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| Brynteg CP termly plan for parents  **Class:** Year 3/Junior 1 |
| **Main topic for this term: Cymru** |
| **Languages, Literacy and Communication:**  **Fiction;**  The Iron Man; Looking at story settings and character descriptions (focus on adjectives)  Comprehension work on ‘The Iron Man’  Grammar; Verbs, Punctuation (focus on capitals, full stops, commas and question marks)  **Non-Fiction;**  To enquire, interview, survey & question  Complete a survey about materials used in the home  Enquiry about Plastics (devise questions for parents about plastics used around the home)  Devise a questionnaire about how often different materials are used |
| **Mathematics and Numeracy:**  Place Value (Hundreds, Tens and Units)  Problem solving activities  Number Bonds to 10, 20 and 100  Using number bond strategies to help add and subtract single digits to and from a 2-digit and 3-digit number  Adding and subtracting multiples of 10  Multiplying and dividing by 5 and 10  Doubling numbers up to 30  Halving even numbers up to 40 |
| **Science and Technology:**  Materials and their properties  Find a range of different materials used inside and outside the classroom, e.g. plastic, glass, wood, metal  Describe the materials using properties e.g. durable, transparent, opaque, absorbent, flexible  Definition work; looking at new words such as opaque, absorbent, transparent, rigid  Describe materials used in buildings and a Celtic Roundhouse (and why they are/were used)  Looking at solids, liquids and gases, and how different materials alter when heated or cooled |
| **Health and Well Being:**  The importance of warming our bodies up before exercise  How exercise affects our bodies  Old fashion playground games  Throwing and catching skills  Football and Literacy (5 weeks)  Football and numeracy (5 weeks) |
| **Expressive Arts:**  Celtic Art (Celtic lettering &Celtic patterns/knots)  D&T; Design a Healthy Drink based on fruit used in Celtic Times  Mrs L is teaching Music and as well as our school Christmas production, pupils will be following the Music Scheme of Work. |
| **Humanities: Cymru**  When the Celts lived in Wales (Using a timeline)  What the Celts dressed in/ what they ate/ how they prepared for battle/ what their homes were like  Mrs Lucas is teaching Geography and Religious Education to Year 3. In Geography, pupils will be studying the local area and the looking at the place of Wales in the World. We’ll be asking *What was Noah’s Home like? I*n RE. In both subjects, it would be helpful if children could look for information and pictures on the Internet or borrow books from Brynteg’s excellent library. |
| **Homework:**  Weekly spellings to be learnt for a test on a Wednesday  Home reading book to be read at home (can be brought back any day of the week). At least one book a week to be read by the children and parents to listen and comment on their reading.  Bug club for further reading activities  Maths whizz for maths activities  Times Tables to be learnt at home for quick-fire testing in class |
| **Helping your child at home:**  Times Tables to be learnt at home for quick-fire testing in class.  Home reading book to be read at home (can be brought back any day of the week). At least one book a week to be read by the children and parents to listen and comment on their reading.  Weekly spellings to be practised at home with parents. |