

## LLANSANTFFRAID

Church in Wales VA Primary School

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Our School Value for this half term – Truthfulness

18<sup>th</sup> November 2022

**UNCRC** – United Nations Convention of the Rights of the Child – educating pupils on their rights is a statutory part of the Curriculum for Wales. Our Ethos Ambassadors – Sky Peter and Rori Jones – continued in Worship with their weekly task of sharing information on the 42 Articles. As of next week we move onto one article/right weekly.



**Estyn Inspection-** thank you to those parents who had already filled in our online annual questionnaire from last week seeking your feedback. 3 days later we were notified of our Estyn inspection! Please complete THEIR questionnaire as per the Seesaw link. We are very grateful for your very positive feedback in the school response. You will have been given on Seesaw a basic summary of the purpose of their visit and the time for the Parents meeting. Our normal, usual plea for children to arrive in school on time at the school gate by 8.50 as classroom activities have always already started at 8.40. Maximising the school day is essential at all times throughout the year. Also as per our usual procedures, please inform us of any absences. We also make a polite reminder that drinks brought in are water only and snacks are fruit as we are judged on endorsing healthy decisions. We as ever continue to review our site for high safeguarding, welfare and learning priorities. We have been waiting a while for improvements to be made so you will see we have taken matters into our own hands to make alterations in the interim period.

## Anti-Bullying Week 2022: Reach Out

Anti-Bullying Week 2022 is coordinated in England and Wales by the Anti-Bullying Alliance. It will take place from 14 to 18 November 2022 and has the theme Reach Out.

Anti-Bullying Week will remind everyone whether it's in school, at home, in the community or online, let's reach out and show each other the support we need.

All classes took part in discussions and activities as per our Twitter and Facebook feeds.

**Website** – take a look at our school website where we have added our annual details on the expenditure of grants, making our decisions transparent to all.

## Ladybirds Latest

This week was Road Safety week which gave us opportunities to ensure safety on the immediate roads around the school. We also enjoyed preparing for Children in Need.

**Bilingualism/Welsh dimension** – next Friday morning we will be watching Wales' football game in the World Cup on the TV. We are coinciding this with Welsh activities in class for our termly Bore Cymraeg. Children can come to school that day in their Welsh/red tops to support the team. C'mon Cymru!

**Community Links/Fundraising** – thank you to Julie at the Station Grill for organising a Quiz Night tonight at 7.30 pm as per the gates poster and Seesaw entry, raising funds for our school.

**\*\*REPEAT MESSAGE\*\* After School Club** – we always like to give you plenty of warning in having no club provision on the final day of term – Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December.

**Charity** – today is the day when the school turned spotty for Children in Need day. We shall let you know how much money was raised from the fun and activities.

**Virtual visits** – Dosbarth Mrs Davies enjoyed another live virtual visit with the National Museum of Wales about the history of toys.

**Christmas Production** – confirmed date – Friday, 16<sup>th</sup> December – 1.30 and 6 pm.

NOV 22<sup>nd</sup> Year 1 dental checks 28<sup>th</sup> Estyn inspection commences

DEC 8<sup>th</sup> Theatre Severn Pantomime 14<sup>th</sup> Christmas Dinner 16<sup>th</sup> School Production 21<sup>st</sup> End of Term JAN 6<sup>th</sup> Closing date for Admission to Reception 9<sup>th</sup> Return to school FEB 17<sup>th</sup> Finish for Half Term 27<sup>th</sup> Return to school MAR 1<sup>st</sup> School Eisteddfod 4<sup>th</sup> Urdd local Eisteddfod 25<sup>th</sup> Urdd County Eisteddfod 31<sup>st</sup> Finish for Easter