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# Ysgol Bryn Gwalia

## Cylchlythyr - Newsletter



Dear Families,

Another busy and constructive week has flown by!

Thanks to everyone for helping to encourage the pupils to wear school jumpers to school. Please can all children wear a plain black jumper or one with a school logo. Thank you for your support on this. We have jumpers here that we can offer if needed.

Extra diary dates! We will be hosting a Valentine's disco on Thursday the 13th February. For the infants it will be 3.30-4.30 and for juniors 5-6.

Also, we will be having a St David's Day concert on the 4th March from 2pm. World book day is on the 6th March and this year the children wear their pj's and bring their favourite bedtime story! Have a lovely weekend.

Thank you,  
**Mrs L Dalton**

### TERM DATES

#### SPRING TERM:

6 JANUARY 2025 - 11 APRIL 2025

#### HALF TERM:

24 FEBRUARY 2025 - 28 FEBRUARY 2025

#### SUMMER TERM:

28 APRIL 2025 - 21 JULY 2025

#### HALF TERM:

26 MAY 2025 - 30 MAY 2025

#### TRAINING DATES 2025

6/1/25

28/4/25

21/7/25

TRAINING DATES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AT ANY TIME

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### IMPORTANT DATES

JANUARY 2025

FRI  
**17**

OUTSIDE INSIDE PARENT & CHILD  
WORKSHOP 9:15-11:15AM



WED  
**22**

MRS DALTON MEETING WITH FLINTSHIRE  
COUNTY COUNCIL TO REPORT ON MONTHLY  
ATTENDANCE OF ALL CHILDREN



FRI  
**24**

OUTSIDE INSIDE PARENT & CHILD  
WORKSHOP 9:15-11:15AM



FRI  
**24**

SANTES DWYNWEN  
CELEBRATION DAY - PATRON  
SAINT OF LOVE IN WALES



MON  
**25**

DON'T TOUCH TELL WORKSHOP



WED  
**29**

CIRCUS AND MAGIC SKILLS  
AFTERNOON



FRI  
**31**

BOOK FAYRE STARTS



FRI  
**31**

OUTSIDE INSIDE PARENT & CHILD  
WORKSHOP 9:15-11:15AM





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### IMPORTANT DATES

FEBRUARY 2025

TUE  
**4**

YEAR 5 TRANSITION DAY MOLD  
ALUN

WED  
**5**

MISS ALUN'S CLASS FIRST  
EXPERIENCES CONCERT - WREXHAM

FRI  
**5**

LAST DAY OF BOOK FAYRE

FRI  
**7**

OUTSIDE INSIDE PARENT & CHILD  
WORKSHOP 9:15-11:15AM

TUE  
**11**

SAFER INTERNET DAY

FRI  
**14**

OUTSIDE INSIDE PARENT & CHILD  
WORKSHOP 9:15-11:15AM

FRI  
**21**

LAST DAY





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### School Attendance

Reception	91.8%
Years 1 & 2	89%
Year 2/3	90.7%
Year 4	94%
Year 5	91.2%
Year 6	91.6%

**WEEKLY WINNERS**



**RECEPTION & YEAR 4**

**OVERALL: 91.2%**

## ARRIVING LATE & ABSENCES

Please could I ask that any parents dropping off a child late at school to come into reception and sign their child in, as the teachers would have completed the registers by that time. Any late pupils also require a reason for lateness from the parent, otherwise it would be classed as unauthorised. Things seem to be improving - only 5 in late today and breakfast club was full to the brim!

Attendance is so important in so many ways for the children and Flintshire are concerned with the number of absences that occur in schools. I meet with the Education Welfare Officer every 4 weeks and we discuss attendance of all pupils. Following this we send reminder letters out to parents. After the third letter this will be passed to County and they will begin issuing fines.

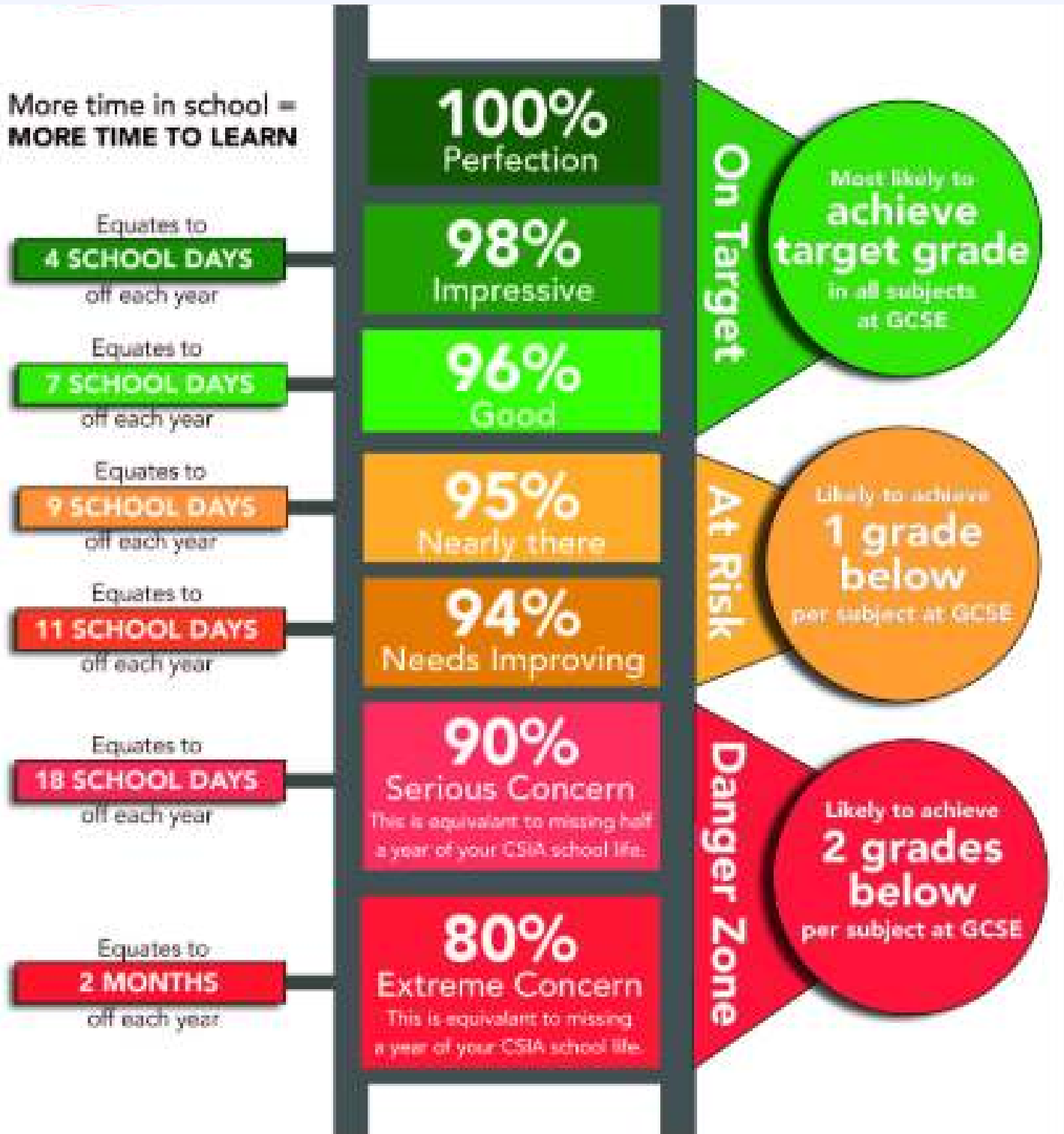


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### School Attendance

More time in school =  
**MORE TIME TO LEARN**



For every day your child is absent from school  
**over 6 hours** of instruction time is lost



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## ROLE MODEL AWARD



## KINDNESS AWARD



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# BOOKMARK COMPETITION WINNERS



**WINNER**





— Friday 24th January 2025 —



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### HIGHLIGHTS THIS WEEK

Fun at Mold Community Hospital yesterday!



Year 2 working together again, having fun with Ace of Sports on Monday. 🏆🏆



📚🌟 The books have arrived! Join us for the Scholastic Book Fair starting tomorrow from 3:15-3:35. A fantastic selection awaits—don't miss out on finding the perfect book! See you there! 📖🌟







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# NEW MENU!!!! NEXT WEEK IS:



# 2

October 2024

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
WEEK 1	<b>Jumbo Fish Finger</b> "OR" <b>Baked Veggie Nuggets</b> Served with creamed mashed potato & baked beans Fresh Baked Bread Fruit Sponge & Cream & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Welsh Beef Bolognaise</b> "OR" <b>Veggie Pasta Bolognaise</b> Served with pasta in tomato sauce, peas & garlic bread Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Roast Chicken Dinner of the Day</b> "OR" <b>Veggie Roast Dinner of the Day</b> Served with roast potato, carrots, broccoli & Yorkshire pudding Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Chicken Curry &amp; Naan Bread</b> "OR" <b>Vegetable Jalfrezi</b> Served with rice, peas & naan bread Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Beef Burger or Vegan Burger in a Bun</b> "OR" <b>Salmon Fillet</b> Served with chips & veg sticks Fresh Baked Bread Cocoa Cookie & Fresh Fruit JACKET POTATO
WEEK 2	<b>Baked Sausage</b> "OR" <b>Baked Vegan Sausage</b> Served with Mashed Potato, Peas and Gravy Fresh Baked Bread Caramel Sponge & Cream & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Tuscan Chicken &amp; Pasta</b> Served with pasta, sweetcorn & garlic bread "OR" <b>Tomato Pasta Bake with Garlic Bread</b> Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Roast Turkey Dinner of the Day</b> "OR" <b>Veggie Roast Dinner of the Day</b> Served with roast potatoes, carrots, green beans & Yorkshire pudding Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Baked Fish Fillet</b> Served with creamed mashed potato & baked beans "OR" <b>Chilli Non Carne</b> Vegetarian mince chilli served with rice & peas Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Chicken Nuggets</b> Served with chips & veg sticks "OR" <b>Vegetable Tortilla Stack</b> Served with chips & veg sticks Fresh Baked Bread Shortbread Biscuit & Fresh Fruit JACKET POTATO
WEEK 3	<b>Big Breakfast</b> Bacon, free range Omelette, Baked Beans and a wedge of Bread "OR" <b>Veggie Big Breakfast</b> Vegan sausage, free range omelette, baked beans and a wedge of Bread Fresh Baked Bread Cocoa Sponge & Cream & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Meatballs &amp; Pasta</b> "OR" <b>Veggie Meatballs &amp; Pasta</b> Vegetarian meatballs in a tomato sauce, peas & garlic bread Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Roast Chicken Dinner of the Day</b> "OR" <b>Veggie Roast Dinner of the Day</b> Served with mashed potatoes & garden peas, carrots & Yorkshire pudding Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit SANDWICHES	<b>Ham &amp; Cheese Calzone Pocket</b> "OR" <b>Cheese &amp; Tomato Calzone Pocket</b> Served with baked wedges & peas Fresh Baked Bread Llaeth Y Llan Yoghurt Bar & Fresh Fruit PASTA POTS	<b>Chicken Burger or Vegan Burger in a Bun</b> "OR" <b>Baked Cod Goujons</b> Served with chips & veg sticks Fresh Baked Bread Plain Flapjack & Fresh Fruit JACKET POTATO
<b>SALAD BAR</b> To help children reach their 5 a day every school now has a new help yourself salad bar. Children can fill up on a choice of at least 6 fresh salad items every day. Available with every meal choice.		<b>DESSERT BARS</b> Our aim is to get children to eat more fruit based desserts at lunchtime. Each school now has a new help yourself dessert bar where children can choose Llaeth Y Llan yogurts and top with a wide choice of fresh seasonal fruits.		<b>APPROVED</b> This menu has been nutritionally analysed in line with Welsh Government Guidance to meet pupils needs for proteins, carbohydrates, fat, sugar and salt.	<b>ALLERGENS &amp; INTOLERANCES</b> Many of our dishes are available to accommodate special dietary requirements - please contact our Cook to discuss these options
<b>KEY:</b> Suitable for Vegetarians          Vegan Option Available          Additional Daily Option	<b>PLEASE NOTE:</b> ***OUR MENUS COULD BE SUBJECT TO CHANGE DUE TO NATIONWIDE SUPPLY ISSUES***				

# WELSH PHRASE OF THE WEEK



Sut mae'r tywydd?

It's fine	Mae hi'n braf
It's hot	Mae hi'n boeth
It's sunny	Mae hi'n heulog
It's wet	Mae hi'n wlyb
It's dry	Mae hi'n sych
It's windy	Mae hi'n wyntog
It's hailstoning	Mae hi'n bwrw cesair
It's sleeting	Mae hi'n bwrw eirlaw



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**SCHOLASTIC TRAVELLING BOOKS**

**FREE BOOKS FOR YOUR SCHOOL WHEN YOU BUY AT THE BOOK FAIR!**

**COME TO THE BOOK FAIR**

**A POP-UP BOOK-STORE WITH HUNDREDS OF BOOKS FROM JUST £2.99**

**NEW**

**My Bum is SO CHEEKY!**

ONLY **£2.99**

Dawn McMillan  
Illustrated by Ross Kinnaird

**£6.99 £2.99**

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**GEORGE**

and his

**MINI DRAGON**

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From CBeebies presenter George Webster

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HANNAH GOLD

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Water Showdown!

Hardback only **£7.99**

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**NEW**

**BEASTIE BROS**

A LAUGH OUT LOUD new illustrated series

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**NEW**

**DOG MAN**

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Hardback only **£9.99**

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**£12.99 £9.99**

**31.1.2025 - 5.2.2025**  
**Friday - Wednesday**  
**3:15 - 3:35 pm**  
**at Ysgol Bryn Gwalia**

**Scan the QR code to pay online!**



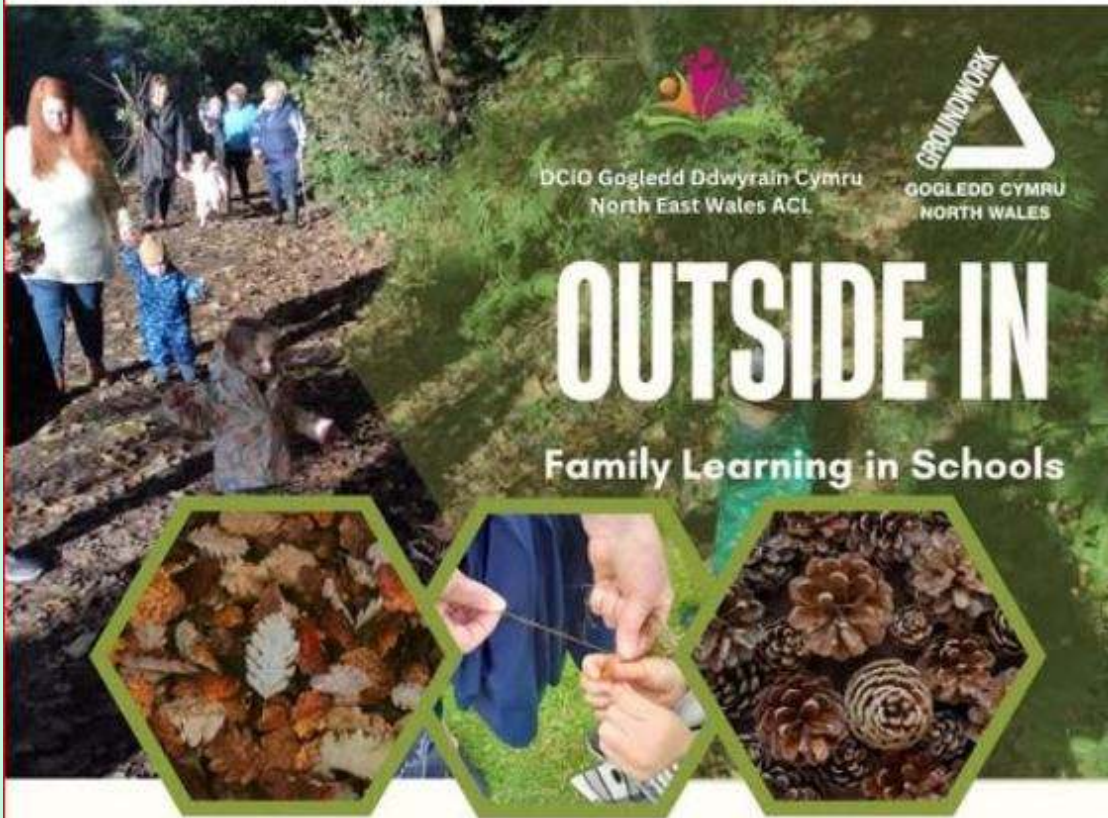
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Just a reminder that our parent group started Friday am! All welcome!



**OUTSIDE IN** promotes family engagement through indoor green classroom activities. A 6 week programme of indoor learning sessions for Key Stage 1 & 2, embedding literacy and numeracy into nature based activities, including;

Nature based craft

Discovering nature & habitats

Mindfulness activities based on children's books

### Sessions available for schools & play groups

Fully funded for over 19's living in Wrexham & Flintshire

To book or find out more

☎ 01978 757524 or ✉ [training@groundworknorthwales.org.uk](mailto:training@groundworknorthwales.org.uk)

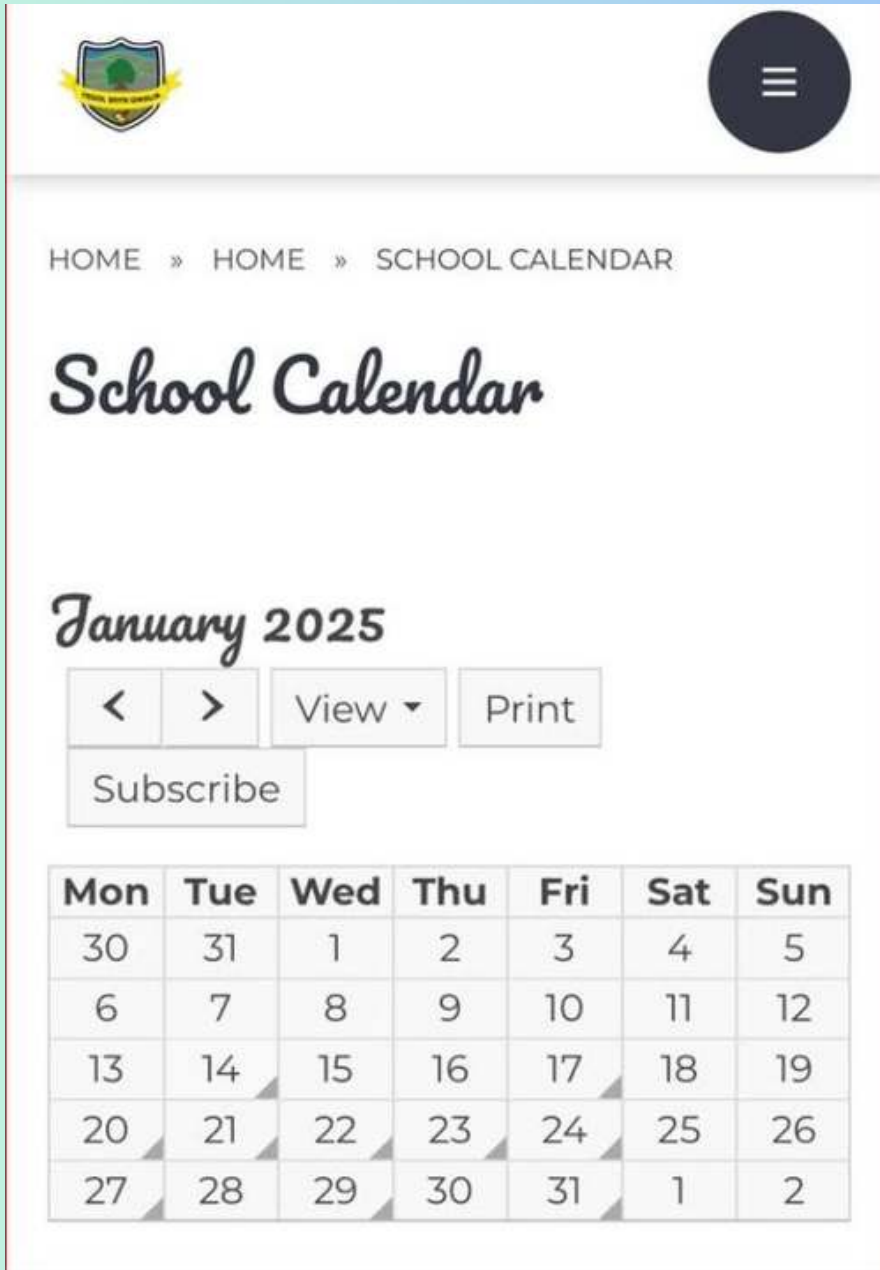


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### School Calendar

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13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31	1	2

### **Subscribe to our school calendar**

**Did you know you can sign up to our school calendar through our new school website?**

**All important dates will then be automatically added to your calendar on your phone!**

**Click on the grey button that says subscribe on our website**



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### NEW BALLROOM & LATIN CLASSES IN BUCKLEY

Learn all the styles you see on  
Strictly!



Tiny Tots (Ages 4-6)  
5pm - 5.45pm

Children (Ages 7-16)  
5.45pm - 6.30pm

Adults  
8.30pm - 9.30pm

Every Tuesday  
The Academy Buckley (CH7 2JA)

**REGISTER NOW**



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**Ysgol Bryn Gwalia, Mold**





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