



Weekly Bulletin ~ Bwletin Wythnosol

Autumn Term ~ 11th December 2020

This Week's Prayer

Almighty God, we thank you for the joy you give us.
We ask that as we wait for all your promises to come true, and for Christ to come again,
that you would remain present with us.

Help us today and every day to worship you, to hear your word,
and to do your will by sharing your joy with each other.

We ask this in the name of the one who was born in Bethlehem.

Amen.

Staff Training Days

Friday 18th December 2020

Monday 4th January 2021

Monday 12th April 2021

Monday 19th July 2021

Tuesday 20th July 2021

School Moves Online

Following my letter emailed to parents/carers yesterday, all secondary schools in Wales are moving online next week. Work will be set via google classrooms, and pupils should be engaging with this during the week. Many thanks for your continued support at this very difficult time.

Mr Wilkinson

Road Safety, Parking, & Keeping Our Children Safe!

Indiscriminate and dangerous parking near school is putting the lives of parents and children at risk. We want to respectfully remind you that we use Traffic Cones in the road to prevent motorists from parking on the yellow zig-zag lines and hatched area near the Sontley Road entrance. Please help us to ensure that every child gets to and from school safely. Avoid drop-off and collection points in the immediate vicinity, as this obscures the road for children, the taxi services and minibus drivers who are collecting pupils who require special transport. Schools have special permission from the Welsh Assembly Government to place cones on the road and any motorist who moves a cone may be liable to prosecution. Parking a short distance away from the school for drop-off and collection removes traffic congestion, provides health benefits and encourages parents to interact with their children on a range of pedestrian safety issues. So, the benefits of doing this are that we can all work together to:

- Reduce the risk of a child or parent being killed or injured
- Reduce traffic congestion around the school
- Reduce noise and pollution
- Provide additional daily walking exercise
- Teach young children vital road safety skills

We know that everybody will want to support us in our endeavour to ensure everyone remains safe, and that we can avoid involving our local Police, and the need for them to issue fixed-penalty notices.

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