



Autumn Term 2022 - Adran y Môr - Dosbarth y Morlo

A child's life is a happy life

Humanities

Investigate various sources of information in order to learn about aspects of a child's life in the Victorian era e.g. - toys, school life, food, clothes, work.
Learn about the history of Susan Rees, a girl who worked in a coal mine.
Compare the life of a child today with the life of a child in the Victorian era.
Learn about religious ceremonies involving babies - the Sikh religion naming and the Christian baptism ceremonies..

Health and Wellbeing

Continue to develop our fitness and our gymnastic skills.
Enjoy new outdoor experiences during Forest School sessions.
Discuss the school rules and how to be responsible citizens.
Understand our rights and responsibilities in order to be able to respect the rights of others.
Discuss our feelings and how others should be treated and understand what healthy relationships are.

Our intention in this learning unit is to develop an understanding that healthy relationships are essential for our well-being. We hope to foster an awareness of the impact of our decisions and actions on ourselves and others and an understanding of the importance of respecting each other's needs and rights. We aim to develop curious and inquisitive learners who are able to think critically. We intend to investigate and evaluate evidence and sources of information in order to identify similarities and differences in the lives of children today and the past. We hope to develop a deeper understanding of people's experiences within local contexts in order to develop informed learners who can communicate confidently and show empathy towards others. By the end of the learning unit, we trust that the learners will appreciate their rights and will have developed a body of knowledge through researching their identity and the history of Wales.

Expressive Arts

Enjoy singing songs related to the theme.
Enjoy creating a performance for the Christmas celebrations.
Develop our drawing skills and develop the skill of drawing portraits.

Visits

Visit Swansea Museum to learn more about the life of a child in Victorian times.
Visit the Glynn Vivian gallery for a portrait creation workshop.

Science and Technology

Explore and explain the basic properties of light and electricity.
Ask questions and suggest simple methods of enquiry.
Enjoy predicting outcomes and carry out simple investigations.
Enjoy the experience of creating electrical circuits and understand the dangers of electricity.
Understand the life cycle of human beings.

Languages, Literacy and Communication

Create a role play corner e.g. a Toy Shop and enjoy buying and selling a variety of toys.
Develop our oracy skills through various activities.
Read and listen to a variety of non-fiction and fictional stories and books.
Enjoy watching television programmes such as ' Amser Maith Maith yn Ôl.'
Continue to develop our reading skills.
Enjoy writing in a variety of ways, including presenting information, a portrait, and a diary.
Continue to practice our spelling skills and learn to form letters correctly.

The homework will be shared through your child's Hwb account. See the instructions on the class page on the school's website. Maths homework will be distributed on Thursday or Friday evenings.
There will be vocabulary to learn on Friday and we will have an informal spelling test on the following Friday.

Mathematics and Numeracy

Practice counting, reading, writing and organising numbers up to at least 100. Understand the place value of numbers.
Practice and improve addition, subtraction and multiplication skills.
Use money, practice our skills in measuring length, time and study the properties of shape.
Play many mental mathematical games.
Develop our data collection and presentation skills.



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It's planning time!

Our Closing Project

We hope to hold a day where the pupils will be given the opportunity to dress as children from the Victorian era. They will present information to each other about the life of children a long time ago.

What did children do a long time ago?
Elenid

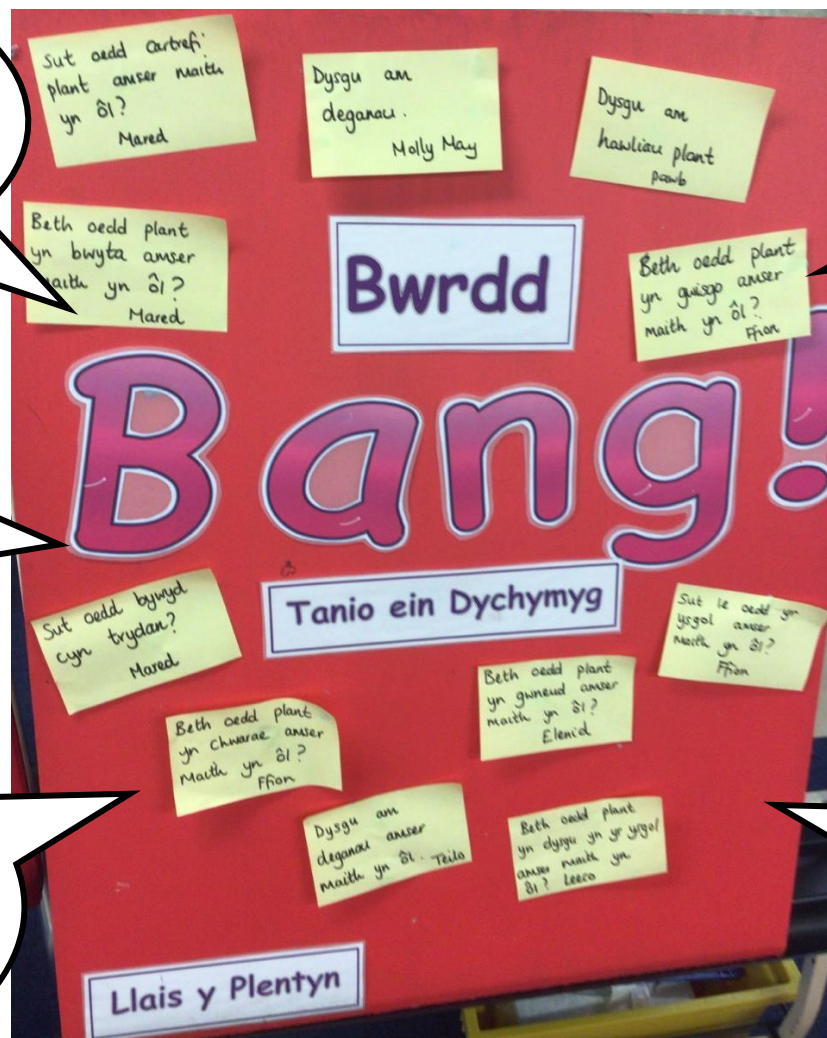
Learn about toys.
Molly May

Learn about children's rights.

What did children wear a long time ago? Ffion

What toys did children have a long time ago?
Teilo

What did children learn in school a long time ago? Leeco



Remember to look in the children's section - class pages on the school's website for more details! www.yggbrynymor.co.uk
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