

Blaendulais News

"Making a Difference"

Parent's/Carer's Open Afternoon - Wednesday, 14th February

We would like to invite you into school at 1.30pm on Wednesday, 14th February to spend an afternoon, with your child, looking at their work. This will be a great opportunity to see all the hard work that has been going on in class. If you would like to speak to your child's teacher about their progress, please make an appointment, before or after, school via the school office.

Parental Responsibility In and Around School

Unfortunately, I must report that there have been reports of foul and/or abusive language heard on the school grounds at the beginning, and end, of the school day. Please remember that our primary aim is to create a safe and secure environment for all. Any reports of this kind of behaviour will be reported to the police.

Prompt Collection of Children

We love having the children in school, however...! Please ensure that your child(ren) is/are collected promptly at 3.15pm. Late collection can often lead to anxiety for the child. Also, staff often have meetings to attend after the school day. Diolch!

Warm Regards,



Mr G. Phillips
Headteacher



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INSET Days - 26th February 2018 & 29th March 2018



Arriving at School

A polite reminder...
Governors have asked that we remind parents, guardians & pupils that the school yards are not supervised by staff until 8.40am.

Pupils who arrive at school before 8.40am should be supervised.

Thank you in advance for your cooperation in this matter.



Attendance

Our school attendance has risen of late, but is just below our target at **94.7%**. In order to provide your child with the best possible education, please ensure you aim for at least **95%** attendance. We work closely with out EWO (Education Welfare Officer) to support all pupils whose attendance drops below 90%. If your child is absent due to illness etc, please inform the school as soon as possible.

Healthy Lunch Boxes

Please provide your children with healthy food at lunch time. It really does help them perform better in school, plus develop healthy habits for life!

Dinner Money

Dinner money must be paid for the week on Monday - £2.30 per day or £11.50 per week. Any credit will be returned the following week. **If dinner money is unpaid, then a healthy packed lunch must be provided.**

Dates for the Diary...

31/01/18	-	Rev Liz Assembly
31/01/18	-	NO JUDO
06/02/18	-	Safer Internet Day
09/02/18	-	PC Norris visits school
12/02/18	-	Air Ambulance visits school
14/02/18	-	Rags 2 Riches clothes collection
14/02/18	-	Parents/Carers Open Afternoon, 1.30pm - 3.15pm
15/02/18	-	Year 6 Transition Project (in school)
16/02/18	-	Jeremy Miles AM visits school
16/02/18	-	Dino4Hire visit school - letter to follow
19-23/02	-	HALF TERM
26/02/18	-	INSET DAY (School closed to pupils)



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