



Rhosddu School Newsletter

January 2025

Play Leaders.

Say hello to our newly trained playmakers, who worked with Active Wrexham. It involved them gaining knowledge of how to organise small games and activities that can be used during breaks and lunch times. The Playmaker session helped them to develop leadership skills such as organisation, communication and teamwork, it also helped them to build confidence and self-esteem as they take on responsibility of assisting in leading their peers and younger children.



Year 6 Residential.

29 children recently attended a 3-day residential trip to Robinwood. Lots of challenges and fun had by all, even the staff attending! We are so proud of every single one of them. They have come away with skills for life and memories to look back on.



Stay and Play.



Nursery Applications.

Applications for Nursery school places for the September 2026 intake are now open.

The closing date to apply for a Nursery school place is Monday, 16th February 2026. You can apply on-line at:



ENGLISH
Visit www.wrexham.gov.uk
or scan the QR Code

If you have made an application for a Funded Early Education place to start in January or April 2026, it's important to note that this is not the same as a Nursery application. The 10-hour funded early education place is only for the spring and/or summer term and will end in July. Parents who applied for a January place will have already received their response letter. Parents who applied for an April place will receive their response letter on 19th February. Securing a place in an early education setting for spring or summer term does not guarantee you a place at the same setting for the Nursery class which starts in September. You must make a separate application for the Nursery class if you have not done so already, and these applications are processed in line with our admissions policy.

If you have any difficulties in making an application, please contact admissions on: admissions@wrexham.gov.uk or 01978 298991.

Dydd Santes Dwynwen.

As it was Dydd Santes Dwynwen on Sunday 25th January the Criw Cymraeg have created a bank of Santes Dwynwen themed activities for pupils across the school to increase their use of the Welsh language and to have a greater understanding of Welsh traditions.



The Criw Cymraeg's next focus is to increase the use of everyday Welsh across the school.

Health and Wellbeing.



The Wellbeing Portal offers a way to access a number of services in one go, without you having to repeat your story again and again. If you need support in completing the online request form, please call 01978 292094.



School Car Park and Traffic.

A polite reminder that the school car park is only for the use of school staff. We have also been approached by members of the community to ask that we remind parents not to park on the yellow lines outside either entrance to school and to be considerate of residents, particularly those on Mawddwy Avenue.



Christmas Fundraiser

A HUGE thank you to everyone who purchased Christmas merchandise. The school took a percentage of what was collected, and the total was £127.23.

Future dates

Weds 4th February – Reception health screening.

Weds 4th/Thurs 5th February – Nursery Stay and Play (3:15pm–4:00pm).

Thurs 5th February – Yr. 6 Library visit.

Fri 6th February – Non uniform (Number Day).

Fri 13th February – School closes for half-term.

Mon 23rd February – School open to all pupils.

Wk beg 2nd March – Parents evening (bookings form will be sent by the class teacher via email).

Thurs 12th March – Year 3/4 trip – Park in the Past.

Fri 13th March – Non-uniform (Easter bingo donations).

Weds 18th March – Easter bingo (eyes down for 5pm – 6:30pm – School Hall).

Fri 27th March – School closes for Easter.

Tues 14th April – School open to all pupils.

INSET Days – 2026

Mon 13th April 2026.

Mon 20th July 2026.