

COVID-19 HOME/SCHOOL AGREEMENT

Ysgol Gymraeg Brynsierfel

This agreement forms part of the school's risk assessment
for the gradual return of our pupils to school.



COVID-19 SYMPTOMS: Children can catch Coronavirus (COVID-19), but they seem to catch it less often than adults and it's usually less serious.

What to do if your child has symptoms of coronavirus:

The main symptoms of coronavirus are:

- A high temperature;
- A new, continuous cough- this means coughing for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours;
- A loss or change to sense of smell or taste- this means they cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

Use the 111 online coronavirus service if your child is 5 or over. Call 111 if they're under 5.

COVID-19 MAIN SAFETY MESSAGES:

- Stay at home as much as possible;
- Work from home if you can;
- Limit contact with other people;
- Keep your distance if you go out (2 metres apart where possible);
- Wash your hands regularly;
- Do not leave home if you or anyone in your household has symptoms.

Please read the following Home/School Agreement carefully and sign the parent and pupil sections. (Year 2 upwards can sign). Thank you.

Ysgol Gymraeg Brynsierfel Covid-19 Home/School Agreement

By sending your child to school we will presume consent to this agreement and that you have agreed to follow government guidance on staying alert and safe.

School

The school will do its best to:

- Provide an environment which has been risk assessed in response to the COVID-19 virus;
- Adhere to the social distancing rules as set out by the government as much as we reasonably can, both in and out of school;
- Provide a curriculum that meets the needs of your child's well-being, mental health and academic needs;
- Contact parents/carers if your child displays symptoms of COVID-19;
- Inform you if staff or pupils in your child's year group show symptoms of COVID-19 as this will mean you will all need to self-isolate for at least 14 days or until the test comes back negative;
- Continue our clear and consistent approach to rewards and consequences for pupils as set out in the school's Behaviour Policy, as well as the expectations outlined in this agreement;
- Communicate between home and school through mySchoolapp, newsletters, Twitter and the school website.

Signed on behalf of the school: Mrs.J.Davies Headteacher

Date: 13/06/2020

Parent/Carer

To help my child at school, I know and understand that:

- If my child, or anyone in my household, shows symptoms of COVID-19, I will not send them to school, we will self-isolate for 14 days as a family, I will ensure they are tested and I will let the school know as soon as possible via telephone;
- If my child, or another child in the group, shows symptoms of COVID-19 at school, I will collect my child from school immediately;
- When dropping my child off and collecting them, I will adhere to the 2 metre social distancing rules;
- I will be on time when dropping off and collecting as I understand that it poses more risk for everyone if I am too early or too late;
- I will ensure that only one parent or main carer will drop off and collect my child from school and that there will be no alternative arrangements for drop off and collection between families/carers;
- My child will not bring any items into school with them (apart from a plastic wipeable water bottle for their own personal use) nor take items home from school;
- I understand that there will be no food available in school and will provide my child with a packed lunch and healthy snack in a labelled plastic wipeable box which is to be left on the table outside the classroom each morning;
- I will remind my child about social distancing rules but accept they are difficult to follow and I understand that my child may not always achieve this successfully;

- I will teach my child how to wash their hands properly and will ensure they wear different, clean, comfortable clothes everyday that are appropriate for the school environment;
- I will remind my child about the importance of "Catch it, Bin it, Kill it" for coughing and sneezing;
- I will not be allowed into the school building at any time. If I need to speak to my child's teacher I will contact the school by telephone or e-mail to book a telephone appointment;
- I need to support all staff in their efforts to create an 'as safe as possible environment' during this crisis by following school and government rules and advice in minimising any possible risk of exposing myself or my family to the Coronavirus through an act or acts of neglect which could have a detrimental effect on school safety;
- I will provide up-to-date emergency contact details;
- If my child is deemed unsafe or not following the rules, he/she will be sent home and cannot return to school until they can be safe;
- I understand that if my child is unwell at school, he/she will be immediately isolated from other children and staff. I understand that a member of staff wearing full PPE (gloves, apron and face mask) will wait with my child until I arrive to collect him/her.

Please ensure you read all letters on mySchoolapp to ensure you are fully up-to-date with what is happening at school and inform us immediately of any change in contact details.

Signed by Parent/Guardian:

Date:

Child

I will do my best to:

- Follow the social distancing rules in class, in the toilets, in the corridors and in the playground;
- Tell an adult if I feel unwell;
- Not bring things into school from home, or take things home from school;
- Only use the equipment provided to me by the school;
- Not mix with any other year group in the school;
- Only enter and exit the school building from the designated gate;
- Be safe by coughing and sneezing into my elbow or a tissue- **"Catch it, Kill it, Bin it"** and use the correct bin for tissues;
- Wash my hands regularly using soap and water for 20 seconds/hand sanitiser (this will be available in school);
- Behave well at all times to keep myself and others safe;
- Follow the safety rules and know that if I don't, I will be sent home and will not be able to come back into school until I can be safe.

We know that this will be difficult for our younger pupils to understand but we will keep explaining it to them and encouraging them all the time and ask that you do the same at home.

Signed by:(Year 2 upwards can sign)

Date:

