

MAES EBBW SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Dear Parents and Carers

5th December 2025

We are in full swing with Christmas preparations. The pupils are practising their Christmas Concerts and getting ready for the Xmas Fete. Lots of the staff and pupils dressed up on Monday for ELF Day. The Christmas tree is in reception and there is Christmas music everywhere I go in school. Some of the classes have already enjoyed going out on their Christmas trips.

Christmas Dinner

Our Christmas dinner day is 17th December. We make this a magical event with the hall decorated and Christmas music playing, it's a special occasion for the whole school. I have attached the menu for Christmas Dinner which will be served on the 17th December. Please make sure you inform your child's teacher if you would like them to receive this.



Attendance – Miss School – Miss Out

We are continuing to work hard at improving attendance. Parents can help my making sure that everyday that their child is well enough to be in school, they come to school. We know that there have been lots of bugs and colds at school. As soon as your child is well, we want to welcome them back to school. We are aiming for 90% attendance; our current attendance is 86.3% and we are trying to improve that.

Common Ailments Service

I have attached some information from the Health Board regarding common ailments and where you can be treated in the community, etc.

Invitation for Family Play Session Festive Holiday 2025

The Disabled Children's Team would like to welcome disabled children and young people, along with their parents / carers and siblings to a Family Play Session this Festive holiday.

The Disabled Children's Team would like to provide families with the opportunity to engage in a variety of activities, in a supported and non-judgemental environment.

There will be six sessions held at **Alway Community Centre**.

Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come first serve basis and these can be booked via: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/family-play-disabled-childrens-team-chwarae-ir-teulu-tim-plant-anabl-tickets-1976467193581?aff=oddtcreator>

Parents / carers are required to stay with their children at the venue during the session.

Tickets are capped at 5 per family however if you do require more, please email children.withdisabilities@newport.gov.uk.

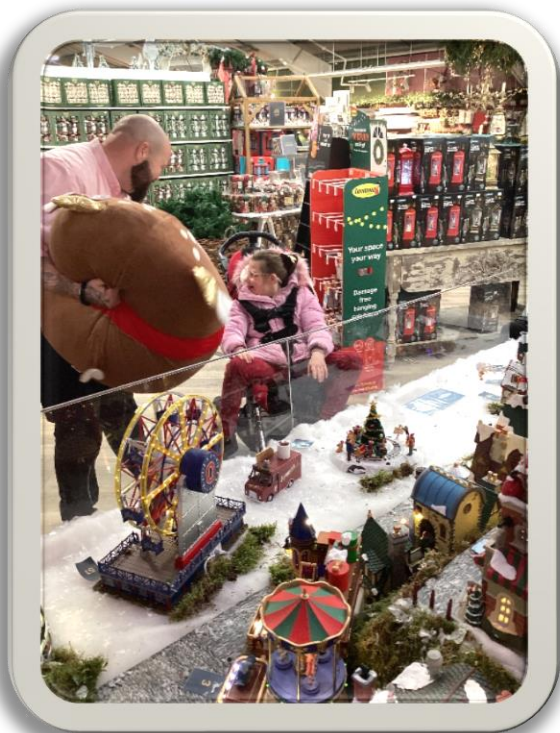
Please note: The entry door is unlocked at Alway Community Centre. The venue has an accessible entrance. Accessible toilets are available on site; however, hoists and changing bed are not available.

If you have any queries, please contact us via children.withdisabilities@newport.gov.uk.





DOSBARTH BLODŶN ENJOYED A LOVELY MORNING AT FESTIVE PRODUCTS



DOSBARTH TAN ENJOYED THEIR TRIP TO THE GARDEN CENTRE