Ysgol Bro Famau

Autumn Term Curriculum Newsletter

Year 5 and 6

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| Welcome/Croeso  This term there will be a strong focus on PSE – the mental health and well-being of pupils as well as Growth Mindset. | | |
| **Language, literacy and Communication**  We will be looking at:   * Class book – Varjak Paw by SF Said * Poetry * Non – Fiction – Information text   **Cross Curricular**   * Adverts – information on how to recycle * The Future! * Nature documentaries – narration of   You can help at home by:   * Ensuring that your child reads regularly. Please keep the red reading record up to date, with a comment that responds to the text * Ensuring that your child has opportunities to read a variety of texts * Discussing the book and looking at punctuation and choice of vocabulary | | **Mathematics and Numeracy**  For this term we will be concentrating on the revision of skills across the maths and numeracy curriculum:   * Place value * Rounding of numbers * Multiplication * Division * Fractions – addition/subtraction * Decimals * Angles   As part of our topic there will also be lessons based on numeracy skills  e.g.  Recycling data – infographics  Code work – robots/technology  You can help at home by ensuring your child learns their time tables and practices regularly |
| **Humanities**   * Recycling in other countries * Factories with robots as workers * Climate change | **Welsh**   * Revision of personal information * Mini topic on Bees | |
| **Expressive Arts/ICT and Media**   * Sketches in style of Charles Macksey (The boy, the mole, the fox and the horse) * How art is changing – look at modern art and how it is different to art of past generations * Bottle tops for mural * Own artwork – artists of the future! * ICT – robots, technology of the future, Microsoft, Apple and Android. * Green screen adverts/documentary | **Science and Technology**   * Recycling * Materials * States of matter – insoluable, dissolve * Reduce/Reuse/Recycle * Different types of recycling (around the world etc) * Information texts on recycling | |
| **PE**  **Games outside**  PE Kit – black shorts, white T Shirt and trainers.  We also do our Daily mile every day to encourage exercise every day. | **Health and Wellbeing**   * Class Charter (links with 42 Rights of the Child) * Groups meetings - School Council, Eco Council, Criw Cymraeg and Health and Wellbeing | |
| **Dates for the Diary**  Homework will be given out on a Thursday and should be returned by the following Monday – to be done on Seesaw (the codes allow the use of tablets, laptops and chrome books. | | |