

Language, Literacy and Communication

Throughout our literacy, learners will have the opportunity to write a 5-part portal story and an explanation text. We will explore a variety of poetry techniques. We will also be using Talk4Writing and Voice 21 to further enhance our literacy skills.

Our class book this term will be 'The Extraordinary Colours of Auden Dare'.

This term, we will be using the Welsh continuum in our Welsh lessons. Our focus this term will be on describing past events and expressing an opinion. In addition to our lessons, the children will also be involved in daily oracy and reading sessions throughout the week to support their Welsh language development.

This term, we will continue to introduce Spanish to our learners in line with Curriculum for Wales.

Health and Wellbeing

This term, Year 6 will have PE on a Wednesday. Please could the pupils wear their school PE kit to school on Wednesday. Our PE sessions this half-term will be delivered by Swansea City.

Welcome back Dosbarth Abereiddy!

Happy New Year! Thank you all for the thoughtful cards and gifts we received. I hope you have had a lovely break and that you are now ready to start the new term.

This letter outlines the curriculum focus for each subject this term. We hope you find this information useful in supporting your child at home with the work they are engaged in at school.

Curriculum Focus for this term

The Ever-Changing World

Our enquiry questions for this term have been generated by pupil voice.

1. What did technology look like in the past?
2. How has technology changed our lives?
3. Can technology ever be bad?

Religious Education

The pupils will be taught Come and See themes based on the Church, Sacrament and Christian living. The children will explore the following topics and big questions:

Sources - Are books enriching?

Unity - Why are we happiest when we are united when we are united?

Death & New Life - Can any good come out of loss and death?

Our virtues this term will be **Eloquent and Truthful and Learned and Wise.**

Maths and Numeracy

Throughout the term we will continue to develop the children's mental arithmetic skills through quick fire maths and knowledge of the four operations.

This term we will be focusing on:

- Division
- Fraction, decimal and percentage equivalences
- Percentage quantities
- Ratio
- Function Machines and Algebra
- Data Handling
- Converting measurements
- Mean, median, mode and range
- Angles
- Area
- Probability

Topic

We will be exploring our topic across all areas of learning; expressive arts, science and technology, humanities, and health and wellbeing. The teaching throughout the term will support the development of literacy, numeracy and digital skills.

Throughout this topic, the children will be at the centre of their learning in planning what they would like to find out. They have expressed an interest in learning about how technology has changed over the years, the impact technology has had to our society and the importance of staying safe online.