



COED GLAS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Changes to reports and parents evenings

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the past five years at Coed Glas we have been developing our own curriculum in line with Curriculum for Wales. We now have a bespoke curriculum designed to meet the needs of the children in our community. Each year we adapt and tweak that to suit the current cohort.

What has stayed the same, however, is the way in which we report to parents and carers. Very little has changed over the past 10-15 years.

The partnership we have with you, the parents and carers, is very important and having a report at the end of the summer term is no longer purposeful in helping us work together to support the children in their learning.

Starting this year we are implementing a new, improved system where you will have greater opportunities to engage with your child's targets and learning earlier in the year.

It will look like this:

- End of the Autumn term you will receive a short personalised report including your child's reading book band, CLIC and SAFE maths scores, Read Write Inc. group and a target to work towards.
- In the Spring term we will hold parent/carers meetings where you can discuss the progress your child has made and ways to work together to support them.
- During the Spring term each class will have a learning opportunity for you to take part in with your child during the school day.
- In the Summer term you will receive a short personalised report which includes their personalised assessment scores for Y2-6 and Read Write Inc. group for Reception to Y2.
- The usual celebration events will continue where appropriate.

Alongside this, each teacher will meet with a member of the Senior Leadership Team once a term to discuss the children's learning and ways forward.

You may notice that the parents/carers meeting in November has been replaced with a report. As we have always done, if you want to speak with your child's teacher just ring the office or send a message via Class Dojo. Again the teachers will continue to get in touch whenever that is needed.

The exception to this is Reception where there will be a parents/carers evening in November as this is their first time in full time school. Reception teachers will then write a short report in Spring and Summer.

What if my child is in Nursery?

During their time in Nursery every child will have a 'How I've settled' report, a 'Playing & Learning Together' session and a final progress report. The timings of these will differ depending on the number of terms your child is in Nursery.

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Sophie Notley

Headteacher