

GARNTEG PRIMARY



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Newsletter - 21st July 2023

Cylchlythyr - 21ain Gorffennaf 2023

Value for this term is Courage



Gwerth y tymor hwn: Dewrder

Remaining INSET DAYS

Friday 21st July 2023

New Academic year 2023-24

Friday 1st September 2023

Monday 4th September 2023

Friday 22nd December 2023

School returns for the new academic year on Tuesday 5th September



Swimming Lessons - Autumn Term

From September there will be a one-off charge of £24 for swimming. This will be payable through Civica Pay. Year 6 will be starting their lessons in the Autumn Term and Year 5 will start their lessons in the Summer Term 2024.

Christian Workshop with Laura



**Christian based Singing
And Percussion
Workshop with Laura**


August 17th and 18th 2 hour workshops

Workshop 1 Percussion and song
Ages 4-7 years- £5 per child

Workshop 2 Youth Choir
Ages 8 to 15 years-£5 per child

Booking essential as limited spaces

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Please remember to apply for UPFSM - September 2023

Emails have now been sent to parents/carers giving you the correct link to register your child for Universal Primary Free School Meals in September 2023, please ensure you click on the links in the emails to ensure your child is provided with a Free School Meal and you are in receipt of any additional benefits which may be available to you.

There are two forms this year - please see below. The form also acts as the gateway for parents to access additional grants for clothing. Special diet information is also collected on these forms to ensure that we are aware of any dietary requirements and pupils must ensure they are provided with a safe and nutritious meal.

Reception and pupils new to the area for the September 2023 Reception pupils plus anyone new to the school to complete.

Reception & New to the area:

https://iweb.itouchvision.com/portal/itouchvision/r/customer/category_link?cuid=BFA177CA3BCD46AD88E0534F500A8C0BED0ADD2C&lang=EN&P_LANG=en

Pupils moving into year groups 4, 5 and 6 in September 2023.

Years 4, 5 & 6:

https://iweb.itouchvision.com/portal/itouchvision/r/customer/category_link?cuid=FDf363242619D121B744E0543185A401A8C00D05&lang=EN&P_LANG=en

From September 2023 all children in primary school in Torfaen will receive Universal Free School Meals.

If your child is going into Reception or new to the school please use this link



If your child is going into years 4,5 or 6 please use this link



If you haven't already registered please do so ASAP



Nursery Admissions September 2024

Parents should be aware that the closing date for nursery admissions for September 2024 is 21st July at 12.00 noon. If parents have not received an application form, one can be obtained by contacting the Education Service on school.admissions@torfaen.gov.uk

Cashless school

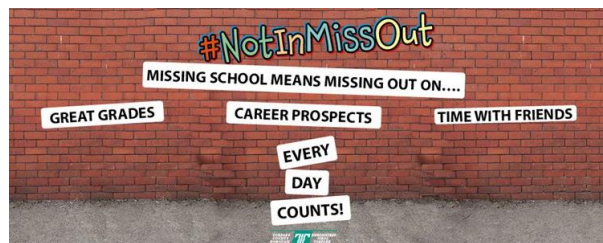
A reminder that we are a cashless school we are unable to take money for trips or lunch, please use the Civica pay system. If you require any help, contact school office for support.

Supporting our fundraising

We've registered with easy fundraising, which means over 7,000 brands will now donate to us for FREE every time you use easy UK to shop with them. These donations will help SO MUCH, so please sign up to support us - it's completely FREE and doesn't take long.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/friends-of-garnteg/?utm_campaign=raise-more&utm_source=social&utm_medium=twitter&utm_content=fdr23-t1

The banner features the Easyfundraising logo at the top left. Below it, the text reads "Our 2023 fundraising target is..." followed by a grey bar containing "£ 500". To the right of the bar is a sunburst graphic. Below this, it says "Turn your online shopping into everyday magic for Friends of Garnteg with easyfundraising". A smaller line of text states: "You shop, brands donate towards our fundraising target. It won't cost you any extra." Underneath, a section titled "How to sign up and help us hit our target" lists three steps: 1. Visit the link or scan the QR code (www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause), 2. Search for us, and 3. Your favourite brands donate whenever you spend with them. A QR code is provided. Below the steps are logos for various brands: Booking.com, ebay, M&S, GROUPON, Argos, Tui, currys, JOHN LEWIS, Apple, Viking, ASOS, BT, and JUST Eat. A final bar at the bottom encourages downloading the app from Google Play and the App Store, and mentions "Excellent 3,945 reviews on the Trustpilot".



Attendance Winners - 10th - 14th July 2023

Congratulations to Dosbarth 4 Mrs Lee who were foundation phase attendance winners for last week with 96.7% and Dosbarth 12 Miss Bones who were Key Stage 2 attendance winners with 95.6%

WELL DONE!

DA IAWN!



This week's attendance figures are

Year	% Overall	Class	Percentage	Year	% Overall	Class	Percentage
Nursery		0	81.4	3	93	6	88.4
Reception	85.4	1	79.3			7	97.7
		2	93.8	4	95.8	8	96.4
1	91.7	3	93.1			9	95.5
		2	90.8	4	91.7	5	95.4
5	90			11	94.2		
				6	94.3	12	90.7
						13	97.5

Seren Yr Wythnos 2023

Foundation Phase		Key Stage 2	
Class	Seren Yr Wythnos	Class	Seren Yr Wythnos
Nursery - Mrs Attewell	AM - everyone 😊 PM - everyone 😊	Dosbarth 7 - Mrs Rogers	All Dosbarth 7
Dosbarth 1 - Mr Tully	Whole Class	Dosbarth 8 - Miss Channing	All the class
Dosbarth 2 - Miss Brooks	Whole Class	Dosbarth 9 - Mr Phillips	All the class
Dosbarth 3 - Miss Brown	Whole class	Dosbarth 10 - Mrs Lewis	All of class 10
Dosbarth 4 - Mrs Lee	All Class 4	Dosbarth 11 - Mrs Messore	All of Class 11
Dosbarth 5 - Mr Key	All Class 5 😊	Dosbarth 12 - Miss Bones	All Dosbarth 12 😊
Dosbarth 6 - Miss Williams	All Dosbarth 6	Dosbarth 13 - Mrs Parker-Evans	All Dosbarth 13 😊

Nursery – Wow meithrin! What a lovely, fun-filled year we have had making lots of memories! We have loved watching you grow, and we are very proud of the progress you have all made! 😊 We hope you have an amazing summer break, and we wish you lots of luck and success next year! We will miss you! From the Nursery team.

Dosbarth 1 & 2 – Bendegedig!! You have been fantastic to teach, and we have had the pleasure of watching you all grow into wonderful confident individuals this year. We hope you have the best summer holidays and enjoy your time with your families.

Dosbarth 3 – Blwyddyn 1 you have been fantastic this year. It has been our pleasure to help you on your learning journey and see how far you have come. Have a lovely summer holiday and continue to sparkle at everything you do. Enjoy year 2 and continue to do amazing things whilst continuing to climb to sparkle at Garnteg!

Dosbarth 4 & 5 – Wow Year 2, what an amazing year! We are so proud of all of you for the progress you have made and the way that you have shined in your learning this year. We would like to wish you a wonderful summer break and we can't wait to see how you will continue to shine in Year 3! Don't forget your bug club logins will continue to be available for you over the summer and we hope you have an amazing break.

Dosbarth 6 & 7 – Year 3 what a fantastic year! You have amazed us with your fantastic work and super behaviour. You have made us smile and given us lots of memories especially your class performances. We wish you a super holiday with your friends and family. Remember to stay safe.

Dosbarth 8 & 9 – Well we cannot believe that it is the end of your time in Year 4. We have thoroughly enjoyed working with you all this year and we know you will all continue to sparkle in your new classes. There have been up and downs, lots of great highlights and memories but above all you have been a great team to work with. Have a wonderful summer break and come back in September, refreshed and ready to learn.

Dosbarth 10 & 11 – A huge well done to all of Year 5 for their hard work and perseverance this year. You have been a pleasure to teach and we know that you will continue to sparkle in Year 6! We hope you remember all the memories that we have made together. Have a lovely summer, have fun and stay safe! See you all in September ready for a brand new chapter!

Dosbarth 12 & 13 – Year 6, you have all been a pleasure to teach and can't believe your time in Garnteg has come to an end. As the school year draws to a close, all the staff would like to wish our Year 6 leavers all the best in their new schools - you will all be truly missed! We know that you will keep climbing to sparkle and make us all proud 😊 Have an amazing summer holiday and we wish you all good luck for your new journey in secondary school.

Class	Target by end of year	Current percentage to date
3	93.2%	92.4%
4	92%	90.3%
5	93%	91.4%

6	92%	90.6%
7	95%	93.2%
8	93%	90.6%
9	93%	91.2%
10	95%	93.4%
11	95%	93.2%
12	90%	88.7%
13	94%	91.6%



Kind regards

Mrs Roche & all the staff at Garnteg Primary School