

Croeso i Blwyddyn 4



Article 28 – All children have a right to an education

Staff

Year 4 JG

- Teacher – Mrs Griffiths
- TA – Miss Merchant (Mon, Tues, Wed)
- Mrs Holland (Thurs, Fri)

Year 4 NT

- Teacher – Mr Tucker
- TA – Miss Mason





In Sketty Primary, we want our children to be:

- Ambitious, capable learners
- Healthy, confident individuals
- Enterprising, creative contributors
- ★ • Ethical, informed citizens



The children are taught through 6 areas of learning, these are :

- Language, literacy and communication
- Mathematics and numeracy
- Health and well being
- Expressive arts
- Science and technology
- Humanities



April 5th – 7th 2027



Reading



In year 4 we read with the children in a variety of ways.

- Children will read individually with the teachers.
- Children should have their reading book and reading journal in their bag **at all times**.
- Please use the reading record to let us know how they are getting on at home with their reading.
- Shared reading: As a whole class we will read a text/book on the screen/ big book and pick out different aspects of literacy e.g. Time phrases.
- Group reading: reading in ability groups with a shared text.
- Intervention activities - small group with a teacher or TA.



Language, Literacy and Communication

Literacy writing opportunities across
The curriculum e.g.

- Recount writing – Diary Writing, newspaper reports
- Instruction writing – 'How to...' Guides
- Discussion writing - 'Plastic-good or bad?'
- Poetry – Anti bullying



Cymraeg

First and third person
sentence patterns –

Dyma fi! Pwy yw Pwy?

The weather –

past, present and future tense

Food -Likes and dislikes, my
favourite

Reading – group and class
shared reading

Conversations –
siarad, siarad, siarad!



Numeracy

Number

Place value

Addition and subtraction

Multiplication and division

Fractions



It's like Phonics for Maths



Number facts

Number bonds

Times tables

$$3 + 4 = 7$$

$$63 + 4 = 67$$

Hot and Cold tasks



Topics

EPIC Planning to lead the focus

- Autumn Term: Invaders
- Spring Term: Space
- Summer Term: Inside out

Each term - a range of trips, visits and experiences to enhance our learning journey. Real life context and experience.
(Caerleon, local area, museums, events)

★ Cynefin – sense of belonging and place



Emotion coaching



- Emotion coaching is a whole school approach to help children to understand the different emotions they experience, why they occur and how to handle them-self regulate.
- Each classroom has a designated regulation station which they are free to access if they wish.
- Mental Health and Well being | Sketty Primary School



PE

- PE Kit: Black Shorts/leggings/joggers & white t-shirt for PE. Joggers and jumper for Outdoor PE. Please send your child into school already dressed in kit.
- Monday and Wednesday
- **Thriving Thursday**
- Outdoor learning, health and wellbeing and P.E.

No jewellery to be worn.



Communication

If at any point you need to speak to us, then please dojo us or speak to us at drop off / pick up.

If there is an emergency or last minute change of pick up it is better to talk to the office as we probably won't see notifications when we are in class.

Please ensure you regularly read the messages on class dojo as this is our key method for communication.

We also update the Year 4 Page on the School Website weekly- photos, messages, what we have done and plan to do, calendar.

Consent Forms

We have sent consent forms for you to complete online, if you haven't filled these in already can you please do so as soon as possible.

These are

- Pick up from School
- Use of photographs / videos etc



Homework

1. Reading aloud every night with an adult for 10 minutes.
2. Maths homework - please refer to the class OneNote page to see what we are covering each week which you can then reinforce at home.

Sumdog

3. Literacy/Reading

Sumdog

Spellings cold task and hot task



A Few Things to remember

- The children need to be dressed appropriately each day- weather dependent.
- Fruit/ Water bottles to be brought in a labelled container.
- Please label all items of clothing & footwear and lunch boxes.
- Please let us know if there is a change to the normal after school pick up. Send a message via Dojo, but let the office know if it's after 12:00pm We don't always get an opportunity to look at messages while the children are in the classroom.



Diolch yn fawr!

Thank you for coming!

Overview of the week

Monday	Outdoor PE kit Reading book
Tuesday	Reading book
Wednesday	Indoor PE kit Reading book
Thursday	Thriving Thursday Outdoor Learning kit Reading book Cold test spelling (no practise)
Friday	Reading book Hot test spelling (after practise)

