

Ysgol Gynradd Porthcawl Primary School

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MEET the TEACHER

Meet the Teacher – Monday, 22nd September

We're excited to invite you into school on **Monday, 22nd September** for our *Meet the Teacher* event!

All classrooms—from Reception to Year 6—will be open between **3:30 PM and 5:00 PM**, and you're welcome to drop in at any time during that window. This is a great opportunity to visit your child's classroom, meet their teacher, and ask any questions you may have in an informal setting.

Our Community Focus Family Engagement Officer, **Jacqui MacGibbon**, will also be available in the library during the event. Feel free to stop by and chat with her about the support and services she offers to families.

We look forward to seeing you there!



WE NEED YOUR HELP!

WE HAVE SEVERAL STONES THAT NEED TO BE REMOVED IN ORDER TO MAKE A RAISED BED AREA IN OUR GARDEN.

IF YOU CAN SPARE AN HOUR OF YOUR TIME TO HELP PLEASE LET MS GREGORY KNOW OR EMAIL THE SCHOOL



@friendsofporthcawlprimary



Claim up to **£125 for School Essentials** if your primary school child is eligible for **Free School Meals**.



If you live in Bridgend County Borough and receive certain benefits, you can claim free school meals for your school-aged child. To find out more visit:

[Free school meals \(FSM\)](#)



30th September 25 - 9.30 - in school

I will be holding an informal coffee morning for you to drop in and tell me what you would like me to offer in the school. It's a chance for parents to meet and chat with me about how we can support families.

My role is to build strong connections between families, schools and the wider community, to support children's learning and wellbeing.

I will be based in the school all day every Tuesday and I will be available for families to drop in and chat.

Jacqui MacGibbon

Community Focused Family Engagement Officer

OUTDOOR LOOSE PARTS DONATIONS NEEDED!



Do you have any spare outdoor loose parts - like milk crates, bread crates that you could donate to the school for the children to use in their outdoor play?

If you do please drop them off to the school or contact Ms Gregory or email the school.

Weekly Attendance (96% target)

Class	Attendance
Taf	77.5%
Garw	91%
Ewenni	100%
Teifi	97%
Conwy	95%
Llynfi	96.1%



Diary Dates:

Monday 22nd September

Meet the Teacher and Visit Classrooms 3.30 -5.00
After School Cubs Start

Tuesday 30th September

Hope Chapel Assembly

Wednesday 1st October

Fire Safety Talk – Years 2 & 5

Friday 3rd October

Class Ewenni – St John's Church Newton Harvest Festival

Tuesday 7th & 21st October

Nursery Story Workshop in Hall

Wednesday 8th October

Flu Immunisation – Reception Class to Year 6

Thursday 9th October

Class Ewenni – Porthcawl Museum

Friday 10th October

Colorfoto - School Individual Photographs

Tuesday 14th October

Design to Smile in Nursery – Year 2

Thursday 16th October

Class Taf – School Trip to St. Fagans

Monday 20th – Friday 24th October

Parents Evening Week

Wednesday 22nd October

Year 6 Opening Evening at PCS 5.30 -7.30
Hope Chapel Harvest Assembly

Monday 3rd November

Staff Inset Day

Thursday 6th November

Friends of PPS Neon Disco

Friday 14th Tuesday 18th November

Scholastic Book Fair in School

Monday 1st December

Llynfi Trip to Sony Factory

Tuesday 9th December and Wednesday 10th December

Foundation Phase Christmas Concert

Thursday 11th December

KS2 Christmas Concert 5.30
Christmas Through the Keyhole at Hope Chapel

Monday 5th January

Staff Inset Day

Thursday 5th March

World Book Day

Monday 6th July – Wednesday 8th July

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