

**YSGOL GYNRADD
TONYSGUBORIAU
PRIMARY SCHOOL**
Croeso/Welcome To The New Term



INFORMATION FOR PARENTS OF PUPILS IN DOSBATH GELERT

January 2026

Welcome To The Spring Term!

Welcome back to school, I hope you have all had a lovely Christmas break and are feeling ready for the new challenges of year 6!

This term is a very busy one with some transition events to Y Pant planned, residential trips, Eisteddfod and more...

Communication

Welcome back to a new Spring Term.

As ever my e-mail is

husseyp@hwbcymru.net. If you need to get in touch, feel free to e-mail me Monday-Friday 8am-5pm. You also contact me via the MCAS app or by using the link on our class website:

<https://www.tonysguboriauprimaryschool.com/gelert/>

To keep up to date with what is happening in school please subscribe to the School calendar via our school website:

www.tonysguboriauprimaryschool.com

We send texts and emails via the MyChildAtSchool app.

We use Hwb / TEAMS and Google classroom for home learning tasks and for resources to support pupils' learning.

THIS TERM'S THEME / TOPIC

Our topic this term is **'Britain at War'**

In the Britain at War project, your child will learn about the main causes of the First World War and which countries were the major players. They will investigate why so many men volunteered to fight and then sequence the events at the start of the war. Using various sources of evidence, the children will learn about life in the trenches and the consequences of new weaponry. They will listen to first-hand accounts of life on the home front and evaluate the impact of war on everyday life. They will also discover the events that led to the Allied Powers' victory and the consequences of the Treaty of Versailles. The children will also learn about the causes and main events of the Second World War. They will find out how Britain prepared itself for war and the war's impact on civilian life. They will learn about the Battle of Britain and how it proved to be a key turning point for the Allied Powers. They will also hear about Anne Frank and discover what her story tells us about the treatment of Jewish people by the Nazi Party. The children will research the causes and consequences of the end of the Second World War and investigate the legacy of the wars in Britain. Closer to home, the children will research the life of local World War heroes who sacrificed their life fighting for Britain. They will also investigate the legacy of these global conflicts in the post-war period.

PE

For PE lessons the pupils will need to wear either black shorts, leggings or tracksuit bottoms with a white t-shirt/polo shirt.

NO jewellery is to be worn so earrings and watches are to be taken off prior to the PE session.

Dosbarth Gelerts' PE day is on **Monday** and **Wednesday (Fit4Fun session)**.

Other Information

Reading is carried out daily in class with opportunities for individual, paired and group reading. Please continue to listen to you child read as much as possible at home.

Times-tables knowledge is hugely important and is practised and used most days in class.

Timetables and mental maths skills are practised every week as part of our Ninja maths practice.