



Rhosddu School Newsletter

October 2025

Harvest Coffee Afternoon

We would like to invite you all to join us for coffee, cake and music in the school hall 2:30-3:30pm on the 24th of October to celebrate Harvest. Rather than the usual donations of items for the foodbank we are supporting Baby Basics- a local charity who support families in need. All donations for Baby Basics and any of cakes or biscuits would be very gratefully received. We look forward to seeing you there!

Rhosddu School are collecting donations for Baby Basics

We are supporting our community by hosting a two-week donations drive. Please donate items off the list by **Monday, 15th October**. Children can take items into class or to Mrs J Jones in Class H.

The Baby Basics Charity is local to our school and we wish to show our support this year, as part of our harvest and thanksgiving focus.

What is the charity about?

Baby Basics provides families in need with some of the essential items needed for life with a baby. We work with healthcare professionals and other agencies to ensure that the most vulnerable are provided for.



**Baby
basics
Wrexham**

Baby basics



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Community
Fund

Donations Wish List - - - - -

New & Gently Used Baby Clothing (0- 6m only)

- Baby vests
- Baby gowns/sleep suits
- Baby Outfits
- Cardigans
- Snowsuits/Coats
- Cotton & Woolly hats
- Scratch mitts
- Booties & Socks
- Tights

*must be damage & stain free and preferably freshly washed

Hand Knitted or Crocheted cardigans, blankets, booties & mitts are also welcome!
No handmade toys.



Donations Wish List - - - - -

For Baby

- Baby shampoo
- Baby soap/wash/tubble bath
- Baby lotion
- Cotton Wool
- Nappy bags
- Baby wipes

*must new & unopened

- Nappies (size 0/1/2)
- Moses basket sheets
- Blankets
- Gro-bag
- Baby towel
- Muslins
- Baby Soft toys
- Bibs



CEISIADAU AM LLEOEDD YSGOL SCHOOL PLACE APPLICATIONS

O fis Medi 2025, gallwch wneud cais am le mewn ysgol i'ch plentyn, gan ddefnyddio'r Gwasanaeth Derbyniadau ar-lein.

From September 2025, you can apply for a school place for your child using the online Admissions Service

Eich Ysgol Bresennol Current School	Ysgol Newydd New School	Oed Erbyn / Age By 31 Awst / August 2026
n/a	Meithrin / Nursery	3
Meithrin / Nursery	Cynradd / Primary	4
Cynradd / Primary	Uwchradd / Secondary	11

Cofiwch gyflwyno eich cais cyn y dyddiad cau. Gwelwch yr amserlen derbyniadau isod.
Be sure to submit your application before the closing date. See admission timetable below

Y Cyfnod Derbyn Admission Phase	Y Cyfnod Cais Application Period	Hysbysir Y Rhieni Erbyn Parents Informed By
Meithrin / Nursery	06/01/2026 – 16/02/2026	05/05/2026
Cynradd / Primary	22/09/2025 – 17/11/2025	16/04/2026
Uwchradd / Secondary	01/09/2025 – 03/11/2025	02/03/2026



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School Admissions and Transitions

Admission to our reception class for September will close on the 17.11.25. **A reminder that even if your child is with us for Nursery you still must apply for a Reception place.** We are holding an open evening for those wishing to apply for a Reception place on Weds 15th. This is aimed at new families rather than those who are already in Nursery with us but you are always welcome to come and look around again if you wish.

High School Admission applications close on 03.11.25. I know many of you will have attended the High School open evenings and Year 5 & 6 have had a visit from Mike Platt, Year 7 Transition Co-ordinator from Rhosnesni High School. Pupils were able to hear about

life at the school, and enjoyed asking questions.

You can access the admissions process by following this link: [School admissions | Wrexham County Borough Council](#)

Sports Equipment



An enormous thank you to Net World sports for donating 2 new goals for our play ground. Also to Lesley Griffiths (MS) for donating new football equipment for our after-school football club. We are all very grateful and hope we might just have some future Wrexham players!

Homework

We are currently reviewing the way in which homework is approached and would love to hear your views. Please could you help us by taking the time to complete the short survey by clicking the link here: [Rhosddu Homework Survey - Families](#) Many thanks!



Playground Equipment

We know that the school play equipment is very tempting and great fun but a gentle reminder please that the play equipment, especially the wooden fenced area under the trees is not to be used by the children before or after school. Many thanks for your co-operation.



Thought for the Day

James Gillespie from The Community Church has started his weekly visits on a Friday morning. He has taught year 5 & 6 "Awe and Wonder" and "Journeys" sessions as part of the Religion, Values and Ethics (RVE) element of Curriculum for Wales. He has also contributed a "thought for the day" during our weekly Collective Worship time on Friday mornings which we have all enjoyed enormously. We look forward to James working with all of the classes over the school year. Diolch Yn Fawr James!



Prefects

Congratulations to all our new Year 6 Prefects! We are very proud of the excellent example they have been setting and are sure they will be brilliant role-models to all of our younger pupils. There are several opportunities to become a prefect over the school year so watch this space for more great news!

Dates for Your Diary:

October

Mon 6th - Homestart School Readiness Programme

Tues 14th - Tempest Individual school photos

Week beginning 20th - Parents Evening

Fri 24th - Harvest Coffee Afternoon 2:30-3:30pm
- Break up for half term

November

Mon 3rd - INSET DAY

Weds 26th - Nasal Flu Vaccinations

December

Thurs 4th - Christmas Fair 3pm

Mon 8th - Year 3/4/ Dress rehearsal

Tues 9th - Infant Dress Rehearsal (Rec, year 1 and 2)

Weds 10th - 2pm Year 3/4 Performance

5pm Infant Performance

Thurs 11th - 2pm Infant Performance

5:30pm Year 3/4 Performance

Fri 12th - Nursery Performance

Thurs 18th - Rhosddu Carols in the Park

Fri 19th - Christmas Parties and Santa Visits-
Christmas jumpers or own clothes

Break up for Christmas

INSET DAYS 2025/2026

Mon 3rd Nov

Mon 5th Jan

Mon 13th April

Mon 20th July