

Learn Its

All times tables and corresponding number facts.

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11	0	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	0	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144



Our Topic is...
Frozen Kingdom

World Book Day - Friday 8th March

Your child is encouraged to come to school dressed as a character from a book.

Year 6 have the opportunity to visit Cowbridge library on Thursday afternoon, to take part in a World Book Day related craft activity, run by the library.

Change to PE Dates

Outside PE lessons will now take place on a Tuesday. Please can your child have a warm jumper and jogging bottoms in their PE kit.



Thank you for encouraging your child to enter the poetry competition for the Eisteddfod. We were overwhelmed with the number of entries – well done everyone. Homework: children have the opportunity to create crafts for the school Eisteddfod as well as completing the family growth mindset activity. There is also a presentation they can prepare for – but this is not due in until the second Wednesday after half term. All details on the website. Please note there are no spellings to learn over half term. We hope you have a restful half term and that we all come back to school germ free and in good health. Enjoy, Mrs Millard and Mrs Heald