



Dosbarth Fonmon News at Ysgol y Ddraig

Week Ending:
Friday 13th March
2020

Reminders

- **Gate opening** - Our gate will open at 8:45am to enter school and the gate will close at 8:50am.
- **P.E Days** - P.E will be every Monday and Wednesday. Please ensure your child has a P.E kit in school on these days for indoor and outdoor clothes. PE kit should include a white t-shirt, black shorts/joggers/leggings and plimsoles or trainers.
- **Snack** - Children can buy fruit at a contribution of £1 for the week or can bring in their own fruit.
- **Reading Bags** - Please check the yellow reading record for your child's reading day.
- **Twitter** - Daily photographs and updates on class activities will be uploaded to @ysgolyddraig. Look out for #fonmon
- **Water Bottle** - Please provide children with an additional water bottle for use during class time. Please note squash or juice is not allowed in the classroom but can be drunk at lunchtime.

Dates for Diaries

Dosbarth Fonmon 'Show and See' will be held on Tuesday 31st March at 2pm. Parents and carers are invited to come and share activities in school.

This week...

We started the week with a Science investigation as part of STEM week, to find out how many 2p coins a boat made out of tin foil would hold. We made our own boats and then made predictions. We added the 2p to the boat until it sunk. We compared the results with our friends and then talked about what made the boat sink and which boat shape held the most coins and why. We have explored 3D shapes, talking about their properties and took part in a 3D shape matching hunt. In Welsh we have talked about our families and learnt to name the members of our family. We drew a family portrait and year 1 wrote sentences in Welsh. We enjoyed a fantastic trip to "Technquest" with the Foundation Phase. We watched a science show with investigations involving fire, explosions, changing materials and forces! We enjoyed all of the hands on practical science activities with our friends. We loved looking at photos of our experience on return to school and then wrote a recount of our trip, using time connectives to organise our writing in Year 1 and Reception sequenced pictures of the day. and talked about the experience. We had a fantastic time! Diolch to all our parent helpers!

Home Learning

A new Home Learning Grid has been sent home with suggestions of activities to help you to support your child during the Spring Term.

Please do not hesitate to speak to us if you have any concerns.

Many Thanks

Miss Grafton and Mrs Cairns