

Caru dysgu curriculum

What will your child be learning?

Pupils will be learning about the impact we can have on the world around us. Your child will be researching how different influential and inspiring individuals have had an impact on people and their environment. E.g. What would life be like without the invention of the telephone? No internet? Looking at how environmentalists and conservationists such as David Attenborough have had an impact on the world and how we can help our environment.

Your child will also be looking at how they interact with those around them and discussing what peer pressure is, discussing and learning about both the negative and positive aspects of peer pressure. The importance of how we behave and interact with others.

What can you do to help at home?

Research the lives of famous people who have had an impact on our world. Find out about different inventors and what they invented. Discuss what they think the world would be like without certain inventions like the World Wide Web, the telephone, aeroplanes etc.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZFkC5tazHIM>

Faculty of English, literacy and communication

What will your child be learning?

Oracy

During this term your child will be listening to famous speeches from significant individuals from history. They will be creating their own speech about what is important to them and presenting their speeches to the class. They will be practicing how to project their voices when speaking to an audience. They will also be learning how to use persuasive language when speaking and using the appropriate vocabulary.

Writing

The children will be continuing to develop and improve their independent writing skills and writing fact files and biographies about famous significant and influential people. e.g. David Attenborough, Alexander Graham Bell, Martin Luther King. They will be learning how to use sub headings and how to create an informative fact file. They will be using the book 'Hidden Figures' as part of their Canu Dysgu work.

Reading

In reading, we are continuing to develop our awareness of alternative sounds in the alphabetic code, receive and complete weekly reading assignments on Reading Eggspress as well as receiving weekly Reading Eggspress lessons in school.

What can you do to help at home?

Encourage your child to talk about what they have done in school. Play oracy games- 'What I dream of' the aim of the game is to share a personal dream and discuss it, thinking about what your dream is and how to achieve your dream. Ask open ended questions.

Encourage your child to write independently at home both on paper and on the Seesaw app. Encourage them to research a famous person and write facts about them to bring into school. Use kiddle - a visual search engine for children.

Faculty of science and technology

What will your child be learning?

Science and Technology

The children will be exploring the history of flight. They will be using their skills to design and make a range of paper planes to discover which design and material flies the farthest and best.

What can you do to help at home?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HPEW4azMmKU>

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7KPaxKUDj6I>

Faculty of mathematics and numeracy

What will your child be learning?

Mathematics and Numeracy

Pupils will be improving their skills on telling the time both on an analogue and digital clock and working out time intervals. They will be looking at fractions of shapes and fractions of numbers. They will also be creating and analysing graphs and using their maths skills to solve a range of word problems.

What can you do to help at home?

Practise telling the time with your child both on an analogue and digital clock.

<https://www.sheppardsoftware.com/math/time/clock-splat-game/>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/maths-games/hit-the-button>

https://mathsframe.co.uk/en/resources/resource/51/bar_charts

Faculty of language and culture

What will your child be learning?

Languages

As part of our triple literacy approach pupils will be developing their Welsh and Spanish skills. They will be learning vocabulary around 'family' and 'homes'.

Expressive Arts

Pupils will be learning about significant influential artist and looking at the work of Georgia O'Keeffe and the Pop Art movement. They will be looking at the different styles of the artists and creating their own art inspired by what they have learnt.

What can you do to help at home?

Languages

Pupils can use the Linguascope website to practise key Welsh and Spanish vocabulary.

<https://www.linguascope.com/>

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=C3iKpM0H6Ek>

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=o8Va9Y_rINg

Expressive Arts

Have fun exploring the virtual Tate Kid's gallery and take part in some of the interactive activities.

<https://www.tate.org.uk/kids>

Faculty of life

What will your child be learning?

Humanities

Pupils will be learning about significant, influential figures from history, e.g. Alexander Graham Bell, Martin Luther King, Thomas Edison, the Beatles and how these people have changed our world. Pupils will also be learning about naturalists such as David Attenborough and how we can help to look after our planet.

Wellbeing

Pupils will be exploring and developing the skills and practises that they need to develop a healthy lifestyle and making healthy choices in their future.

They will be investigating the features and physical and emotional benefits of a healthy lifestyle and exploring where they can seek support. Pupils will develop a basic understanding of the rules of games, the principles of attacking and defending and can discuss the ethics of sports.

What can you do to help at home?

<https://sciencetrek.org/sciencetrek/topics/climate/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/zd4dy9q>

Here are some links to support wellbeing at home:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/cosmickidsyoga>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/subjects/zj6pyrd>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/ks2-physical-education/zj2n92p>