



COED GLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Headteacher: Mrs Sophie Notley

Value for this half term: Respect

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Christmas is in full swing at Coed Glas. You will probably know the songs off by heart by the time you watch your child's Christmas concert!



SANTA'S GROTTTO

Santa will be visiting Coed Glas next Friday! Children from Nursery to Y3 will have an opportunity to visit him in his grotto during the school day. Each class will sing him a song and they will individually have their photos taken with him, too! Glossy photos (7x5") can be pre-ordered for £5 per print. Monies raised from this will

go towards improving the Foundation Phase outdoor areas including the planting of springtime bulbs.

*Please send the correct amount of cash in an envelope with your child's name on it by **THURSDAY 5th DECEMBER**. Parents/carers who buy a print will also receive the photo digitally via ClassDojo.*



Congratulations to Logan on passing his Taekwondo grading!

Many hours of training went into achieving his yellow belt.

If you would like to share any good news about your children please send an email to frontdesk@coedglasprimary.co.uk so that I can include it in the newsletter.

The Change Makers group will be having a stall after each Christmas Concert so please bring some money! Diolch 🎄

Dates:

December

Monday 2nd: Cricket sessions Y5/6

Tuesday 3rd: **Christmas Story Puppet show and real donkeys!**

Nursery welcome session for new starters

Friday 6th: **Santa and his sleigh arriving!**

DHRB Coffee Morning



Tuesday 10th: **Nursery Christmas Concert 9.15 & 1pm**

Y1/2 Christmas Concert 9.30am

Wednesday 11th: **Y1/2 Christmas Concert 9.30am**

Y4 Christmas Concert 2pm

Thursday 12th: **Y3 Christmas Concert 9.30am**

Y5 Christmas Concert 2pm

Friday 13th: **Reception Christmas Concert 9.30am**



Tuesday 17th: **Y4 Trip Big Pit**

Nursery Trip -The Meadows Park

Y1/2DCA Experience Christmas at St Isan

Wednesday 18th: **Y1/2RC/JH & Reception Experience Christmas at St Isan**

Y4 Ukulele Concert 2.30pm

Thursday 19th: **Fph and KS2 Carol Concerts**

Christmas parties

Friday 20th: **End of term at 1.30pm**

Applications for Reception September 2025:

The application process is now open and closes on 13th January.

Please use the link to apply:

<https://www.cardiff.gov.uk/ENG/resident/Schools-and-learning/Schools/Applying-for-a-school-place/Primary-school/Pages/default.aspx>

We are holding an open evening for Nursery families to see our Reception classrooms and spaces on Wednesday 27th November from 4-5pm. Please come along!

Secondary School Applications

The application portal opened on the 23rd September and the **closing date for applications is the 18th November**. It is vital that you complete this application form to ensure that your child is offered a place at secondary school.

If you have any further queries, then please do not hesitate to contact me on 02920 754862 or e-mail me at jennifer.belcher@cardiff.gov.uk.

Thanks, Jeni Belcher

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Raising funds for school:

For anyone who shops at Asda and uses the Asda rewards app, if you add Coed Glas as your chosen school they will donate 0.5% of any qualifying purchases made. It doesn't affect your own rewards cashpot.

Key email addresses:

Mrs Lynn & Miss Fielding - frontdesk@coedglasprimary.co.uk Main office

Jeni Belcher - flo@coedglasprimary.co.uk

Family Liaison Officer

Mrs Notley - headteacher@coedglasprimary.co.uk

Headteacher

Miss Shapley - nicoleshapley@coedglasprimary.co.uk

Deputy Headteacher

Mrs Thomas - lt@coedglasprimary.co.uk

ALNco and Assistant Headteacher

Autumn Term dates:

End of term: Friday 20th December finishing at 1.30pm.

INSET days for this academic year

Monday 6th January 2025

Monday 10th March

Friday 2nd May

Monday 21st July

Term time holidays:

We encourage everyone to take their holidays during the school breaks. Every request for a term time holiday is considered on an individual basis taking into account your child's attendance.

If your child's attendance is below 92% term time holidays will be classed as an unauthorised absence. Attendance of less than 90% has a significant impact on a child's learning.

All requests need to be in writing via letter or email addressed to the headteacher via the main office: frontdesk@coedglasprimary.co.uk

School hall hire

We have a few evenings available for regular hire of the school hall for groups. This brings in valuable revenue for school funds. We also hire out the school field.

If anyone knows of any groups looking for somewhere to hire, please pass on our school office number and email: 20754862, frontdesk@coedglasprimary.co.uk

Support for families

We realise that there are many additional pressures on families. Cardiff Family Advice and Support offers a range of information, advice and assistance for children, young people and their families in Cardiff. **Telephone number: 03000 133 133**

Please remember that Mrs Belcher, Miss Shapley or Mrs Notley are always here to talk to and offer support.



Mrs Notley

Headteacher