Dear Parent/Carer,

This year's Eisteddfod is fast approaching! The children will be spending time in class on their return after half term, working on multiple entries in order to accumulate points for their colour houses.

In addition to this, children will also have the opportunity to earn extra points by completing the HALF TERM CHALLENGES. These competitions are optional, however for every competition completed at home, children will earn +1 point for their house, with +5 for 1st place, +3 for 2nd place, +2 for 3rd and +1 MERIT up for grabs!

Category	Year R, 1&2	Key Stage 2	Extra Info
To be completed at home – optional competitions for half term			
Photography	Take a photograph of something that means 'Wales' to you		 Can be edited if they wish. Entries to be tweeted to relevant year group handle or printed off at home and brought in
Craft	Create a 3D Model of a significant location in your local area		 E.g. Folly Tower, Big Pit, Shell Grotto, Pontypool Park This can also be completed digitally i.e Minecraft
Welsh Coastal Path Challenge	Can your house collectively walk the length of the Welsh coastal path (870 miles) over half term?		 The only entries to count are those submitted via Twitter Use relevant year group handle MUST include #GSPcoastalwalk24 to receive point (reasoning for this being it is far easier to monitor)
Solo Recitation	N.A	Y3 & Y4 – Bwgan Brain Y5 & Y6 – Noson Oer	 Children who have opted to compete in these competitions have already received the poem and a QR code whereby they can access the recording so they are
Group Recitation	N.A	Y3, Y4, Y5, Y6 – Ga i fy mhêl nôl, plis?	able to practice. That said, anyone can enter and so should your child change their mind, please find the relevant QR codes below!

HALF TERM COMPETITIONS



Blwyddyn 3 & 4 Bwgan Brain



Blwyddyn 5 & 6 Noson Oer



Group Recitation Ga i fy mhêl nôl, plis?

COASTAL PATH CHALLENGE

Step 1: Download the 'Strava' app or 'Samsung Health' (other distance trackers are available feel free to use any)

Step 2: Open app before walking/jogging/running to record walk

Step 3: Once you have completed your walk/run/jog, go back into app and take SCREENSHOT of the distance travelled

Step 4: Upload this picture to your child's year group Twitter using the correct handle and hashtag (see details overleaf)

On the upload please also include the following:

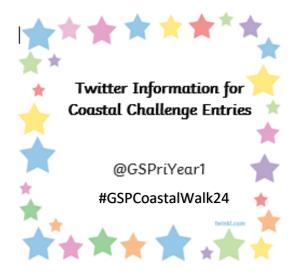
Child's first name: Tommy

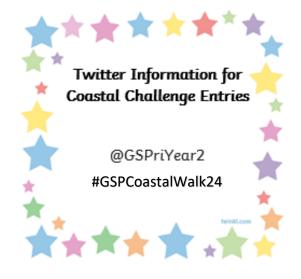
Child's year group: e.g. year 6

Child's house colour: e.g. red/green/blue

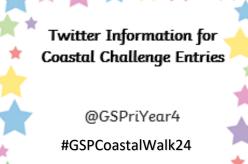
N.B - you can also use a fitness watch to complete this task - please take a photo of the watch clearly showing distance completed and upload to Twitter using the same steps as above.













@GSPriYear5 #GSPCoastalWalk24 Twitter Information for Coastal Challenge Entries

@GSPriYear6

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