



GEORGE STREET PRIMARY SCHOOL

TOGETHER WE LIVE, LEARN AND VALUE



Miss Larcombe



Mrs Davies



Important times in Year 5

8:50 - Enter school via the front steps.

10:30 - Breaktime/Mile

12:35 - 1:20 - *Lunch time*

3:15 - End of the Day. Children collected from front steps

Attendance

Attendance – strive for 95%!



- ▶ Attendance (95% is target)
- ▶ There will be times where your child may become ill. Please let the office know to allow us to record the absence accordingly with the correct code, Other wise it will be registered as unauthorised.
- ▶ Please remember is your child suffers from sickness that has vomiting or diarrhoea then please do not send your child back for 48 hours after the symptoms have subsided.
- ▶ Please de aware staff are unable to administer pain relief medication and please make provision for this if needed before school and a form will ned to be filled in.

Diary Dates

INSET DAYS NEXT ACADEMIC YEAR

Monday 1st September 2026

Thursday 17th September 2026

Friday 13th November 2026

Monday 5th April 2027

Friday 7th May 2027

Monday 21st June 2027



A typical day in Year 5

8:50 - Pick up from the front steps.

9:05 - 9:30 - Registration , Morning task, spellings (Lunches)

9:30 - 10.30 - Literacy

10:30 - 10:45 - Break/Snack time

10:45 - 11:45 - Maths

11:45 - 12:00 -Daily Welsh

12:00-12:30 - Guided Reading

12:35 - 1:20 - Lunch time

1:20 - 1:30 - Registration, Mindful minute, ERIC time

1:30 - 2.45 - Topic/Welsh/Science/ICT/P.E/Art

2:45- 3:00 - Daily Mile

3.05 - 3:15 - Get ready to go home/Class story/Discussion

3:15 - End of the Day. Children collected from the steps.

Medium term overview - Autumn 1

Language, Literacy & Communication

Wk 1 – Settling in, reading assessment
Wk2 - Basic punctuation and grammar
Wk 3 – Street Child – Predictions and Descriptions
Wk 4/5 – Street Child – Diary entry/ theme tree
Wk 6/7 – Street Child – Letter to his sisters/ Poem Escape from Workhouse
Wk8 – Body biography Emily/Lizzie. Character description of Shrimps

Mathematics & Numeracy

Wk 1 – Mathematics, mental maths, Big maths recap
Wk 2 - Place value and mathematical vocabulary
Wk 3 – Doubling and halving
Wk 4 – Addition and subtraction
Wk 5 – Multiply and divide by 10, 100, 1000
Wk 6 – Sequences and repeated patterns
Wk 7 – Multiplication and division
Wk 8 – Multiplication and division

Topic Journey

Wk 1 – Padlet of ideas
Wk 2 – Venn diagram
Wk 3 – True/false grid
Wk 4 – Infer information from a text
Wk 5 – Owain Glyndwr/ Victorian Heroes
Wk 6 – Black History Month
Wk 7/8 – Victorian toys

Discrete Science

Wk 1 – Construct a simple circuit
Wk 2 – Prediction of changes in a circuit.
Wk 3 – Insulators and Conductors
Wk 4 – Series and Parallel circuits.
Wk 5/6 – Sound investigation.
Wk 7/8 - Light



Expressive Arts

Tone and shade, Tonal shading techniques, Facial Features, self-portrait, Queen Victoria portrait
Natural Leaves and Observational drawings.

ICT

Logging in, saving work, searching for information using the search engine, creating a PowerPoint.

Suggested Learning for Home

- MYON activities
- Mathematics activities
- Reading together.
- Life skill – help your adult prepare/cook a meal.

Welsh

- Wk 1 – Placemat assessment
- WK 2 – Welsh – Games (personal descriptions and sentences)
- WK 3 – Yn yr Ardd – In the Garden
- WK 4 – Y Tren bach – The Little Train
- WK 5 – Plannu Bylbau – Planting bulbs
- WK 6 – Y Pod Antur Cymraeg
- WK 7 -Recap placemat



Swimming/PE Day

Kit to be worn on these days

Children can come to school in PE kit on
Wednesdays.

- Black shorts or joggers
 - Trainers
 - T-shirt
- Suitable outdoor clothing for games in the winter
 - Suitable footwear
 - No jewellery for PE



Swimming/Newport County on Tuesdays

Swimming costumes must be underneath the children's clothes ready. Children who are not swimming will still walk to the leisure centre with their class.

Forest school Day/Clothing

In Y5 Forest school is on a Friday morning.

- Children should bring wellies to school to change into if weather is wet.
- Have a warm waterproof coat just in case in rains.



Important information

Free dinners for all in Welsh schools.



Healthy Schools

Healthy snacks can include = Fruit, Vegetables, Yoghurt, Cereal bar, cheese etc

No chocolate, sweets, biscuits or crisps as snack.

Reminder - School Uniform

School red jumper/cardigan

White shirt/polo shirt

Grey/black trousers/skirt/pinafore

Summer dresses for summer

Black shoes/black trainers

No jewellery except stud earrings

No false nails/Make up.

No mobile phones - If necessary the Teacher is to be made aware and the phone will be put away.

All Personal property – Bags etc needs to be kept on personal pegs.



Behaviour



Our 5 School Rules



1

Follow instructions
first time



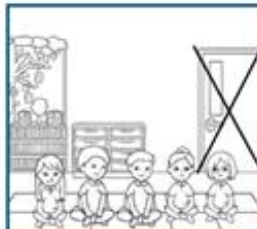
2

Keep hands, feet,
objects and unkind
words to yourself



3

Always ask adult
permission if you
need to leave your
classroom area



4

When walking
around school and
going into
assembly, use a
quiet voice



5

Treat everybody in
a respectful way



Communication:

Text message service: Up-to-date number needed. 1 per child

Letters and information: Will be sent out electronically using the text service via a link and put on the website.

Class DOJO – Parents can link up to this and receive updates from their child, their progress, examples of work and other experiences.

Open door policy: We are here to be approached! Please speak to us at the steps if you need to but please make an appointment if you need a longer conversation.

After School Clubs

- ▶ A range of after school clubs will be available throughout the year and text messages about these will be sent out in due course.
- ▶ There will be a maximum number of pupils for each club and a minimum number is required for clubs to take place. Over subscription will be decided by names in a hat.
- ▶ Afterschool club will last for around 8 weeks.
- ▶ There will be no after school club run on a Wednesday due to staff meetings.
- ▶ Parent consent needed for any child to attend.
- ▶ Most clubs will finish at 4pm and pupils will needed to be picked up promptly.

PARENT CONSULTATIONS



Autumn term 'wellbeing/settling-in'. Dates will be shared in the newsletter.



Diolch! (Thank you!)

Any questions?