Llawlyfr Rhieni
Ysgol Terrig
Parents Handbook



Dysgu Doniau
i'r Dyfodol

Ceir y llawlyfr yma yn Gymraeg ac yn Saesneg
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Annwyl oll,

Croeso i bawb, yn blant ag yn rieni i'n hysgol ni yma yn Nhreuddyn. Rydym yn falch iawn eich bod yn cysidro Ysgol Terrig ar gyfer eich plentyn. Rydym yn ysgol hapus a chyfeillgar ac rydym eisiau i bob plentyn fwynhau dod i'r ysgol.

Mae Ysgol Terrig yn darparu Addysg Gymraeg i bawb, os ydych yn siarad Cymraeg ar yr aelwyd neu beidio. Rydym yn cefnogi dwy-ieithrwydd a bydd y plant yn rhugl yn yr iaith mewn dim o amser.

Mae dros 100 o blant yma yn Ysgol Terrig ac rydym yn gwerthfawrogi pob un ohonynt. Yma, yn Ysgol Terrig rydym yn credu bod gan pob plentyn yr hawl i'r profiadau addysgol gorau y gellwn eu rhoi iddynt.

Ein nod yma yw i roi cyfleoedd o bob math i'r plant ac eu bod yn llwyddo. Wrth roi cyfleoedd i'r plant tu fewn a thu allan i'r dosbarth mewn amgylchedd hapus, cyfeillgar a sâff fe wnawn ni sicrhau bod eich plentyn yn datblygu sgiliau yn barod i lwyddo yng nghamau nesaf eu bywydau.

Mae addysgu plant yn gyfrifoldeb mawr ac yn fraint. Rydym yn hynod falch o'n hysgol a rydym yn ceisio ein gorau dros pob un ohonynt. Rydym yn ymfalchio yn ein patneriaeth gyda ein rhieni a'r gymuned ac yn ein gwneud yn ysgol a theimlad teulol.

Derbyniadau

Bydd yr Awdurdod Addysg Lleol yn gyfrifol am drefnu derbyniadau i'r ysgol yn ôl eu Polisi a Threfn Derbyniadau i Ysgolion.
I gofrestru i Ysgol Terrig rhaid gwenud ceisiadau drwy wefan Cyngor Sir Y Fflint – Ysgolion, gweler y linc isod.
Ysgolion

Derbyniadau Dosbarth Meithrin
Mae Addysg Feithrin yn cael ei gynnig bob bore. Mae'r plant yn cael eu derbyn ym mis Medi ar ôl eu penblwydd yn dair oed.

Dosbarth Derbyn
Mae'r plant yn cael eu derbyn ym mis Medi ar ôl eu pen-blwydd yn bedair oed.

Derbynnir plant sy'n symud o ardal arall i mewn i'r ysgol yng nghanol y flwyddyn academaidd a byddant yn cael eu hintegreiddio i'w dosbarthiadau priodol.

Gwisg Ysgol

Annogir pawb i wisgo gwisg ysgol. Mae'r siop Monkhouse a Craftshack yn Yr Wyddgrug yn gwerthu'r wisg ysgol swyddogol ond gellir prynu crysau-t melyn a siwmperi glas tywyll o siopau eraill. Os y dymunir mae'r Craftshack yn cynnig gwasanaeth o roi logo ar ddillad o siopa eraill. Trwosus/siorts/sgert/llwyd neu ddu ac esgidiau du sydd yn dderbynniol





Amserlen Ysgol

8.50	Ysgol yn dechrau
10.30	Dysgu Sylfaen Amser Chwarae
10.45	Blwyddyn 3,4,5 a 6 Amser Chwarae
11.30	Meithrin yn mynd adref
12.00 – 1.00	Amser Cinio
3.00	Dysgu Sylfaen Amser mynd adref
3.15	Bl 3,4,5 a 6 Amser mynd adref

Prydlondeb

Mae yn bwysig bod plant yn yr ysgol yn brydlon bob dydd. Mae'r ysgol yn cychwyn am 8.50 ac mae yn bwysig eu bod yn yr ysgol i gychwyn y dydd. Mae prydlondeb yn statudol ac mae yn ofynnol bod plant yn yr ysgol ar amser. Mae bod yn hwyr i'r ysgol yn aml yn cael effaith anwydol ar ddysgu y plentyn ac hefyd yn amharu ar y dosbarth a phlant eraill pan mae plentyn yn cyrraedd yn hwyr. Os yn cyrraedd yn hwyr ceir marc hwyr ar y gofrestr.

Mae rhieni yn cael eu annog i beidio a chymeryd eu plant allan ar wyliau, ond gellir cael 10 diwrnod y flwyddyn wedi ai awdurdodi. Bydd y pennaeth yn gwenud y penderfyniad a bydd amser y flwyddyn, pa mor hir y bydd y plentyn i ffwrdd o'r ysgol a chanran presenoldeb y plentyn yn cael ei gysidro. Os bydd presenoldeb y plentyn yn isel yna ni fydd gwyliau yn ystod amser ysgol yn cael ei no.di fel presenoldeb di-awdurdodedig.

Gwybodaeth:

Gwyrdd	100%	Heb golli unrhyw wersi.
	99%	Colli tua 10 o wersi.
	98%	Colli tua 20 o wersi.
	97%	Colli tua 30 o wersi.
Oren	96%	Colli tua 8 diwrnod o ysgol. Bydd yn anodd dal i fyny â'r addysg a gollwyd o tua 40 o wersi.
	95%	Colli tua phythefnos o ysgol.
	93%	Colli tua 14 diwrnod o ysgol. Sef colli bron i dair wythnos o addysg.
Coch	92% ac is. Colli mwy na thair wythnos o addysg. Diffyg addysg difrifol a fedrai amharu ar gyflawniad.	

Mae 175 o ddiwrnodau sydd ddim yn ddiwrnod ysgol ar gael i wario gyda teulu, ffrindiau, teithiau ac apwyntiadau.





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DA Y siawn orau i lwyddo, caiff y plant y cyfle gorau Best chace of success.		Lle i boeni Llai o gyfle i lwyddo		Consern Ddim yn degar eich plentyn	

Salwch:
Cysylltwch ar ysgol os oes gen eich plentyn unrhyw alergedd neu salwch rhaid rhoi gwybod i'r ysgol.
Os ydy eich plentyn yn sâl cyn dod i'r ysgol, peidiwch a'u gyrru i'r ysgol. Os ydy eich plentyn yn dioddef o unrhyw salwch clwyfus rhaid cadw eich plentyn adref am 48 awr. Mae hyn er mwyn dioglewch pawb.

Ymweliadau Ysgol:
Fe ystyrir pob ymweliad yn ymweliad addysgol. Bydd yn arferiad gan yr ysgol i fynychu'r canolfannau preswyl yng Nglanllyn, Caerdydd a Llangrannog. Yn y canolfannau yma ceir amrywiaeth eang o brofiadau sydd yn ateb gofynion sawl maes o'r Cwricwlwm Cenedlaethol a mwy. Fe roddir gwybodaeth o flaen llaw ynglŷn a phob ymweliad addysgol, sydd yn cynnwys trefn diogelwch, dulliau talu, dulliau di-dâl, amserlenni a gweithgareddau ag ati.

Gwersi Offerynnau Cerdd :
Theatr Clwyd sydd yn darparu gwersi offerynnol. Am fwy o wybodaeth cliciwch ar y linc isod.
Cartref Cerddoriaeth Theatr Clwyd | Theatr Clwyd

Cinio Ysgol:
Paratoir cinio blasus i'r plant yn y gegin yn yr ysgol. Mae'r fwydlen yn cael ei ddylunio a'i pharatoi gan Newydd y cwmni arlwyo. Mae y fwydlen ar gael i'r rhieni. Mae pob plentyn o ddosbarth Derbyn hyd at Flwyddyn 6 yn cael cinio ysgol am ddim.

Ffrwythau:
Os gwelwch yn dda darparwch ffrwyth neu lysiau ar gyfer eich plentyn ar gyfer egwyl bore. Mae pob plentyn Cyfnod Sylfaen yn derbyn llaeth yn ysgol egwyl bore. Dŵr yn unig ganiateir i ddisgyblion CA2 yn ystod egwyl bore. Ceir caniatâd i gael dŵr a blâs arno yn ystod pryd bwyd cinio.

Ysgol Goedwig:
Rydym yn ffodus iawn o'n lleoliad. Mae gennym goedwig a phwll natur ar dir yr ysgol. Mae ein staff wedi eu hyfforddi i fynd â phlant allan i'r goedwig i wneud gweithgareddau. Mae dysgu yn yr awyr agored yn rhoi cymaint o gyfleoedd i'r plant i ddysgu sgiliau ymarferol ac ategu annibynniaeth a hunan Gyfrifiaeth. Cânt wersi datrys problemau, gwaith tîm, defnyddio tŵls, adeiladu den, gweithagreddau i ddatblygu y dychymyg yn ogystal â gweithgareddau rhifedd a llythrennedd.

Cyfle Cyfartal:
Anelwn i ddarparu awyrgylch sydd yn hapus, yn ddiogel ac yn llawn gofal i bob disgybl gan roi pob ystyriaeth i bob angen addysgol, cymdeithasol a chorfforol.
Anelwn i feithrin agweddau iach tuag at bawb a phopeth yn wahaniaethau rhyw, lliw a chymdeithas, yn grefydd ac anghenion arbennig. Anelwn i gynnal ac i ddysgu pob disgybl ar lefel berthnasol.
Bydd pob disgybl sydd yn manteisio ar addysg yn yr ysgol yn cael ei drin yn gyfartal. Fe ddarperir gwaith gwahaniaethol yn ôl y gofyn.
Mae'r adeilad yn hwylus addas ar gyfer y boblogaeth bresennol sydd yn mynychu'r ysgol. Mae rhai cyfleusterau anabl ar gyfer ymwelwyr.
Mae'r ysgol yn agored i fedru addasu'r adeilad ymhellach yn ôl y galw.

Amddiffyn Plant:
Mae'n ddyletswydd statudol ar yr ysgol i amddiffyn plant. Fe wneir hyn gan gyfeirio unrhyw amheuaeth o gam-drin plant wrth yr asiantaethau perthnasol.

Polisi Codi Tâl a Pholisi Rhyddhad Rhag Talu Deddf Diwygio Addysg 1988:

Codir tâl am y canlynol:

- Gwisg Ysgol
- Cinio Ysgol
- Bwyd Bore
- Costau gweithgareddau ychwanegol
- Gweithgareddau preswyl
- Unrhyw ddifrod bwriadol i eiddo'r ysgol

Bydd yr ysgol yn cyhoeddi pa weithgareddau sydd yn gymwys i geisiadau di-dâl.

Salwch ac Anafiadau:

Fe gysylltir a'r rhieni pan fydd disgybl wedi ei anafu neu'n sâl. Pe cyfyd yr angen fe wneir defnydd o'r wybodaeth a dderbynnir gennych chi ynglŷn a'ch plentyn i weithredu'n ôl y galw wrth sicrhau gofal o'ch plentyn. Mewn argyfwng neu achos o ddamwain fe weithredir yn y fan a'r lle. Golygai hyn y bydd yr ysgol yn galw am ddoctor, yn hebrwng y disgybl at y meddyg, neu i'r ysbyty, neu fe fydd yr ysgol yn galw am ambiwlans. Fe fydd pob ymdrech yn cael ei wneud i gysylltu a'r rhieni ar fyrder.

Meddygaeth:

Cyfrifoldeb y Pennaeth yw ymateb i bob cais ysgrifenedig gan rieni ynglŷn a gweinyddu meddyginiaeth disgybl. Bydd ymateb y Pennaeth wedi ei seilio ar amgylchiadau'r disgybl a'r staff o fewn yr ysgol. Os oes amheuaeth ynglŷn a phresenoldeb eich plentyn yn yr ysgol ar sail rhesymau meddygol dylid cael cyngor gan eich meddyg teulu.

Disgyblaeth ac Ymddygiad:

Os yw'r agweddau iach sydd yn hanfodol yn natblygiad pob disgybl i'w meithrin o fewn yr ysgol mae'n rhaid wrth ddisgyblaeth. Ein nod yn Ysgol Terrig yw argyhoeddi'r disgyblion o bwysigrwydd parch at bawb a phopeth. Mae hyn yn hybu hunan barch sydd yn ei dro yn ennyn pwrpas a threfn yn ein bywydau. Disgwylir safon uchel o ymddygiad. Hyderwn fod y gofal o'r disgyblion o fewn yr ysgol yn arwain at ddisgyblaeth iach a theg sydd yn hybu cyfraniad llawn gan unigolyn o fewn yr ysgol gyfan. Gwelir y berthynas agos sydd yn bodoli rhwng yr ysgol a'r cartref yn sicrhau llwyddiant y drefn yma. Y nod yw creu cymdeithas a chymuned deuluol o fewn yr ysgol sydd yn estyniad o holl werthoedd y cartref. Os na ddaw yr hyn sydd yn ddisgwyliedig ddod yn rhwydd i'r disgyblion disgwylir cydweithrediad llawn y rhieni i oresgyn trafferthion. Ar ddechrau gyrfa pob disgybl yn yr ysgol fe ddosberthir cytundeb ysgol cartref i'w gwblhau a'i ddychwelyd i'r ysgol gennych chi y rhieni.

Yr Ysgol a'r Gymuned:

Mae'n draddodiad i'r ysgol gefnogi gweithgareddau cymunedol lle bo hynny bosibl. Mae'n draddodiad gan yr ysgol i gynnal cyngherddau a gwasanaethau yn ystod y flwyddyn ysgol fel a ganlyn:

- Cyngerdd / Gwasanaeth Nadolig Mae croeso cynnes i'r gymuned leol fod yn rhan o'r agwedd yma o fywyd yr ysgol.

Mae pentref Treuddyn a'r fro lleol yn hynod o weithgar ac o bryd i'w gilydd fe wahoddir yr ysgol i gefnogi'r gymdeithas ac fe gynhelir gweithgareddau ychwanegol.

Mae'r ysgol yn cefnogi :

- Eisteddfod Treuddyn
- Gweithgareddau'r maes chwarae – nofio, pêl-droed, pêl-rwyd, rownderi ac athletau

Cyfathrebu:

Mae gan wefan yr ysgol lawer o wybodaeth
Hefyd, rydym yn defnyddio Seesaw a Instagram
Ceir llythyrau ar ein wefan. Mae rhieni yn cael gwybod drwy ebost bod llythyr wedi ei uwchlwytho i'r wefan. Mae calendr yr ysgol ar y wefan hefyd sydd yn cael ei ddiweddaru yn aml.
Mae rhieni yn cael gwâdd i'r ysgol i drafod gwaith eu plentyn. Ceir cyfle i edrych ar eu gwaith yn ystod y nosweithiau agored . Os ydych yn dymuno gellwch wneud apwyntiadau i weld athro dosbarth eich plentyn yn ystod y flwyddyn.
Mae adroddiad blynyddol yn cael ei yrru adref gyda eich plentyn yn ystod ail hanner tymor yr haf. Ceir manylion am gynnydd eich plentyn. Gellir gwneud apwyntiad i drafod adroddiad eich plentyn.

Symud Ymlaen:

Mae'r rhan fwyaf o'n disgyblion yn symud ymlaen i Ysgol Maes Garmon yn Yr Wyddgrug ar ddiwedd Blwyddyn 6. Mae ffurflenni cais am le mewn ysgol uwchradd ar wefan Cyngor Sir Y Fflint a mae rhaid llenwi y ffurflen yn ystod Tymor Yr Hydref blwyddyn 6 eich plentyn. Mae trefniadau mewn lle gyda Ysgol Maes Garmon i bontio o un ysgol i'r llall yn un esmwyth. Ceir cyrsiau undydd ym mlynyddoedd 4 a 5. Ym mlwyddyn 6 bydden nhw yn treulio diwrnod yno yn Nhymor Yr Hydref, deuddydd yn ystod Tymor yr Haf.
Ceir systemau eraill gan ysgolion uwchradd gwahanol.

Ac yn olaf.....

Diolch am gymeryd yr amser i ddarllen ein prosbectws. Mae croeso i chi gysylltu ar ysgol os ydych eisiau gwybod rhagor neu os oes gennych gwestiynau pellach. Mae staff yr ysgol ar Llywodraethwyr yn ymfalchio yn Ysgol Terrig ac rydym yn edrych ymlaen i groesawu chi a'ch teulu yma.

Welcome to you all, pupils, parents, to our school here in Treuddyn. We are so happy that you are considering Ysgol Terrig for your child. We are a happy and friendly school and want every child to enjoy coming to school.

Ysgol Terrig provides Welsh Education for all, and we welcome children from non- Welsh speaking families. We support the children to be bi-lingual and they are fluent in no time.

There are over a 100 pupils here at Ysgol Terrig and each and everyone is important to us. We believe that all children should have the opportunities to have the best experiences possible at school.

Our aim is to provide the children a range of activities and that they reach their full potential and succeed. Children experience teaching and learning within the classroom and outside, in a happy, safe environment. We teach and develop skills to prepare your child for the next steps in their lives.

Teaching children is a big commitment and a privilege. We are very proud of our school and pride ourselves in doing our best for each child. We strongly believe that education is a partnership between school, parents, and pupils and we will be encouraging you and your family to get involved fully in school life.

Breakfast Club opens at 8am and this is situated in the hall, and they are supervised by staff.

Admissions:
Admission to the school is subject to the Local Education Authority's 'Policy and Procedure for Admissions to Schools'.
To register for Ysgol Terrig please visit Flintshire County Council website, please see link below:
School Admissions

Nursery Class
Nursery Education is provided every morning. Children are admitted in the September following their 3rd birthday.

Reception Class
Reception age children are admitted in the September following their 4th. birthday.

Children moving from other areas may be admitted mid year and they are integrated within their appropriate class.

School Uniform:

All children are encouraged to wear School Uniform. Monkhouse and the Craftshack in Mold sell the official school uniform but parents are welcome to source yellow polo shirts and navy jumpers elsewhere. The Craftshack are able to embroidery the school logo on uniform bought elsewhere. Grey/Black shorts/trousers/skirts and black shoes are preferable.
Please label all uniform with your child's name.





School Timetable:

8.50	School Starts
10.30	Foundation Phase Break time
10.45	Years 3,4,5 and 6 Break time
11.30	Nursery Class Home time
12.00 – 1.00	Lunch hour
3.00	Foundation Phase Home time
3.15	Years 3,4,5 and 6 Home time

Attendance and Punctuality:

It is important that children are in school every day. School starts at 8.50 and it is important children are in school ready to start the day promptly.
Punctuality is a legal requirement and pupils must attend on time. Persistent lateness has a detrimental effect on a child's learning and also disrupts other pupils within the class and throughout the school. Arriving at school is a late mark and is an absence!

Parents are discouraged from taking their child out of school for holidays, but the headteacher may authorise up to 10 days per academic year. The Headteacher will make the decision and will consider the following contributory factors: Time of Year, Length of time, Overall percentage of attendance Impact on the child's learning If your child's attendance is low, then holidays during term time will be unauthorised.



Information

Green	100%	Not missing any lessons.
	99%	Missing about 10 lessons.
	98%	Missing about 20 lessons.
	97%	Missing about 30 lessons.
Amber	96% from	Missing about 8 days of school. It will be difficult to catch up on the lost learning about 40 lessons.
	95%	Missing about 2 weeks of school.
	93%	Missing 14 days of school. This is almost three weeks of Education lost
Red	92% and below Missing more than 3 weeks of Education. A serious loss of learning that may have a detrimental effect on achievement.	

There are 175 non school days a year to spend on family time, visits, holidays and appointments





190 (360 sessions) 190 days for your child's education	180 (360 sessions) 180 Days of Learning	171 (342 sessions) 171 Days of Learning	161 (322 sessions) 161 Days of Learning	152 (304 sessions) 152 Days of Learning	143 (286 sessions) 143 Days of Learning
100%	95%	90%	85%	80%	75%
Good Best chance of success. Gets your child off to a flying start		Worrying Less chance of success. Makes it harder to make progress		Serious Concern Not fair on your child. Possible Legal Action	

Illness:

Please inform the school of any allergies or illness that your child has.
If your child is unwell before coming to school in the morning, please do send them to school. If your child has been suffering with vomiting or diarrhoea you should keep your child home for 48 hours. This is to avoid spreading germs to other children.

School Visits:

Every school visit is regarded as an educational visit. The school visit various residential centres eg, Glanllyn, Cardiff and Llangrannog. The pupils experience a wide variety of opportunities that cover several aspects of the National Curriculum at these centres. Information and details regarding safety, payments, remissions, timetables and activities etc. are issued for these visits beforehand.

Music Lessons:

Music lessons are provided by Theatr Clwyd. For more information please click on the link below:
Lessons For Young People | Theatr Clwyd

School Meals:

School meals are prepared daily in the school kitchen. The menu and the price are set by the Local Authority and this information is circulated to the pupils and parents. All children from reception to year 6 are entitled to free lunch provided by Welsh Government

Morning Snack:

Please provide a snack of fruit or vegetables for your child. Water and Milk is offered to Foundation Phase pupils, water only for Key Stage 2 pupils. Pupils are able to bring squash for lunch but water at all other times.

Forest School:

We are very fortunate of our location. We have a woodland and a pond for the children to explore. Our staff are trained in Forest School and they are able to take the children out into the outdoors. Here at Ysgol Terrig our aim is to educate our children in the outdoors and build children's independence and self-esteem through experiencing the natural world. The children take part in activities such as problem solving, team work, cooking over a live fire, den building, activities to develop imagination and literacy and numeracy outdoors.

Equality Act:

We aim to provide every pupil with a happy, secure and caring environment considering every physical, social and educational need.
We aim to foster healthy attitudes towards everyone and everything, towards differences in gender, colour, society, religion and special needs.
We aim to provide and educate every pupil at the appropriate level. Every pupil that benefits from education in the school is treated equally. Differentiated work is provided as required. The building is appropriate to accommodate the present population of the school. There are some disabled provision for visitors. The school is open to further adapt the building as the need arises.

Child Protection:

It is the school's statutory duty to protect children. This is done by referring any suspicions of child abuse to the relevant agencies.

Charging and Remissions Policy Education Reform Act 1988:
The school gives notice of activities which are eligible for applications for remission.
Charges are made for the following:

- ♦ School Uniform
- ♦ School Meals
- ♦ Morning Snack
- ♦ Costs for additional activities
- ♦ Residential Activities
- ♦ Any deliberate damage to school property.

Illness and Injury:
The school will contact the parents if the pupil is ill or injured. If the situation arises the school will use the information that you have provided about your child so as to take the necessary steps to safeguard your child. In an emergency or in the event of an accident the school will take immediate action. This means the school will call a doctor, take the pupil to the surgery or the hospital or the school will call an ambulance. Every effort will also be made to immediately contact the parents.

Medication:
It is the responsibility of the Headteacher to respond to each written request to administer pupil medication. The Headteacher will base this response upon the pupil's circumstances as well as the circumstances of the school staff. If you have any doubts regarding the attendance of your child in school based on medical reasons your family doctor is best for advice.

Discipline and Behaviour:

To foster those healthy attitudes necessary in the development of each pupil the school must have a discipline. Our aim at Ysgol Terrig is to recommend to the pupils that it is important to respect everybody and everything. This promotes self-discipline which in turn instils purpose and direction to our lives. A high standard of behaviour is expected.

We trust that the care of the pupils within the school leads to a healthy and fair discipline that encourages a full contribution from the individual within the whole school. The close relationship that exists between the school and the home ensures the success of this system. The aim is to create a society and a community within the school that is an extension of all home values. If what is expected does not come easily to the pupils your co-operation as parents is expected to overcome the difficulties. On admission to school a home school agreement is issued to be completed and returned to the school by you the parents.

The School and the Community:

It is the tradition of the school, where possible, to support community activities. It is the tradition of the school to hold concerts and services during the school year.

♦ Christmas Carol Service / Concert The local community is always welcomed to be a part of this aspect of school life.

Treuddyn and the locality is very active and the school from time to time is invited to support the community with additional activities. The school supports

♦ Treuddyn Eisteddfod

♦ Sporting events – swimming, football, netball, rounders and athletics

Communication:

Our website has lots of information.
Also, we use Seesaw and Instagram.
Letters are uploaded to our school website and we inform parents by email. The calendar on the school website is updated often and lets parents know of upcoming events.
Parents are invited to schools to discuss their child's progress; parents can view their child's work and take the opportunity to look around the school. Additional meetings can be made during the year by appointments.
Annual reports are sent home with your child during the second half of the Summer Term. This gives you a progress report about your child. It is possible to make an appointment to discuss reports with teachers.

Transition:

The majority of children at Ysgol Terrig transfer to Ysgol Maes Garmon at the end of Year 6. Application for Secondary School must be made in the Autumn Term of Year 6 on Flintshire County Council website. Ysgol Maes Garmon have a transition programme for the children. The transition programme starts in year 4 and they will spend the day at Ysgol Maes Garmon, in year 5 they will spend another day there during Autumn Term. In year 6 Ysgol Maes Garmon invite the children to spend day there during Autumn Term, 2 days during Summer.
Other high schools have their own transition programme.

And finally.....

Thank you for taking the time to read our prospectus. I hope it has answered the majority of your questions. The staff and governors are very proud to be part of Ysgol Terrig and we look forward to welcoming you and your family. If you would like further information, please contact me through the school office

FAQ's

Why should I choose Welsh-medium education for my child?

Welsh-medium education is the most effective way to ensure that you child becomes totally bilingual. Your child will not lose fluency in the first language, but gain the ability to communicate fully in both languages. Being able to speak Welsh is beneficial when applying for jobs in Wales. - Two languages - more job opportunities The ability to speak Welsh is an advantage when applying for jobs in Wales. Being fluent in both Welsh and English is considered as an extra skill. Many posts note that being able to speak Welsh is a desirable or an essential skill. The Welsh Government has committed to developing Wales into a completely bilingual nation. There is more demand today than ever before for bilingual skills in a variety of posts such as health, education, leisure, childcare and public services - There are many advantages and very few disadvantages in becoming bilingual. Bilingualism offers your child the opportunity to experience two different cultures and enrich his/her Welsh identity. Welsh-medium education will ensure that your child grows to be completely bilingual. It will also open up a rich world of culture, and many opportunities.

1. I don't speak Welsh myself – will this be a disadvantage if I send my child to a Welsh-medium school? You don't have to be able to speak Welsh so that your child will flourish in Welsh-medium education. In many areas in Wales, a high number of children attending Welsh-medium education come from non-Welsh-speaking homes.

2. If I send my child to a Welsh-medium school will the quality of his/her English be affected? No. Every Welsh-medium school has a responsibility to ensure that every child develops high quality skills in both Welsh and English. School inspection reports confirm that this is happening. A number of these reports identify higher attainment levels in English amongst children attending Welsh-medium schools.

3. Will I be able to help my child with his / her homework? This is one of the most frequently asked questions by non-Welsh speaking parents. By the time your child will begin to have homework he or she will be able to translate it to you. This will give you an opportunity to talk with your child and solve the homework together. As your child will be translating the homework he/she will be valuably reprocessing the information and deeper learning may occur. If your child has understood it in two languages, then he or she has understood it! You can offer advice, explanation and encouragement if needed.

