



Brynnau Primary School

Dosbarth Efydd, Arian and Aur

Class Newsletter

Summer Term 2026

Topic - The title of our topic this term is 'If I had a Time Machine.....'

Having discussed the topic with all pupils, they have created a focus around how events through history have impacted the world and the way it is today and how individuals through time have changed the way we live.

Below are some of the different avenues our topic title will take us down, with pupil influence

It's vital that pupils take ownership of their own learning.

- Infer sources/evidence – Reliability with AI
- Forces including air resistance.
- Opinions – the influence and impact.
- Employment, equality and immigration – Human rights, women's rights and how it has affected people in their jobs.
- Conflict – looking at how it was recorded and resolved.
- Looking at how the health care has changed and developed over time and how the impact of major illnesses has affected the nation.
- Inventions – Focusing on the inventions of the plane (linked with air resistance), technology invention and development.

Language, Literacy and Communication

This term we will focus on:

- Continue to recognise and use nouns, adjectives, verbs, and adverbs within sentences.
- Write sentences of varying lengths and description and for different purposes.
- Exploring exciting ways of starting sentences and questions.
- Perfect our correct formation of letters and continue to learn cursive handwriting.
- Newspaper reports based on historical events
- Debates – Children are going to write debates about women's rights
- Auto biography
- Book and film reviews linked to topic.
- Learn sentence patterns for the topics of letter writing and TV programmes in Welsh.
- Continue to develop and use Spanish greetings, emotions and personal information.
- Learn Spanish foods, hobbies, family members and emotions.

Mathematics and Numeracy

- This term we will focus on:
 - Develop quick recall of our times tables.
 - Multiplying and dividing decimals by 10, 100 and 1000
 - Long multiplication.
 - To understand and use expression formula.
 - Coding and construction.
 - Measuring and drawing angles.
 - Recognising and understanding shapes
 - Recognising lines of symmetry.
 - Problem solving linked to our topic.
 - Continue to tell the time on the analogue clock and convert to digital and 24 hour time.

Other information -

PE -

P.E. (swimming) will take place on a Thursday. Please could children wear school uniform, bring swimming kit and remember goggles. Any additional P.E sessions will be communicated via MCAS app with kit details.

Belongings -

All belongings need to be labelled with children's names. If an item is misplaced it can easily be returned if labelled. This includes drink containers (which need to be brought to school every day), clothing and sandwich boxes. Children are provided with pens, pencils, rulers etc. so there is no need to bring in a pencil case. Due to limited space children are asked not to bring large bags or rucksacks to school, just a book bag. If you do not have one, these can be purchased from the school office.

Fruit Snack and Packed Lunches –

Please provide your child with a healthy fruit snack every day. This can be eaten during first break. Nuts are not allowed as we are a nut free school due to allergies.

Homework-

Spelling words are now topic related and will be placed on Seesaw in preparation for a test every Friday. Pupils will need to spell these words correctly as well as understand them, use them in sentences and spell them consistently in their daily work. Please help your child to learn their times tables and 'Learn It' facts as this will help them in many areas of their Maths work. This term the children will be given Big Maths homework sheets weekly and need to be returned to school the following week. These sheets are specific to your child's Maths targets and will help them achieve their target and move their learning on. Children will bring their reading books home every day in their book bags and will be expected to bring them in to school every day. Try to read regularly with your child, asking questions about what they have read and encourage them to read accurately, with good expression. Please sign the Reading Record with the page read up to and a comment if you so wish. Additional homework may be provided to enhance the learning within our termly topic.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if there is anything further you wish to discuss.

Kind regards,

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