

Llangan Weekly News - Friday 25th September

Attendance Matters

I would like to remind families of the importance of good attendance and the positive difference that being in school regularly makes to every child. Good attendance supports children to build friendships, enjoy their learning, make progress and achieve their very best.

Our whole-school attendance target for this year is 95.5%, and we ask all parents and carers to support us in aiming for the highest possible attendance for their child. We recognise that there will be genuine reasons why children may need to be absent from school, particularly due to illness.

We will keep you informed about your child's attendance throughout the year and will work closely with families where additional support may be helpful. By working together, we can ensure that every child has the best possible opportunity to learn, thrive and succeed.

365 days in a calendar year

190 days in school

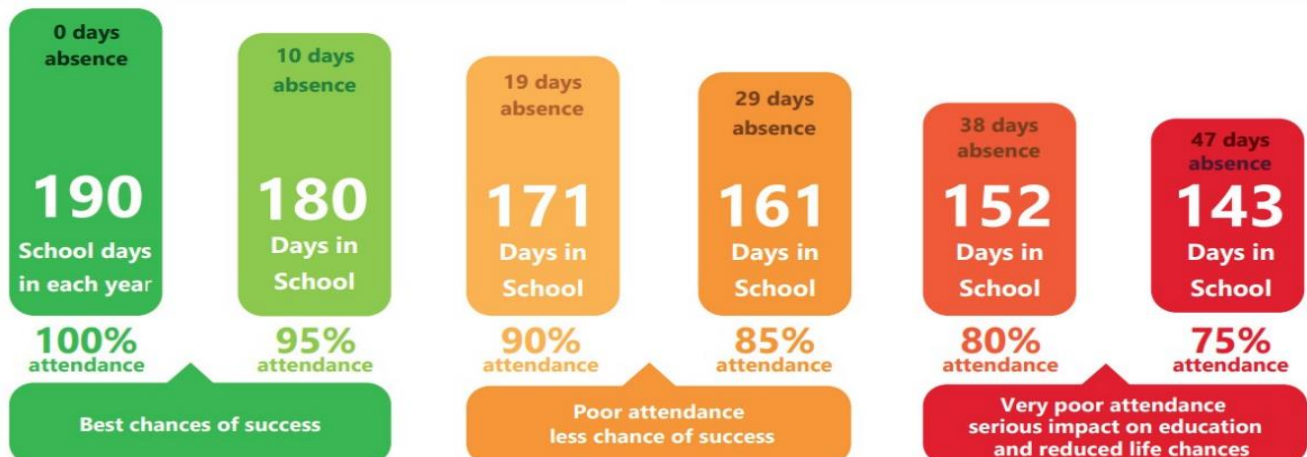
You can use this time for ...

- ⇒ Learning new stuff
- ⇒ Extracurricular clubs and sports
- ⇒ Trips and visits
- ⇒ Socialising with your friends

175 days not in school

You can use this time for ...

- ⇒ Appointments
- ⇒ Holidays
- ⇒ Days out
- ⇒ Socialising with your friends and family





Panto payments due

A reminder that we have our exciting whole-school trip to the pantomime coming up in December! If you haven't already done so, please could payment be made as soon as possible via ParentPay so that we can finalise arrangements. If your child will not be attending, please let the school office know as soon as possible so that we can release their ticket.



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Harvest Festival Assembly

Join us as we come together to celebrate thankfulness, our community and the season of harvest.

Friday 9th October
2:00 pm
School Hall

£3 per person

Followed by coffee and cakes from the PTA to raise money for **MACMILLAN CANCER SUPPORT**

Give Thanks
Be Kind
Support Our Community

Everyone is very welcome!



ALL SCHOOL DATES ONE PLACE!

Check our website calendar:
llanganschool.org.uk

Events
Trips
Assemblies
Sports
and more!

Respect ♥ Resilience ♥ Thoughtfulness ♥ Belong ♥ Learn ♥ Succeed ♥ Together

Climb high, climb higher

Our School
Our Community
A Brighter Future

Dates for your diary

- 29th September** – Flu vaccinations
- 5th October** – Individual pupil photos
- 9th October** – Harvest Festival (14:00 – 15:30)
Followed by coffee and cakes for MacMillan
- 12th October** – Year 6 visit to Sony, Pencoed (Coding)
- 15th October** – Parent/Teacher consultations
- 20th October** – Parent/Teacher consultations
- 23rd October** – Little Llangan Learners (9:30 – 10:30)
- 11th November** – Remembrance Assembly led by Year 6. (10:45 am)
- 19th – 20th November** – Year 4 residential – Urdd Cardiff
- 26th November** – Open Afternoon for prospective parents
- 29th November** – Reindeer parade, Cowbridge
- 9th December** – Infant Nativity (10am and 2pm)
- 16th December** – Junior Carol Concert (2pm and 5pm)
- 17th December** – Music and Mince pies (9:30am)

Brawddeg yr Wythnos

Ble wyt ti'n mynd?

Where are you going?





Our school is raising money by collecting reusable clothes.

Please help us by donating your unwanted reusable clothes and accessories.
Donated items become affordable clothing and accessories.

**WE ACCEPT CLEAN,
GOOD QUALITY, DRY,
REUSABLE CLOTHING**

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| ☒ Adults, Childrens & Babies Clothing | ☒ Jewellery and Accessories |
| ☒ Paired Shoes and Footwear | ☒ Belts and Handbags |
- A full list of reusable items is listed on our website
www.rags2riches4schools.co.uk

WE DO NOT ACCEPT

**POOR QUALITY ITEMS SUCH AS
DIRTY, WET, RIPPED OR SOILED
CLOTHES.
PILLOWS, DUVETS, CURTAINS,
BOOKS CDs OR ANY UNIFORM**

Please use the clothing bag provided.
You can also use any additional bag if required.

Collection Date:

Thursday 1st October

Please remember - NO UNIFORM



We are collecting unwanted clothes for our Rags 2 Riches collection on Thursday 1st October. It's a great opportunity to have a clear-out, recycle unwanted clothing and help raise funds for our school at the same time! Please bring your bags of suitable clothing into school before Thursday 1st October. Thank you for your support!



PUMPKIN CARVING AFTERNOON

THE PTA ARE HOSTING A PUMPKIN CARVING AFTERNOON
WITH THE CHILDREN - MONDAY 19TH OCTOBER! (NURSERY
CHILDREN WILL BE CREATING THEIRS IN CLASS)

THE FINISHED CREATIONS WILL BE LIT UP FOR ALL TO SEE.

We are looking forward to a pumpkin carving afternoon on Monday 19th October, kindly organised by our fantastic PTA! There will be no charge for the afternoon – just bring along your creativity and get ready for some spooky, seasonal fun. The finished pumpkins will then be used to light the path to our Halloween Disco on Thursday 22nd October, creating a wonderfully spooky welcome for everyone! 🎃 👻 More details about the disco will follow soon.



Don't forget
parents'
evening!

Parents' Evening booking information

We're looking forward to welcoming you to our autumn term Parent-Teacher Consultations, which will take place on Thursday 15th October and Tuesday 20th October.

The meetings are a valuable opportunity to talk with your child's class teacher about how they've settled into the new school year, celebrate their progress and achievements, and discuss any areas where we can work together to support them.

Booking will go live on Monday 28th September. Appointments can be booked via the school website or the school news app, where you'll be able to choose a convenient appointment time with your child's class teacher.



To help ensure a calm, safe and settled start to the school day, we kindly ask parents and carers to say goodbye at the school gate and allow children to make their way into their classrooms independently.



FOODBANK COLLECTION

Small donations make a big difference!

Climb high,
climb higher

Supporting our
community

Our target is
288kg
this October!



Please donate
what you can.

No fresh produce
and please make sure
everything is in date
or it can't be used.



Support
local families



Make a
difference



Give what
you can



Together we
can reach our target!



Find out more about the incredible work of the Trussell Trust:



www.trussell.org.uk

Kindness
Matters

A huge thank you to everyone who has already donated to our food bank collection in support of the Trussell Trust. As a school community, we have set ourselves an ambitious target of collecting 288.9kg of food, and every single donation takes us a little closer. Your generosity could make a real difference to local individuals and families who are facing difficult times, helping to ensure they have access to essential food and support when they need it most. Please send any donations into school with your children – every tin, packet or item really does count! We are incredibly grateful for the kindness and community spirit shown by our Llangan families. Together, even the smallest donations can make a big difference!

Class blogs

Follow the links to find out what the children have been up to this week in school.

[Dosbarth Gwenynen \(Nursery\)](#)

[Dosbarth Pili-Pala \(Reception & Year 1\)](#)

[Dosbarth Tylluan Eira \(Y2&3\)](#)

[Dosbarth Draenog \(Year 4\)](#)

[Dosbarth Mochyn Ddaer \(Year 5\)](#)

[Dosbarth Llwynog \(Year 6\)](#)



Cowbridge School
Ysgol Y Bont Faen

Open Evening

Prospective Year 7 students

**Thursday 1st
October
4pm - 6pm**

Presentation from the Headteacher
at 4.15pm and 5.15pm



*Education, inspiration and
opportunities for life.*

The School Nursing Immunisation Team will visit your child's school soon. It's very important to protect your child from flu, to make sure they stay as healthy as possible.

Click on the link or scan the QR code below to fill in and return the online consent form as soon as possible and at least 5 days before the flu school session.

Further information and school dates can be found on the link too.

[Flu vaccine in schools: information for parents - Cardiff and Vale University Health Board](#)



NHS recommends that your child has a flu vaccination every year.