

Yr Ysgol John Frost - The John Frost School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Headteacher's Update

We are almost at the end of another half term, and as many Covid restrictions come to an end in Wales I would like to thank you for your support of the school during what has been a challenging two years for our students. I have plenty of good news to share in this update that I am sure you will be pleased to hear

Intervention programmes

You may or may not be aware that we have a wealth of literacy, numeracy and emotional/behavioural interventions at The John Frost School to help our students succeed. One of these interventions with a literacy focus is called Lexonik. We were delighted to hear from Lexonik Headquarters recently that our school is one of the top performing in the UK when it comes to the success of this intervention in terms of improving students' literacy skills.

Ramadan

The holy month of Ramadan is nearly upon us and we would like to send all of our families observing this month our very best wishes. Please see the 'Ramadan at The John Frost School' leaflet on our website if you would like further information about how we support our students during this important month.

Summer of Fun!

Our students have been very stoic in the face of restrictions that have prevented them experiencing the full range of things our school usually has to offer. Though we are mindful that if the situation changes again, we may face further restrictions and events may need to be cancelled, we very much hope we can hold the following events and will send information out to you about each one in due course. Please record the following dates for your diaries:

- Friday 27 May: Y13 leaving ceremony (in school)
- Friday 24 June: Y11 leaving ceremony (in school day); Y11 Prom (in school evening)
- Thursday 30 June: Y7-13 parents/carers Parents' Evening; come and see your child's school, speak to the many different teachers, look at books and just enjoy being a part of what your child experiences every day (4pm-7pm).
- **Friday 1 July**: a reminder that this is a professional learning day for staff. Therefore, students are not in school on this day.
- Wednesday 6 July: Sports Day (reserve date 13 July)
- Thursday 7 July: Relationships/Sexuality Day
- Tuesday 12 July: Culture Day
- Thursday 21 July: Summer Concert

Yours sincerely

Mr M Tucker Headteacher