



ALBERT PRIMARY SCHOOL

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We hope that this newsletter finds you and your family safe and well.

We are so proud of what we have all managed to achieve together last term despite all the challenges. Every family at home managed to access the learning and keep in contact with their class teacher. Children have persevered with their learning despite all the changes in routines and organisation. Thank you for all your support and kindness.

Pupil Wellbeing

The following websites are useful for supporting your child with any concerns linked to their wellbeing especially as we now begin to focus on schools reopening.

[Emotional Wellbeing | Barnardo's](#)

[Back to School | CAMHS-G \(camhsgrampian.org\)](#)

[Action For Children | Children's charity | For safe and happy childhoods](#)

Test, Trace and Protect : Parent/Carer Contacts

The school engages with Public Health Wales' 'Test, Trace and Protect' programme. It is imperative that we have your most up-to-date contact numbers and email addresses should we need to inform you of your child's class needing to self-isolate as a result of a positive Covid case being confirmed.

Parent/Carers' Meetings [Reception to Year 6]

Parent/Carer consultations will be held online using Microsoft TEAMS this half term. You will have the opportunity, if you so wish, to request a 5-minute appointment with your child's class teacher on either Tuesday 9th or Wednesday 10th March 2021.

Consultation request forms will be sent out next week. *You will then receive an appointment notification via Microsoft TEAMS to your **child's email address**.*

Separate information will be sent out to Nursery parents via your child's class teacher as the process is slightly different due to the large number of children on roll in Nursery.



St David's Day : School Welsh Week

We will be celebrating St. David's Day on Monday 1st March next week. Nursery to Year 2 children can come into school dressed in either traditional Welsh costumes or Welsh rugby/football tops. Anything red can also be worn rather than making costume purchases.

Throughout the week all children, whether in school or remote learning, will be participating in Welsh themed learning activities. The week will conclude with the Year 6 children attending an online 'Chairing of the Bard Ceremony'.

Unfortunately, due to the current restrictions in place in school, we will not be serving any Welsh cakes during the week so we are not requesting that they be brought in this year.



Building Works

Building works have begun on the old toilet block in the main school yard. The Local Authority have funded the refurbishment works to a cost of approx. £90,000. The refurbishment and internal alteration of the existing outbuilding will provide classroom and ancillary areas for future educational and community use. We appreciate your support as we co-operate with the building contractors and apologise for any operational changes we have to put in place during this time.



STEM Week : Monday 8th March 2021

The theme for the week is 'Innovating for the Future'

As with previous STEM weeks, children will be involved, throughout the week, in a number of exciting STEM activities both in school and through their remote learning programmes. Further information will be sent out via your child's class teacher next week.

