



Ysgol Yr Holl Saint All Saints' School

A Voluntary Aided Church in Wales School



Cylchlythyr – Newsletter – 22.11.2024

Dear parents and carers,

We have certainly had a different week in school this week, the snow earlier on in the week has turned to ice which has made our campus a little tricky to navigate over the past few days. Thank you for your support in the changes to entrance and collection times this week, it helped keep everything running smoothly for us all. Pupils have been learning and refocusing on our school values of respect, friendship and care this week in their classes, please do talk with them about the activities and how they can contribute towards our school values. We have also received notification this week that our school will be inspected by a Church School Inspector on 4th December 2024 as part of the Section 50 framework. I am looking forward to this inspection to showcase the excellent work taking place across our school and the links we enjoy with our community.

I will be off site from Wednesday – Friday next week as I attend the Pentre-Llyn-Cymer visit with Year 4, it certainly promises to be an enjoyable visit and I am very much looking forward to it! Should you require anything in my absence, please contact Mr Holmes through the school office. I hope you have a lovely weekend.

Diolch, Mr Hatwood

Everyone here at school has enjoyed playing in the snow in between lessons this week. Roedd hi'n Bwrw eira!



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Blwyddyn 1 & 2-Reflection Areas

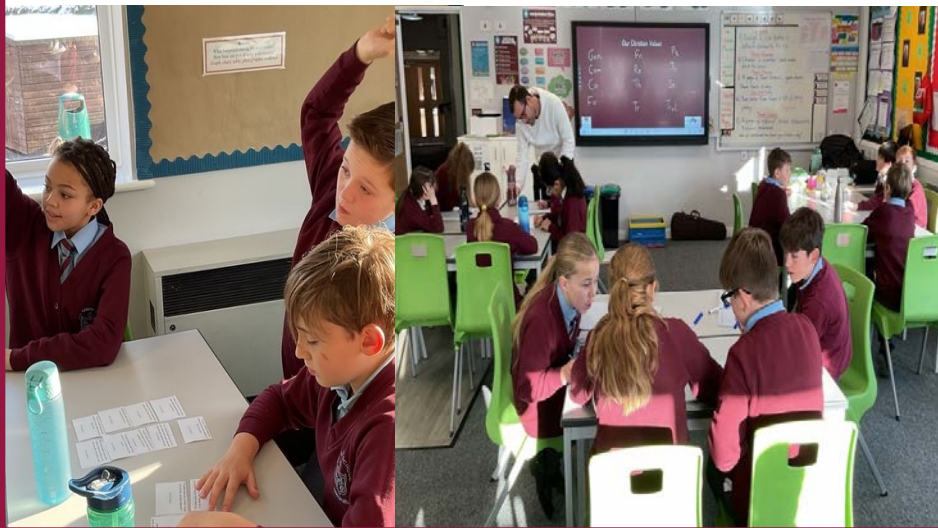
In Year 1 and 2, pupils have discussed our values of respect, friendship and care and have written prayers for our class reflection area.



Blwyddyn 5 & 6 - Positive Cultures

Pupils in Dosbarth Penfro have been learning about unacceptable behaviours this week and when these behaviours are classed as bullying. They have looked at a range of scenarios and discussed whether or not they are bullying using scenario based activities.

Following this, pupils then worked to understand the impact that these behaviours have on the victim and their peers or family and the actions that they should take. Pupils also discussed the importance of being an 'upstander' and not a 'bystander', and how to navigate and work through situations which may cause them concern. Pupils engaged maturely in discussions and responded well to the scenarios that were discussed. Well done indeed Year 5 & 6!



Let's put it to the test.

On the tables you have some scenarios. Thinking about FEELINGS, IMPACT, ACTIONS write down your responses and ideas for each box. What do you think?

FEELINGS
How does it make the person feel?

ACTIONS
What can we do if we see this happening?



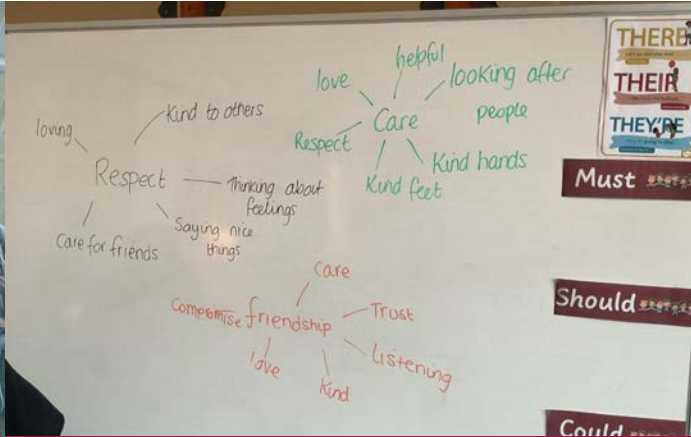
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Blwyddyn 3 & 4- Reflecting on our school ethos

This week we have spent time focusing on our school ethos. We reflected on what Respect, Friendship and Care looks like. We also focused on what bullying is and what we can do if someone is being bullied. We completed a Kahoot quiz and then looked at a range of scenarios to see if we could tell if it was rude, mean or bullying. We all understood the important message and can continue to be good role models!



Reception- Friendship and Christian Values

We have listened to lots of stories about friendship and discussed what makes a good friend. In small groups we made some delicious 'friendship soup'. In our RVE sessions we have been talking about Christian symbols. We visited Church to find different symbols and important items.



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Blwyddyn 1 & 2- Children In Need & Expressive Arts

At the end of last week, we celebrated Children In Need day by wearing non-uniform and Pudsey ears. We also learnt about famous Artist Vincent Van Gogh's artwork entitled 'Starry Night' and had a go at recreating it ourselves.



We also made friendship soup and talked about all the ingredients needed such as trust and kindness and discussed Christian values, saying a prayer. We had fun in the snow.



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Blwyddyn 1 & 2 - Health & Wellbeing

Pupils have looked at what makes a good friend. They have been talking about what qualities are important to them and linked this to our core school values, respect, friendship and care. The pupils then wrote their own friendship recipe and discussed how to show respect, friendship and care.



Blwyddyn 5 & 6 - Values

As part of their RVE work, the children in Dosbarth Penfro have been thinking about our Christian Values of Thankfulness and Trust. They have then made a pledge for the future and displayed it on our Reflection Tree.



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Blwyddyn 1 & 2- Being Safe Online

We have talked about how being online can make us feel different emotions and have made our own emoji sticks. We have also discussed what to do if something makes us feel sad or uncomfortable online. Super listening everyone!



Blwyddyn 3 & 4- Respect, Friendship & Care

Children looked at the school vision and wrote about times when they had demonstrated those values mentioned. Children talked about belonging to a community and discussed the importance of staying safe and being kind in the online community.



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Blwyddyn 5 & 6- The History of Wrexham AFC

This week, we were delighted to welcome Josh from Wrexham AFC, who will be working with one of our Year 5/6 classes on a weekly basis. The session began with an exploration of the history of Wrexham AFC, where the children wrote a diary entry from the perspective of the club's founder. This was followed by an engaging agility-focused PE lesson in the hall. A fantastic start to what promises to be an exciting partnership.



Blwyddyn 5 & 6- Football Event

At the end of last week, the children participated in the cluster football event hosted at All Saints' School on Friday.

Both teams played exceptionally well, demonstrating great teamwork and sportsmanship. We are so very proud of how they represented our school, well done to everyone involved and **thank you to Mr Morris for organising this great event.**



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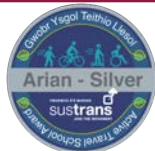
Derbyn - Being a good friend

We have been talking about what you need to do in order to be a good friend to others. The children came up with lots of lovely ideas and acted them out.



Derbyn - Eira

This week we have had fun playing in the snow in between lessons and enjoyed building snowmen!



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Derbyn - Visits to All Saints' Church

Some more pictures from our visit to the Church



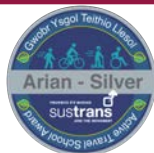
Breakfast & Teatime Club



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Bookings for Breakfast and Teatime Club for next week close **at 10am on a Friday for the next week**. Please make sure you book and make payment for places before bookings close, late bookings received will not be accommodated. **Due to a very high number of requests, we are no longer able to amend or cancel/credit bookings, so please do book carefully.**

Bookings must be made online using the online booking and payment system and **payment must be made at the time of booking**, unless using the 30 Hour Childcare offer to pay for your child's place. Staff will be completing final matching of payments weekly on Friday just after 10am and any payments not received will result in bookings being cancelled. **These will not be able to be rebooked.**



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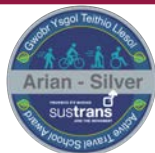
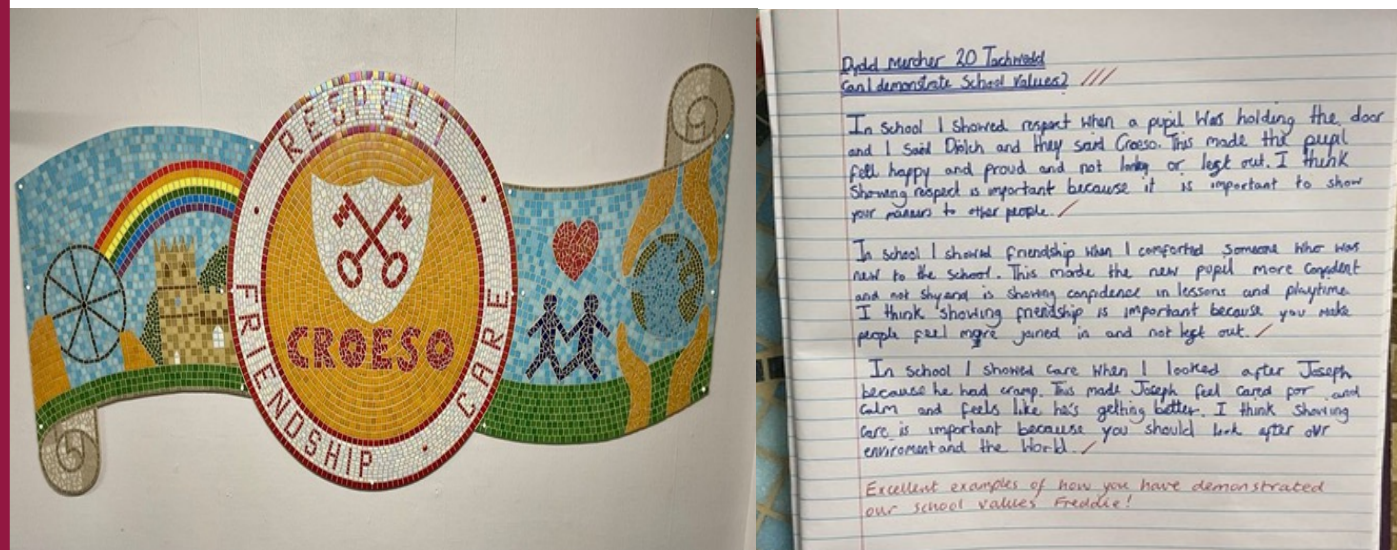
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Blwyddyn 3 & 4- Being good digital citizens

Pupils have been thinking about how they can be good digital citizens. They have considered what it is to be part of an online community and what rules there should be for sharing, responding, working together and playing together online. Working in groups and as a whole class they have come up with rules they think should be followed. Finally the children have signed a pledge to promise they will follow their own rules. Super sensible ideas everyone!



The children have also been taking a look at our school values of respect, friendship and care and considering how they demonstrate them at school. They have also thought about how being respectful, friendly and caring impacts others and why it is so important to us here at All Saints' School.



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TOP 3 PUPILS BASED ON...
MOST MINUTES PLAYED OVER THE LAST 7 DAYS
OUT OF EVERYONE IN

DOSBARTH BEAUMARIS, DOSBARTH BODELWYDDAN, DOSBARTH CAERGWRLE, DOSBARTH
CHIRK, DOSBARTH CONWY, DOSBARTH CRICCIETH, DOSBARTH DINAS BRAN, DOSBARTH
GWYRCH, DOSBARTH PEMBROKE, DOSBARTH POWIS, DOSBARTH ABERTAWE

AYOOLUWA
OMISAKIN

HUNTER
SCOTT

AMELIA
HARRIS

2ND
PLACE

1ST
PLACE

3RD
PLACE

A big diolch to
Jasmine and
Cooper, our
Worship Leaders,
for selling poppies
this year.

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Dear Parents and Carers,

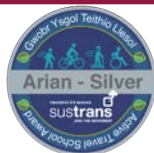
As the Christmas season approaches, we wanted to remind you of a wonderful opportunity to order a keepsake that celebrates the All Saints' School community – the whole school group photograph taken earlier this year.

This very special photo offers a lasting memory of your child's time here and the friendships they've made along the way. You can view the photograph and place your order online by visiting the following link:

<https://htmp.st/170118-202WSG>

All orders will be shipped directly to your home (P&P applies). To ensure your photo arrives in time for the festive period, please place your order by **Sunday 1st December**.

We hope this photograph will find a special place in your home and bring joy to your family for years to come.



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Diolch Mr Carr!

We would like to say a big diolch yn fawr iawn to Ralph Carrs' dad Shaun for his help this week! He very kindly helped clear the roads and entrance ways to the school during the day to enable us all to stay safe. Thank you for making a difference!



TOP 3 PUPILS WITH THE HIGHEST IMPROVEMENT IN ACCURACY

OUT OF EVERYONE IN
Dosbarth Abertawe, Dosbarth Beaumaris, Dosbarth Bodelwyddan,
Dosbarth Caergwrle, Dosbarth Conwy

IN THE LAST 7 DAYS ARE...

Antoni Sobczak 1st

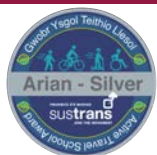
Mihail Ivov 2nd

Oliver Jones 3rd

Attendance and Punctuality

Our attendance has been hit by the snow and poor weather this week. Thank you for your ongoing support with regard to getting pupils to school on time. This push is important and we look forward to it continuing over the coming weeks.

Class	Attendance	Punctuality
Nursery - Miss Williams	100%	0 sessions
Early Years - Mrs Parker	87%	1 session
Early Years - Mrs Baker	83%	4 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Coombes	87%	1 session
Year 1/2 - Mrs Mort	85%	0 sessions
Year 1/2 - Mrs Speed	90%	1 session
Year 3 - Miss Sedgwick	88%	4 sessions
Year 3/4 - Mrs Wright	89%	0 sessions
Year 4 - Mrs Shelmerdine	89%	1 session
Year 5 - Mr Holmes	80%	1 session
Year 6 - Mr Szymura	80%	1 session
Year 6 - Miss Jones	91%	0 sessions
Whole School	87%	18 sessions



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