



Welcome to Year 3
September 2022

Croeso i flwyddyn 3

The Year 3/4 team

Teaching Team

Mrs Rodger - Burns (LRC)

Mrs Edwards (LRC)

Mrs Godwin/ Mrs Samuel

Miss Roberts

Mrs Eagleton

Miss Jones

Mr King

Support Staff Team

Mrs Taylor

Mrs Yates

Mrs Smith

Mrs Taylor (LRC)

Mrs Mooney (LRC)

Foundation Phase to KS2

- Moving to more 'Sitting down' learning. In our experience & research shows, the majority of children are ready for this and relish the fresh challenge of the Juniors.
- Moving sites - There is a video to show some of the areas around the junior site. There is also pictures of the new classrooms as well.
- Promoting & providing more independent activities.

New Curriculum

- New curriculum in Wales (2022) - one key thing we are doing already is planning topics with the children and incorporating their ideas. Each Year 3/4 class follows the same topic but activities within each class may vary depending on what the children have said they would like to learn about.
- The Areas of Learning are as follows:
 - * Language, Literacy and Communication
 - * Maths and Numeracy
 - * Science and Technology
 - * Humanities
 - * Health and Well-being
 - * Expressive Arts

Transition

- This year we will be returning to some of our original transition activities.
- Here are some of the transition activities that your child will be taking part in this term:
 - * watching year 3/4 sports day
 - * Assembly with Mrs Salisbury and Mrs Rodger - Burns.
 - * Assembly and playtime at the Junior Site
 - * Storytime with your child's new class teacher
 - * Induction Day where children spend a day getting to know their new teacher and classmates..

Miss

September 2022

- We will spend the first few weeks getting to know the children well.
- We work hard during Year 3 on encouraging a growing independence in the children.
- Please see the video for a tour of the year 3 & 4 areas.
- Reading: We match children carefully with a book using information from their Year 2 teacher as well as our own judgements when listening to them read after the Summer break. Children will be heard read at least once a week in school and we ask that they read at least 3 times a week at home too.
- Other homework information will be sent out early in September

Routines

- P.E. - each class has P.E. twice a week. Your teacher will inform you in September about the days and when your child should come in, in PE kit.
- Snack - children are encouraged to bring their own healthy snack to eat at breaktime.
- Water bottles - children must bring their own labelled water bottles daily.
- Communication - we use Class Dojo as a reward system but it is also an important tool for communication with parents (during working hours. Please note that teaching staff may not be able to respond to messages immediately due to teaching commitments). If you need to see or speak to your child's class teacher please arrange an appointment as this is the best way to ensure they will be free.

School Uniform

We are very proud of the appearance of our pupils at Ysgol Mynydd Isa!
All items of clothing containing the Ysgol Mynydd Isa logo are available from Monkhouse
in Mold.

Uniform

Red sweatshirt and a white polo T-shirt.

Grey or black trousers, grey skirt/pinafore dress below the knee

Shoes

Black, flat shoes

Optional Summer Wear

Red gingham dress/grey skirt below the knee and white polo shirt

Grey shorts and a white polo shirt

School Uniform in pictures



PE Kit

Indoor Physical Education

Red, white plain T-shirt or polo shirt or red & white PE t-shirt

Red, white or black shorts.

Pupils perform gymnastics in bare feet unless they have a foot infection when the wearing of pumps or gym slippers is allowed.

Outdoor Physical Education

As for indoor P.E, with the option of a black/dark tracksuit or red school fleece.

White socks with pumps/trainers

PE Kit in pictures



A vibrant background featuring diagonal stripes of rainbow colors (purple, blue, green, yellow, orange, red) with numerous water droplets of varying sizes scattered across the surface, creating a fresh and summery atmosphere.

We are looking forward to seeing your children in September!

Have a lovely summer break.

Year 3 and 4 Team.