

APRIL/MAY 2024



# Early Years Newsletter



*Welcome back! We hope you have had an enjoyable Easter break and are looking forward to a new term of fun learning.*

*Our learning will continue to be based around the theme 'How Do Plants & Animals Survive?' Our learning will have a Scientific focus this half term.*

## Early Years dates for your diary:

**Muddy Tuesday's** - We will be learning outdoors every Tuesday - please bring wellies and waterproofs. We do have spares in school if required.

**Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> April** - Earth day - we will be learning about how to look after our planet today.

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May** - **School Photographs**. Class photographs and individual photographs for part time nursery pupils.

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May & Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May** - Reception pupils height, weight, hearing, and vision screening

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May** - Bank Holiday Monday - no school today

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> May** - Bronwen Lewis - Bryn school anthem workshop and whole-school gig. Please can a donation of £3 be made via parent pay please.

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> May** - Mental Health week. Please wear yellow on **Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May**

**Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May** - Open Afternoon for parents - You are invited to attend your children's classes anytime from 2pm - 3pm today

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May** - Last day of the half term today

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June** - INSET day, pupils return on **Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> June 2024**

## Other Information

Fruit - Please bring a piece of fruit or a labelled pot of fruit for snack time.  
Milk will be provided  
School dinners - Please see your parent pay account for more information.



Follow @BrynSchool on X app (formerly Twitter) for pictures of activities

## REMINDER

Please label all clothing and items with the pupils' names

What will we be learning this half term?

## Maths

- Number - counting, recognising numbers
- Money
- Shape

## Literacy

- Story - The Enormous Turnip
- Information - poster
- Phonic sounds

## Theme - How has History Changed Us?

- Science & Technology - plants and animals
- shadows

Humanities - caring for our environment

P.E - Ball skills

ICT - Drawing pictures, word processing (rec)

Welsh - Stori - Mor Ladrôn (Pirates)

Health & Well-being - understanding relationships

## ATTENDANCE

Please support us in improving our Attendance. There are lots of exciting learning opportunities happening this term, so pupils need to be IN SCHOOL AND ON TIME!

Our school target is 95%

Nursery attendance last term - 83.75%

Reception attendance for last term - 91.31%

Let's try and improve this for this term!

