

**ANNUAL GOVERNORS' REPORT TO PARENTS
2017/18**

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Governors

Here is a list of governing body members in 2017/18:

MEMBERS	REPRESENTING	UNTIL:
<u>Mr Alan Southall</u> Chair	<u>Parents</u>	September 2019
<u>Mrs Helen Barlow</u> Vice Chair	<u>Parents</u>	September 2019
<u>Mr Colin Heath</u>	<u>Councillor</u>	September 2021
<u>Mrs Allyson Walsh</u>	<u>Co-opted</u>	September 2019
<u>Mrs Ffion Taylor</u>	<u>Co-opted</u>	September 2019
<u>Miss Dawn Hughes</u>	<u>Ancillary Staff</u>	-
<u>Mrs Julie Williams</u>	<u>Teachers</u>	-
<u>Miss Lynne Jones</u>	<u>Headteacher</u>	-
<u>Mr Riley-Walsh</u>	<u>Community Council</u>	September 2021
<u>Mr Bari Gwiliam</u>	<u>Parents</u>	September 2019
<u>Ms Olwen Hughes</u>	<u>Clerk</u>	-

Report on action since the last report

No meeting was called upon by parents with governors during 2017 - 18
 No response was received to the annual report.
 There were no specific items to act upon.

The Governors

See the list above of the governors' names and statuses alongside the date that their term expires.

The full body of governors has met 4 times during the year. Meetings of the Finance, Personnel, Health and Safety and Standards sub-panels were also held during the year. The headteacher has reported each term, including reports on Health and Safety, numbers and attendance, curricular matters and results, wellbeing, management, staff security and finance in addition to reporting on the school's success, activities and events. Full meeting minutes are available at the school.

Clerk

The Governing Body Clerk is Mrs Olwen Hughes. Mrs Olwen Hughes can be contacted at Kestor , Field Street. Llangefni. The Chair of Governors can be contacted by a note addressed to him via the Body Clerk.

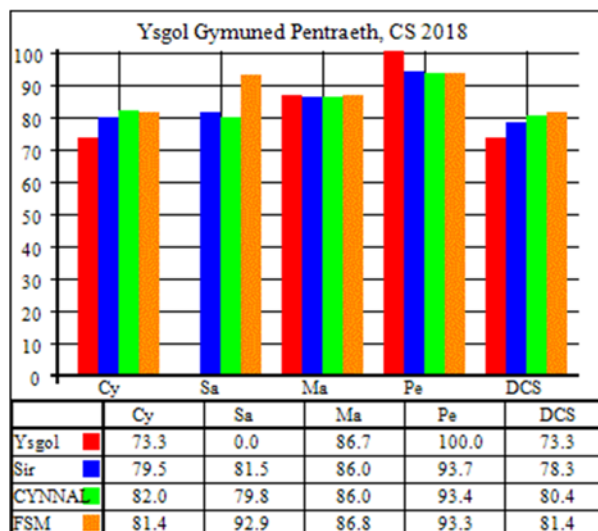
Financial Statement

Attached is an appendix of the school's recent finance and the School Fund expenditure. School Fund – The fund has been audited in accordance with the requirements. Donations to the school: The parents society have been busy once again fund raising for the school – the governors would like to thank these parents and everyone that contributed their efforts to raise money. The school greatly benefits from the contributions and appreciates the additional finances very much so. We are very grateful. Governors' Travel and Maintenance Costs: £0

Ysgol Pentraeth Performance Summer 2018

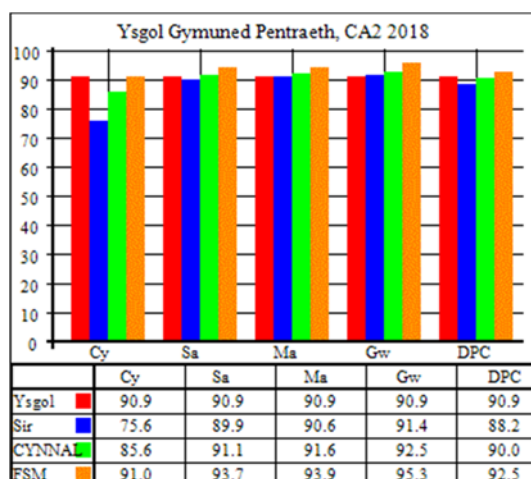
Foundation Phase Year 2

<u>FP Year 2</u>	<u>SCHOOL</u>	
	<u>OUTCOME</u>	
	5+	6+
<u>Language and Communication</u>	73%	26.7
<u>Mathematical Development</u>	86.7%	13.3
<u>Personal and Social Development</u>	100%	46.7%



Key Stage 2 - Year 6 Summer 2018

KS2	SCHOOL	
	L4	L5
Welsh	90.09%	36.4%
English	90.09%	27.3%
Mathematics	90.09%	27.3%
Science	90.9%	27.3%



School Attendance 2017/18

Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
95.5%	94.9%	94.5%
Year 93.9 %	TARGET 95.5%	Target not achieved
Authorized absences 5.9%		Unauthorized 0.4%
Three Year Attendance Targets		
2018	2019	2020
95.5%	95.8%	96%

Satisfactory

Community Engagements

Many community engagements occurred during the year, including:

- Supporting local charities such as Children in Need, Teams for U.
- Engagement between pre-school Nursery and the Secondary School.
- Pastoral visits from the local police and a 'School Beat' officer.
- Visits from Reverend Gruff Jones.
- Preparations for the Urdd Eisteddfod.
- Regular visits with the village and the local community.
- Annual concert for the Community.
- Visits to old people's homes.
- Canolfan Conway, Llanfairpwll
- Offering work experience to Secondary School / Bangor University pupils.

A full list of visits and visitors is available in the full governors' minutes available at the school, in the termly circular letters and on the school's Facebook page.

Engagements with Parents

Many engagements with parents occurred during the year including:

2 parents evenings, and a 3rd was offered

Meetings for parents and for parents of target groups.

Two meetings for new parents

Literacy workshop for Nursery/Reception parents

Sports day

Cooking club for parents and their children

School concert

A full list of events is available in the full governors' minutes available at the school, in the termly circular letters and on the school's Facebook page.

Targets 2017/18

Year 2

15 in the cohort - 8 boys and 7 girls

	O5	O6
Language	73 %	13.3 %
Number	73 %	13.3 %
P+C	86.6 %	13.3%
DCS	73%	

Year 6

9 in the cohort

	L4	L5
Welsh	66.6 %	22.2 %
English	77.7%	22.2 %
Mathematics	66.6%	22.2%
Science	66.6	22.2%
DPC	66.6 %	

Sports aims and achievements

The school places honour and status on its range of sport activities and utilizes the hall, Amlwch Leisure Centre and Ysgol David Hughes' resources to offer a range of sports. The school takes part in several sports tournaments and the Sports Council arranges friendly games.

Policies and Strategies

Each annual policy is reviewed, in addition to recommended ones. Copies of the policies are available at the school. The school intends to place them on the school website during the 2018/19 academic year.

Changes to the Building

- An emergency fire shutter was fitted in front of the entrance to the kitchen
- The junior toilets were painted
- New toilets were installed in year 1 and 2
- Additions were made to the fire signs

Term Dates

School Dates

The school opened for pupils on Monday 4 September 2017

HOLIDAYS:

30 October – 3 November 2017 (Half Term)

25 December 2017 - 5 January 2018 (Christmas Holidays)

12 - 16 February 2018 (Half Term)

26 March 2018 – 6 April 2018 (Easter Holidays)

7 May 2018 (May Day)

28 May – 1 June 2018 (Half Term)

The school closes for the Summer holidays on Friday 20 July 2018.

The dates for the 2018 -2019 School Year haven't yet been confirmed.

Number of days schools will be open each month:

SEPTEMBER 2017 22

OCTOBER 2017 20

NOVEMBER 2017 19

DECEMBER 2017 16

JANUARY 2018 18

FEBRUARY 2018 15

MARCH 2018 17

APRIL 2018 16

MAY 2018 18

JUNE 2018 20

JULY 2018 15

195

1 September 2017 – School Management Day

4 days training arranged by the school for the year:

October 27 November 6 January 8 February 9

This brought the number of school days for pupils to 190

Changes to the School Handbook

An Information Handbook for Parents is issued each year which includes information regarding school organisation and rules. A copy of the book is now on the school website and a hard copy available at the school at a parent's request. At the start of each educational year, a new/adapted handbook is presented. It can notify of changes in the school policies. Slight changes were made to the form and contents of the handbook this year.

Curriculum

As every other school, Ysgol Pentraeth follows the National Curriculum for Wales and aspects of the National Literacy and Numeracy Framework. There is a summary of the school curriculum in our school handbook.

Additional Learning Needs (ALN) at the school:

The school's aim is to identify children with ALN promptly in order to offer the best and most comprehensive provision possible to them, whilst helping the pupils reach their full potential. To that effect, an IDP is prepared for the children, and we review these with the parents. Ysgol Pentraeth's ALN co-ordinator is Mrs Julie Williams, and Mrs Allyson Walsh is the governess responsible for ALN.

Disabled Pupils:

The school will ensure full access for pupils with disabilities. The school policies ensure that disabled pupils won't be treated in a less favourable manner than other pupils. Copies of the policies are available at the school.

Language Category

The school is bilingual.

Use of the Welsh Language

Welsh is the school's primary language.

Welsh is the primary language of the Foundation Phase – children that don't speak Welsh are swiftly immersed in the language and they become fluent very quickly.

Welsh is the school's main communication language. The aim of the Anglesey/Gwynedd Schools Language Charter is for each child to speak Welsh on the corridors and on the yard.

In accordance with the Anglesey Language Policy, each child is taught through the medium of Welsh. English is informally introduced at the end of Foundation Phase and formally from Year 3 onwards. Our aim is for each child to be bilingually fluent leaving the school.

If a non-Welsh speaker comes to the school, they are immersed in the language in the Foundation Phase and attend the Language Unit in Moelfre for the length of a term in KS2. It is also possible to attend a term programme to advance in the language depending on availability.

Toilets

There are purposeful toilets, including 'small' toilets in the Foundation Phase – ratio of about 1:7

The boys and girls toilets are separate in KS2 – ratio of about 1:7

The staff toilets are in the school foyer.

The toilets are cleaned daily.