



Week Ending:  
Friday 8<sup>th</sup> June

Year 2 class news at  
Ysgol y Ddraig

### Reminders

•**PE Kits** - Please can you ensure your child has their full PE kit in school for the rest of the summer term. We are likely to complete many of our PE lessons in our outdoor areas and children will need to have trainers to participate fully.

•**HFW** - Continue to keep practising the High Frequency Word walls that your child has been sent home with to help develop their reading. If you need a new one please see your child's class teacher.

•**Hot weather** - All children are encouraged to bring in an extra water bottle to drink throughout the day and keep in the classroom. Please ensure your child has a sun hat and wears sun cream to school, as they will be learning/playing outside.

### This week...

In maths we have been learning how to find  $\frac{1}{2}$ s,  $\frac{1}{4}$ s and  $\frac{1}{3}$ s of whole numbers. We used a range of strategies such as: using our multiplication number facts, using our mental knowledge of doubles/halves and using cubes and sorting hoops to solve our answers.

During our literacy carousel we identified rhyming words in a range of mini beast poems. We thought about what a rhyme is and how we can recognise them. We started to create our own mini beast poems.

We continued to learn about mini beasts in our topic carousel and used a range of resources such as websites, non-fiction books and fact cards to create our own mini beast fact files. We explored our school outdoor area to learn about where different mini beasts live. We kept a tally chart and grouped the different mini beasts we found in the habitats, using a mind map.

We learnt how to classify mini beasts using a branched tree data base and had to answer yes/no questions to choose the correct mini beast.

### Sports Day

Our Foundation Phase Sports day will be held on **Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> June** on our school field. All children will be participating in a range of sports stations with their house teams. Your child is invited to wear their house colour top for our Sports Day event. All children will need to be in trainers to complete the stations.

Thank you for your support, Miss Cogbill and Mrs Birmingham.