

# YSGOL GYNRADD BLAENGWRACH PRIMARY SCHOOL



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Dear Parent / Carer

## Mrs Thomas - Year 5 / Year 6 - week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> March 2021

In light of the school closures as a result of the Coronavirus Pandemic, we have put together a list of tasks for Week commencing 1<sup>st</sup> March. The work this week has an emphasis on things to do with Wales. I know it is difficult for some of you to print out sheets to work on so wherever possible I have tried to recreate Word documents so that you are able to work on them and share them with me. Alternatively, for work that is not in Word, you could take a photo and either upload it or email it to me. Please set your work out as you would in class, write a title or Learning Objective and please underline them.

The tasks will be outlined in J2easy and Microsoft Teams.

I have one request the majority of pupils email me/ share their work. Some children save their work in J2easy and some hand their work in through Teams. May I request that if you keep your work in either of these areas please could you send me an email to let me know it's there as you complete them, rather than letting me know when they are all completed- thank you.

**Maths:** There are 3 different maths activities for each year group.

### Year 6:

- Mountain Weather – these are written word problems on Snowdon.
- Making Welshcakes – for this activity, you are scaling ingredients up or down depending on the amount that you are making.
- Rugby 6 Nations Code Breaker – you will need to work out multiplication and division questions to solve the codes.

### Year 5:

- Things to do in Llandudno – these are written word problems involving money.
- Making Welshcakes – for this activity, you are scaling ingredients up or down depending on the amount you are making.
- Rugby 6 Nations Code Breaker – you will need to work out multiplication and division questions to solve the codes.

Please share your work with me once completed.

## English:

Please continue to read daily, using either school or home books.

- Reading Comprehension Task on Saint David. There is a separate task for Year 5 and 6.
- Oracy task / presentation on a famous welsh person of your choice. There is an outline for the task, an example of a presentation and a speaking frame if you wish to use it.
- Create a PowerPoint on the 4 castles of Wales that represent our 4 House Teams – Caerdydd, Caernarfon, Caerffili and Penfro. Include aspects of their history, location etc. Also include images.
- Y Wyddor – the welsh alphabet. For each letter of the alphabet, you need to think of something to do with Wales. There are examples on the sheet.
- Welsh Place Names – To find out about Welsh Place Names and their origin. The task is outlined with ideas.

**Topic :** Music – There is a PowerPoint on ‘Music in Wales’ and a listening activity and task where you listen to men of Harlech played by the ‘Cory Band’.

Art / DT – that can be brought back to school when you return. Create an artefact / model/ painting of something to do with Wales, e.g. flag, dragon, castle leek, love spoon, miner, welsh lady, daffodil etc

**P.E:** Joe Wicks is again streaming daily live workouts at 9am on his You Tube Channel – ‘The Body Coach TV’. Have a go at the daily sessions on Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Can you challenge yourself to take part in three sessions a week for the duration of ‘Lockdown?’

**Once completed, please share your work with me by 5<sup>th</sup> March**  
(not the art or Oracy task).

BBC Bitesize has also outlined work for different subject areas for each Year group.

The Oak National Academy have uploaded lots of resources and lessons for all age groups. If you are looking for more to do, log on to <https://www.thenational.academy> and go to online classroom, subject, Key Stage 2, Year 6 or Year 5 and choose between English, Maths or the Foundation subjects. There are lots of interesting lessons on History, Science and language learning.

These tasks will also be outlined in the shared area of J2easy.

I’ve also created a Class in Teams, where you should also be able to access them.

As usual please email with any queries that you may have.

Stay safe all,

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**Other useful links to support learning:**

<https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/adnoddau-cymraeg-welsh-resources/parents-rhieni-wales-cymru/english-medium-parents-rhieni-wales-cymru> (you can create a FREE account)

**BBC Bitesize:**

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/primary>

**Primary Resources:**

<http://www.primaryresources.co.uk/>

**Woodlands Primary School:**

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/>

**Hwb:**

<https://hwb.gov.wales/>

**TT Rockstars (times tables practice)**

<https://trockstars.com/home>

**Jolly Phonics:**

<https://www.jollylearning.co.uk/school-closure-support-for-parents/>