



Friday 5th November 2021 www.ysgolywaun.co.uk

## COVID

Changes to self- isolation for household contacts (fully vaccinated and children aged five to 17)

Key messages:

If someone in your household (please also take this into account if you are part of an extended household where your child / children spends part of the week with you and part of the week with another parent) has symptoms of coronavirus or has tested positive:

If you are fully vaccinated or under 18 (with the exception of children aged 0 – 4) - you must self-isolate and take a PCR test. If your test is negative you can stop isolating.

### If you are not fully vaccinated and 18 or older -

you must self isolate for 10 days. You should get a PCR test on day 2 and day 8 even if these are negative you must continue to isolate for the full 10 days.

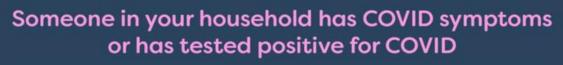
## If you are a child under 5

If you are under 5 you do not have to isolate or take a test if you have been a contact of a positive case – household or other.

If a child has tested positive, has come out of isolation <u>and beyond 14 days</u> they become a household contact, they should then be advised to take a LFD test.

**Please note that if your child has had covid in the past 90 days**, but is within 14 days, no test PCR or LFD is required as long as they are not displaying any new symptoms themselves. If it is over 14 days since they first developed covid symptoms, they should take a LFD test and not return to school until they have had a negative result. PCR tests should be taken if it is more than 90 days since they had their covid infection or a person has developed new core symptoms (cough, fever, loss of taste and/or smell).

The guidance for under 5s has not changed – they are advised not to test and do not need to isolate whether household contact or not unless they develop symptoms themselves and then they should isolate for 10 days.





# CHILDREN IN NEED

Ysgol Y Waun will once again be supporting the BBC Children in Need Appeal on Friday, 19<sup>th</sup> November, when children can come to school dressed in their pyjamas - £1 donation towards the appeal. Please ensure that they also bring suitable shoes and coats for outdoor play.

We look forward to you support.

## PAID BREAKFAST CLUB SESSIONS

If your child uses Breakfast Club please book their sessions via their Parentpay account using the Breakfast tab for paid sessions and the Morning Tab for arrivals after 8.20 a.m. with effect from next Monday, 8<sup>th</sup> November. Diolch yn fawr.

### **Supporting Documents / Posters**

Please see the additional documents dated 5<sup>th</sup> November

• Help with Maths and Reading Poster

# HEADTEACHER AWARDS FRIDAY 5<sup>th</sup> November 2021

	CLASS	NAME	REASON
	ELM	Isla Lippett- Doyle	For having an inquisitive mind and an enthusiasm for learning.
	MAPLE	Elliot Bolt	For working hard to create a 3 object pattern. Bendigedig Elliot. Super concentration.
÷	WILLOW	Jasper Thomas	For his enthusiasm during focus tasks. A great start, keep it up.
<b>\$</b>	JUNIPER	Finley Warburton	For making sensible choices in class and for phenomenal Phonics work this week!
<b>\$</b>	HAZEL	Seryn Winters	For her amazing effort in Phonics. Keep it up!
<b>\$</b>	SYCAMORE	George McCunnell	For being so brave during our bush tucker trials and being a fountain of knowledge!
÷	PINE	Amelia Edwards	For excellent progress is Phonics. Bendegedig!
<b>\$</b>	CHERRY	Amelia Brook	For amazing work during Maths this week. Keep it up! Bendigedig
<b>\$</b>	EBONY	Jadzia Redman	For always having a positive attitude and for her fantastic column subtraction in Maths. Da iawn.
	CEDAR	Ethan Chesterman	For a fantastic power point on the Golden Gate Bridge. Da iawn
	SILVER BIRCH	Eva Williams	For her great fact file writing in Language. Da iawn
	BEECH	Riley Smith	For his excellent fact finding skills and enthusiasm whilst researching about the black mamba.

### DATES FOR YOUR DIARIES FOR THIS SCHOOL YEAR

#### AUTUMN TERM

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2021 – School Closes for Christmas Holiday Wednesday 22nd December 2021 – Additional Bank Holiday for 'Queens Platinum Jubilee'

#### SPRING TERM

Thursday 6th January 2022 – Training Day for Teachers Friday 7th January 2022 – Training Day for Teachers Monday 10th January 2022 – School Opens for Spring 1st Half Term Friday 18th February 2022 – School Closes for Spring Half Term Holiday Monday 28th February 2022 – School Opens for Spring 2nd Half Term Friday 8th April 2022 – School Closes for Easter Holiday

### SUMMER TERM

Monday 25th April 2022 – Training Day for Teachers Tuesday 26th April 2022 – School Opens for Summer 2nd Half Term Monday 2nd May 2022 – School Closed for May Bank Holiday Friday 27th May 2022 – School Closes for Summer Half Term Holiday Monday 6 th June 2022 – School Opens for Summer 2nd Half Term Tuesday 19th July – School Closes for Summer Holidays